
OFFICIAL OATHS.

CHAPTER 105.

[H. F. 284.]

CIVIL OFFICERS.

AN ACT to Amend Sections 3 and 4 of the Political Code, Being Section 1372 of the Compiled Laws, Providing the Oath of Civil Officers.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That Section 3, of the Political Code, being part of Section 1372, compiled laws, be amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 3. OATH OF CIVIL OFFICERS.] Every civil officer in this State, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation: ‘I do solemnly swear (or affirm, as the case may be) that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of North Dakota, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of (naming the office) according to the best of my ability, so help me God,’ (if an oath), (under pain and penalties of perjury, if an affirmation). Such oath shall be endorsed upon the back of or attached to his bond, in case of an officer required to give a bond, and endorsed upon the back of or attached to the commission, appointment or certificate of election, in case of an officer not required to give bond.”

§ 2. REPEAL.] That Section 4 of the Political Code, being part of Section 1372 of the Compiled Laws, be and the same is hereby repealed.

§ 3. REPEAL.] All acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

§ 4. EMERGENCY.] An emergency exists in this, that there is no law prescribing the form of oath to be taken by civil officers as contemplated by the Constitution of this State; therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 18, 1890.

CHAPTER 106.

[S. F. 84.]

AUTHORIZING JUDGES OF DISTRICT COURTS TO ADMINISTER
OATHS.

AN ACT Authorizing the Judges of the District Courts to Administer Oaths.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. DISTRICT JUDGE MAY ADMINISTER OATHS.] Each judge of the district court is hereby authorized to administer oaths in addition to the officers and persons now authorized by law to administer oaths.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] There being no law now in force authorizing the judges of district courts to administer oaths, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved February 20, 1890.

OIL INSPECTION.

CHAPTER 107.

[S. F. 142.]

PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF OIL INSPECTOR.

AN ACT to Provide for the Inspection of Illuminating Oils Manufactured from Petroleum or Coal Oils.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. INSPECTOR, HOW APPOINTED—REMOVAL.] There shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a suitable person, resident of this State, who is not interested in manufacturing, dealing or vending any illuminating oils manufactured from petroleum, as State Inspector of Oils, whose term of office shall be two years from the date of his appointment or until his successor shall be appointed and qualified;