with file in writing with the director the reasons for such rejection and shall furnish to the rejected veteran a copy thereof.

Approved March 31, 1949.

## CHAPTER 223—S. F. No. 170 [Not Coded]

An act relating to radio broadcasting stations with mobile units to be used for police purposes; their establishment, maintenance and equipment by any county now or hereafter having a population of 500,000 or more; and the extension of radio service to certain municipalities and counties; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 371, Sections 2 and 3.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 371, Section 2, is amended to read as follows:

- Sec. 2. Facilities extended; charges on cost basis. Any county owning and maintaining a broadcasting station under the provision of Section 1, may, subject to the rules and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission, extend the facilities thereof to any village or city, except cities of the first class, located within the county, and to any adjoining county and any village or city therein, except cities of the first class, upon application of the governing body thereof to the county board requesting police radio communication service; provided that all mobile radio equipment and apparatus for two-way communication used for or in connection with such extended service shall be owned, maintained and serviced by the county owning the broadcasting station. Charges for the service extended to counties and municipalities shall be made on a cost sharing basis.
- Sec. 2. Laws 1947, Chapter 371, Section 3, is amended to read as follows:
- Sec. 3. Sheriff radio and maintenance fund. All monies received as charges for the service rendered under the provi-

sions of Section 2 shall be kept in a fund to be designated "Sheriff Radio and Maintenance Fund," shall not be transferred or apportioned to any other fund, and shall be used for no other purpose than the purchase of radio equipment and maintenance of radio equipment and apparatus.

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## CHAPTER 224—S. F. No. 636

[Coded as Sections 566.18, 566.19, 566.20, 566.21]

An act relating to unlawful detainer actions and to the issuance of writs of restitution therein in certain cases during an emergency declared to exist.

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

Section 1. Declaration of emergency involving housing accommodations; stay of issuance of writ of restitution in unlawful detainer actions. The legislature hereby finds that a serious public emergency exists in the housing of a considerable number of persons in the State of Minnesota, which emergency has been created by the recent wars, the effects of those wars, and the aftermath of hostilities; that this emergency has produced an acute shortage in housing accommodations; that, while a measure of protection is furnished to tenants of housing accommodations by existing federal laws and regulations, a large number of evictions have been and are taking place which are lawful under those federal laws and regulations but which have caused and are causing extreme hardship in numerous cases by reason of the fact that the persons so evicted are unable to secure other housing accommodations and the lives and health of those persons are imperiled by exposure to the conditions of winter; that this condition will continue during the next several months; that the present laws relating to unlawful detainer permit the immediate issuance and execution of writs of restitution except in cases of appeal; that the remedy by appeal is not sufficient because in many cases the evicted person is unable to furnish bond, or, if able to furnish bond, is required, in order to secure a stay, to take an appeal which may be groundless, thereby burdening the courts and causing needless expense to the public; that, by reason of the foregoing, the public health, safety and