

be the duty of the board of directors to include as part of any levy or assessment provided for in Section 19 of this Act, an amount sufficient to meet each year all payments accruing under the terms of any such contract; and the board may accept on behalf of the district appointment of the district as fiscal agent of the United States, or authorization of the district by the United States to make collections of money for and on behalf of the United States in connection with any federal reclamation project, whereupon the district shall be authorized to so act and to assume the duties and liabilities incident to such action, and the said board, shall have full power to do any and all things required by the federal statutes in connection therewith, and all things required by the rules and regulations established by any department of the federal government in regard thereto. The use of all water required for irrigation of lands of any district formed under the provisions of this Article, together with canals and ditches already constructed, the right of ways for canals and ditches, sites for reservoirs, and pumping plants, and all other property required in fully carrying out the provisions of this Article, is hereby declared to be a public use, subject to the regulation and control of the state in the manner prescribed by law. If contract is made with the United States, as in this Section provided, and bonds are not to be deposited with the United States in connection with such contract, bonds need not be issued, or if required to raise funds in addition to the amount of such contract, shall be issued only in the amount needed in addition thereto.

Approved March 6, 1933.

LAW

CHAPTER 143

H. B. No. 86—(Patterson, by request.)

PROHIBITING UNLAWFUL PRACTICE OF LAW

An Act to amend and re-enact Section 811 of the Supplement to the Compiled Laws of North Dakota of 1913; relating to admission to the bar; requiring and fixing an annual license fee to be paid by members of the State Bar; providing that no person shall practice law within the state who has not made payment of the annual license fee; prohibiting the practice of law by any member of the bar or other persons not so qualified and fixing a penalty therefor; providing for the deposit of the license fee with the treasurer of the state bar board, and specifying the manner in which said annual license fee shall be disbursed.

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

§ I. AMENDMENT.] That Section 811 of the Supplement to the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for 1913, be amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 8II. PROHIBITING UNLICENSED PRACTICE OF LAW.] No person shall be entitled to practice law or act as attorney or counsellor at law in this state unless such person shall secure first a certificate of admission to the bar. Such certificate shall be issued upon payment of the fee provided therefor, and in addition thereto the further payment of the annual license fee of ten dollars. Any member of the bar who has not first paid such license fee or any other person or corporation is hereby prohibited from engaging in the practice of law within the state; and upon so doing shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. The Clerk of the Supreme Court, in his ex-officio capacity, as the treasurer of said Bar Board, shall deposit all license fees with the State Treasurer to be by him kept in a fund known as the State Bar Fund, the same to be disbursed therefrom only in manner as follows, to-wit:

(1) To pay to the Bar Association of the State of North Dakota, the sum of five dollars as provided by law for each licensed member of the bar.

(2) To pay the compensation provided by law for each member of the State Bar Board for the actual time devoted by him to the duties of his office, and expenses incurred by him while away from his place of residence in attendance to such duties.

(3) The expenses incurred by said State Bar Board in conducting examination of applicants for admission to the bar, or in the investigation of charges warranting the suspension or disbarment of members of the bar and in prosecutions brought and conducted before the Supreme Court for the discipline of such members.

(4) The expenses incurred by the Bar Association of North Dakota in the conduct of investigations and prosecution of proceedings instituted for the purpose of protecting the public and the bar of North Dakota against unauthorized practices by corporations or persons not licensed to practice law; and:

(5) The necessary expenses of conducting and supplying the offices of said State Bar Board. Nothing herein contained shall prevent any non-resident attorney, duly licensed to practice in another state, from appearing before the courts of this state.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] This Act is hereby declared to be an emergency Act, and shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 7, 1933.