

CHAPTER 210—H. F. No. 852

An act relating to equal representation between non-stock and stock insurance companies on the committees of the Minnesota compensation rating bureau; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 70.14.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 70.14, is amended to read as follows:

70.14. Representation. Each class of insurers, stock companies, mutual companies, and interinsurers, which are members of the bureau shall be represented in the bureau management and on committees, as provided in the by-laws, but the *non-stock* and *stock* companies shall have equal representation on the governing or managing committee and on the rating committee of the bureau. One-half of the members of each committee shall be chosen by the *non-stock* companies and one-half by the *stock* companies. Each member company shall be entitled to one vote. In case of a tie vote upon any committee, the board shall cast the deciding vote.

Approved April 2, 1947.

CHAPTER 211—H. F. No. 905

An act relating to the powers and duties of the director of public institutions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 246.01.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 246.01, is amended to read as follows:

246.01. Powers and duties vested in board of control transferred to director of public institutions. The director of public institutions is hereby specifically constituted the guardian of both the estate and person of all feeble-minded and epileptic persons, the guardianship of whom has heretofore been vested in the state board of control or in the director of social welfare whether by operation of law or by an order of court without any further act or proceeding, and all the powers and duties vested in or imposed upon the state board of control or the director of social welfare, with reference to

mental testing of persons feeble-minded, epileptic or mentally ill on parole from state institutions, and with reference to the institutions of the state of Minnesota except the state sanatorium for consumptives, are hereby transferred to, vested in, and imposed upon the director of public institutions, and in relation thereto said director is hereby charged with and shall have the exclusive power of administration and management of all of the following state institutions: The state prison, the state reformatory for men, the state training school for boys, the school for the feeble-minded, state hospitals and asylums for the insane, the Minnesota Braille and sightsaving school, the state school for the deaf, the state public school for dependent children, the state epileptic colony, the state hospital for indigent, crippled, and deformed children, the state hospital for inebriates, the home school for girls, and the state reformatory for women. The director shall have power and authority to determine all matters relating to the unified and continuous development of all of the foregoing institutions and of such other institutions, the supervision of which may, from time to time, be vested in the director. It is intended that there be vested in the director all of the powers, functions, and authority heretofore vested in the state board of control relative to state institutions, except the state sanatorium for consumptives. *The director shall have the power and authority to accept, in behalf of the state, contributions and gifts not exceeding \$25 for the use and benefit of the inmates of said public institutions, and the amount so received and accepted shall be credited to the amusement account.*

It shall be the duty of the several directors to actively cooperate, each with the other, in establishing an efficient working relationship relative to the care and supervision of individuals both prior to and after departure from institutions *hereinabove* mentioned.

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CHAPTER 212—H. F. No. 955

An act relating to the transportation of certain persons to public institutions, and amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Sections 252.06 and 252.07.

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