

CHAPTER 355

COMMISSION ON INTERSTATE COOPERATION

355.01 SENATE COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE COOPERATION ESTABLISHED.

L. 1937, c. 315, establishes the Minnesota commission on interstate cooperation to represent the state in the council of state governments and to formulate proposals for numerous phases of interstate cooperation. The commission consists of 15 members. The senate and house committees are also designated as senate and house councils of the American legislator's association. The council of state governments is declared to be a joint governmental agency of this and of other states which cooperate through it. Prior to the enactment of chapter 315, 25 other states had enacted similar laws. The problems to be considered by the council of state governments are those of an interstate character not falling within federal jurisdiction. Among the model uniform acts drafted and recommended by the council and for the most part adopted and enacted by the several states are (1) reciprocal cooperations between states on matters of extradition and its waiver, (2) close pursuit of criminals, (3) compulsory attendance of out-of-state witnesses in criminal proceedings, and (4) out-of-state parolee supervision. 22 MLR 237.