

SENATE RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1

(Erickstad, Fiedler)

SESSION LAWS AND CODE

A resolution providing copies of the North Dakota Century Code and the 1955, 1957 and 1959 Session Laws for the use of the various committees of the senate.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota:

WHEREAS, the senate in its deliberations and in its various committee meetings often finds it necessary to refer to the code and for that reason a code should be available for such use;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Thirty-seventh Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

That the secretary of the state be authorized and directed to furnish twenty copies of the North Dakota Century Code and twenty copies of the 1955, 1957 and 1959 Session Laws to be distributed in the senate chambers and to the various committee rooms of the senate, each volume to be stamped or labeled "Property of the State of North Dakota", and under the custody of the secretary of the senate and the various committee chairmen using the same, whose duty it shall be, at the close of the session, to deliver them to the secretary of state to be kept by him for the use of succeeding sessions of the legislature, and that a copy of this resolution duly certified by the secretary of the senate be delivered to the secretary of state as his authority for furnishing same.

Filed January 9, 1961.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 2

(Luick, Longmire, Mutch, Wadeson, Redlin, Solberg, Berube)

IDENTIFICATION TAGS

A resolution directing the secretary of the senate to provide identification tags for all members and employees of the senate.

WHEREAS, it is difficult for the members of the senate and the employees thereof to recognize one another; and

WHEREAS, it would be very helpful if identification tags were provided each member and employee of the senate for identification purposes;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota:

That the secretary of the senate is hereby directed to procure as soon as possible blue identification tags for all members and employees of the senate and all employees shall wear such tags during all duty hours.

Filed January 10, 1961.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 3

(Hystad, Gefreh)

CHAPLAINS' INVOCATIONS

A resolution requiring all chaplains' invocations to be printed in the senate journal.

WHEREAS, the senate of the state of North Dakota has many distinguished members of the clergy acting as senate chaplains; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the members of the senate to permanently record in the senate journal the invocations given by such chaplains;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota:

That all invocations of the chaplains of the senate of the state of North Dakota shall be printed in the senate journal.

Filed January 11, 1961.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 4

(Meidinger)

SPITTOONS

A resolution urgently requesting the board of administration to remove from the senate chambers the low cylindrical or round vessels, sometimes known as spittoons, strategically placed in the senate corridor and to replace the same with a more suitable container for ashes.

WHEREAS, the senate chamber has been graced for many years with low cylindrical or round vessels, more often called cuspidors or spittoons; and

WHEREAS, the lower house some years ago reached such a level of culture and refinement that the members had outgrown the need for such receptacles; and

WHEREAS, the upper house now feels that its members may also have reached the point of cultural achievement where they can probably manage without such cuspidors newly lined with fresh brown paper towels every morning;

WHEREAS, because of the fast-burning cigars and cigarettes now on the market, the senate now feels that it would be appropriate to have more suitable receptacles;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota:

That the board of administration is hereby urgently requested to remove from the senate chambers all receptacles for sputum and replace the same with something that would not have to be lined with fresh brown paper every day. Please provide some ashtrays.

Filed February 2, 1961.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 5

(Morgan, Becker, Hystad)

PHOTOGRAPHER

A senate resolution to appoint an official photographer for the senate of the Thirty-seventh Legislative Assembly of the state of North Dakota.

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of North Dakota:

WHEREAS, for historical purposes it has been the custom of all North Dakota legislative assemblies to have composite group pictures made of all members of such assemblies; and

WHEREAS, Mason Owens Studio of Bismarck, North Dakota offers to make a composite group picture of the members of the 1961 North Dakota senate size 30 x 40 inches, said picture to be framed and ready to hang, and fifty-five fourteen by eleven copies of said picture for each member and desk force of the senate, and one five by seven inch print of each senator and the lieutenant governor for the state historical society, at a cost of five hundred and fifty dollars.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that Mason Owens Studio, Bismarck, North Dakota, be, and is hereby appointed official photographer for the North Dakota Senate of the Thirty-seventh Legislative Assembly.

Be It Further Resolved, that the Mason Owens Studio of Bismarck, North Dakota, be and is hereby awarded the sole privilege of photographing members of the senate of the Thirty-seventh Legislative Assembly, at a cost price of five hundred fifty dollars, to be taken out of legislative expenses.

Filed February 11, 1961.