

# WAREHOUSING AND DEPOSITS

## CHAPTER 368

S. B. No. 19

(Brant for Legislative Research Committee at the request of Public Service Commission)

### LICENSING AND BONDING OF STORAGE COMPANIES AS PUBLIC WAREHOUSES

#### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 60-0701 and Section 60-0702 of the North Dakota Revised Code of 1943, providing for the licensing and bonding of storage companies as public warehouses.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:*

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That Sections 60-0701 and 60-0702 of the North Dakota Revised Code of 1943 be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

60-0701. LICENSING STORAGE COMPANIES AS PUBLIC WAREHOUSES. The public service commission may license any suitable person, firm, or corporation organized under the laws of this state, or authorized to do business within the state, to carry on the business of a public warehouse for the storage of any goods, wares, merchandise, or other general or special commodities, except grain in bulk. A license to engage in the business of a public warehouseman may be obtained by filing an application with the public service commission showing:

(1) The city and street address, or a description of the land, where each warehouse is located, together with the business name under which each such warehouse is operated; and

(2) The kind of property stored in each warehouse. Said application shall be accompanied by the bond required under Section 60-0702 of the North Dakota Revised Code of 1943, as amended, and an annual fee of ten dollars, which fee shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the general fund of the state. Said license shall be renewed annually and shall be issued for the calendar year. Any license which expires during the years 1947 or 1948 may, upon application,

be renewed for the balance of the calendar year, and the annual fee required hereunder shall be prorated on a monthly basis.

60-0702. BOND OF STORAGE COMPANY. Each person or corporation licensed under Section 60-0701 shall give a bond to the treasurer of the state in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, issued by a corporate surety company, to be approved by the public service commission for the faithful discharge of the duties of a public warehouseman; provided that if the licensee operates more than one public warehouse, the bond shall be increased by the sum of five thousand dollars for each additional warehouse operated. Said bond shall cover all such public warehouses as a whole and not a specific amount for each warehouse.

Approved March 10, 1947.

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## WATERS

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### CHAPTER 369

H. B. No. 148

(McInnes, Bagge, Levin, Ohnstad, Dalzell, Saumur, Luick)

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#### REPAIRS OF EXISTING DRAINS BY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

##### AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 61-2142 of the North Dakota Revised Code of 1943 as amended and reenacted by Chapter 14 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1944 as amended by Chapter 329 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1945, relating to repairs of existing drains by board of county commissioners and declaring an emergency.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:*

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That Section 61-2142 of the North Dakota Revised Code of 1943 as amended by Chapter 14 of the Special Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1944 as amended by Chapter 329 of the Session Laws of North Dakota for the year 1945 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

61-2142. DRAIN KEPT OPEN AND IN REPAIR BY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS; COST OF.] All drains that may