LEGISLATIVE BILL 377

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Introduced by Judiciary Committee, Nichol, 48, Chmn.; Stoney, 4; Pirsch, 10; Wagner, 41; Haberman, 44

AN ACT to amend section 24-212, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, and section 24-209, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1978, relating to Supreme Court Reports; to change the distribution of such reports; to provide for microform copies; to provide that the Supreme Court prescribe the price for such reports and copies; and to repeal the original sections.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 24-209, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1978, be amended to read as follows:

24-209. The Supreme Court Reports shall be deposited in the State Library. Copies thereof shall be distributed by the librarian to each judge of the Supreme, district, county, and municipal courts, to county court, to each county law library, to each and territorial library, to each officer of the executive department of this state, to the Clerk of the Legislature, and to each judge of the United States District and Circuit Courts of this state; to the Nebraska Workmen's Compensation Court, two copies; to the Legislative Council, two copies; to the library of the College of Law of the University of Nebraska, as provided in sections 85-176 and 85-177; and to the Nebraska Publications Clearinghouse, eight copies. One complete set of Supreme Court Reports and one volume of all subsequent reports shall be furnished to each judge of a separate juvenile court by the State Librarian. The balance of said such reports shall be sold as called for at the-rate-of-five-dollars-per-volume such price as shall be prescribed by the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court shall also prescribe the price for microform copies of the reports. The money arising from such sales shall be paid into the General Fund of the state treasury.

Sec. 2. That section 24-212, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, be amended to read as follows:

24-212. It shall be the duty of the Reporter of the Supreme Court to prepare the opinions of said court for publication as fast as they are delivered to him or

her, and when sufficient material is accumulated to form a volume of not less than nine hundred pages, he or she shall cause the same to be printed, and bound in a good and substantial manner, equal to Volume 50 of said Reports. He or she shall deliver one thousand copies of each volume to the State Librarian, and upon a presentation of proper vouchers to the Director of Administrative Services, he or she shall draw his or her warrant in payment thereof. The copyright of each volume shall be entered by said reporter for the benefit of the state, and all papers relating thereto shall be filed and recorded in the office of the Secretary of State. The title of the volume shall be Nebraska Reports, which, with the number of the volume, shall be printed on the back of each volume, and the reports of every case must show the name of the judge writing the opinion, the names of the judges concurring therein, and the names of the judges, if any, dissenting from said opinion. The reporter-may-sell-the-stereotyped-plates-of-the--Webraska Reports-now--on--hand; --with--the--approval--and--in--the discretion-of-the-Supreme-Courty-the-proceeds-to-be--paid to-the-State-Treasurer-and-credited-to-the-fund--for--the printing-of-the-Nebraska-Reports --- He The reporter shall also edit and arrange for publication, in the form -- of pocket-parts-to-the Statutes of Nebraska, at such times as the Revisor of Statutes may request, annotations of the decisions of the Supreme Court of Nebraska and the federal courts and transmit them to the Revisor of Statutes. With the approval of the Supreme Court, the reporter may arrange for microform reproduction of the published reports and furnish them to the State Librarian for sale.

Sec. 3. That original section 24-212, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, and section 24-209, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1978, are repealed.