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REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

TO THE MINNESOTA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

Your Committee recommends:

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Association approve and recommend for passage by the
1945 Legislature the three (3) bills hereto attached and which for
convenience may be referred to as follows, viz.:

(1) A Bill for an Act to Prescribe Uniform Rules of Practice
for Administrative Agencies.

(2) A Bill for an Act Relating to the Filing, Codification and
Publication of Rules, Regulations and Orders of State Adminis-
trative Agencies.

(3) A Bill for an Act to Abolish certain Prerogative Writs and
enacting a Civil Practice Act in lieu thereof.

Your Committee reports:

REPORT

Your Committee has held two (2) meetings at which the recommenda-
tions of last year’s Committee were followed, viz.:

1. We continued a study of the bills above referred to; and
2. We studied the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act recommended
by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.

The above matters were also studied individually by the members of
your Committee as time and opportunity permitted.

At a meeting of the Committee held on December 11, 1943, a Drafting
Committee, consisting of Monte Appel of St. Paul, Chairman, Stanley
B. Houck of Minneapolis and Charles E. Houston of St. Paul, was ap-
pointed and the bills attached are the result of their work. At the meeting
of the Committee held on April 15, 1944, the bills referred to were approved
by the Committee.

There are now not less than fifty-three (53) State Boards or Agencies
which administer, pass upon and decide matters between the citizen and
the State, many of which are of great importance. The number and scope
of Administrative Boards and Agencies continues to increase. Your Com-
mittee, therefore, is of the opinion that there should be uniformity of rules
and procedures and that the rules, regulations and orders of the many State
Administrative Boards and Agencies should be available in convenient and
authoritative form for the Public and the Profession.

Bill number three (3), above referred to, was referred at the meeting
of the Committee on December 11, 1943 to the Committee on Jurisprudence
and Law Reform for its consideration. We have been informed that said
Committee has approved said bill and that it will join with us in recom-