and derivatives including liquified hydrocarbons by pipeline as a common carrier, is authorized to acquire, for the purpose of such business, easements or rights of way, over, through, under or across any lands, not owned by the state or devoted to a public purpose for the construction, erection, laying, maintaining, operating, altering, repairing, renewing and removing in whole or in part, a pipeline for the transportation of crude petroleum, oil, their related products and derivatives including liquified hydrocarbons. To such end it shall have and enjoy the right of eminent domain to be exercised in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 117, and acts amendatory thereof, all of which provisions shall govern insofar as they may be applicable hereto. Nothing herein shall be construed as authorizing the taking of any property owned by the state, or any municipal subdivision thereof, or the acquisition of any rights in public waters except after permit, lease, license or authorization issued pursuant to law.

Approved May 15, 1971.

CHAPTER 323—S.F.No.1349

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the park and recreation department of the city of Minneapolis; special assessments for public improvements on park and recreation department property in the city of Minneapolis.

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

- Section 1. MINNEAPOLIS, CITY OF; PARK PROPERTY; SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS. Whenever the city of Minneapolis undertakes any public improvement to be financed in whole or in part by levying special assessments against the property benefited, the city council may determine the amount that would have been assessed against any property owned or under control of the governing body of the park and recreation board of the city of Minneapolis the same as if the property were privately owned. Such determination shall be made only after the city council has held a hearing on the proposed assessment after at least two weeks' notice by certified mail to the secretary of the park and recreation board.
- Sec. 2. PAYMENT OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT. After the hearing on the proposed assessment of the park and recreation board property, the governing body of the park and recreation board may pay the amount on any portion thereof so determined to be of benefit

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to its property or as determined to be the measure of the benefit to its property by the park and recreation board itself. Any amounts paid hereunder may be paid in annual installments for the number of years that the city has levied the special assessment for the public improvement.

- Sec. 3. In addition to any tax levying authority existing in the charter or any existing statute, the governing body of the park and recreation board may levy upon the real and personal property of the city of Minneapolis a tax sufficient to raise the amount determined to be of benefit to its property which the park and recreation board has agreed to pay. The amount of such levy shall be subject to the supervision of any fiscal control agency which is now or hereafter provided in the charter of any such city.
- Sec. 4. This act shall become effective upon approval by a majority of the governing body of the park and recreation board of the city of Minneapolis and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

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CHAPTER 324—S.F.No.2322

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the conducting of a survey and study to design a program for the counseling, retraining, and placement of unemployed professionals; appropriating money therefor.

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

- Section 1. UNEMPLOYMENT; ENGINEERS AND OTHER PROFESSIONALS; SURVEY. There is hereby appropriated the sum of \$7,800 out of the general fund to the Minnesota department of manpower services for the purpose of conducting a survey and a study on the scope of the unemployment problem of professional engineers and other unemployed professionals and the design of a program for their counseling, retraining, and placement.
- Sec. 2. The Minnesota department of manpower services shall have authority to contract for all or any part of the services it deems necessary to conduct the survey and study described in the foregoing section.

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