

CHAPTER 357—S. F. No. 1165

An act relating to port authorities and amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 458.09, Subdivision 1, as amended by Laws 1959, Chapter 316.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 458.09, Subdivision 1, as amended by Laws 1959, Chapter 316, is amended to read:

458.09 Port authority commission, application to seaway port authority. Subdivision 1. A commission to be known as "Port Authority of _____" is hereby established in and for every city of the state which has, or shall have over 50,000 inhabitants and which is or shall be situated upon, or adjacent to, or which embraces or shall embrace within its boundaries, in whole or in part a port or harbor located on a navigable lake or stream. Sections 458.09 to 458.19 are expressly declared to be applicable to all such cities, whether now or hereafter existing under a charter framed and adopted under the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, Article 4, Section 36, or not. Those port authorities now or hereafter having jurisdiction over harbors located on the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence seaway system shall be known and are referred to in Sections 458.09 to 458.19 as seaway port authorities. ~~Any such~~ A port authority shall be a body politic and corporate in the State of Minnesota with the right to sue and be sued in the names above designated. ~~Any such~~ A port authority shall also be considered a governmental subdivision within the meaning of Minnesota Statutes, section 282.01. The exercise by any such authority or commission of any of its powers shall be deemed and held to be essential governmental functions of the State of Minnesota, but any such authority shall not be immune from liability by reason thereof.

Approved April 14, 1961.

CHAPTER 358—S. F. No. 1437

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing participation by the county of Morrison and the city of Little Falls in providing a municipal courtroom in the courthouse.

Changes or additions indicated by *italics*, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.