

shall not be included in the net debt of any school district.

Sec. 2. This act is effective on the day following its final enactment.

Approved April 20, 1977.

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**CHAPTER 31—H.F.No.558**

*An act relating to snowmobiles; providing for operation on certain highways; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 84.87, Subdivision 3.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 84.87, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **SNOWMOBILES; COUNTY STATE AID HIGHWAYS; REGULATIONS BY POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS.** Notwithstanding anything in this section to the contrary, a county board may by resolution permit the operation of snowmobiles upon the roadway, shoulder, or inside bank or slope of any county highway or county state aid highway if safe operation in the ditch or outside bank or slope thereof is impossible, in which case the county board shall cause appropriate notice thereof to be given.

Any county, city, or any town acting by its town board, may regulate the operation of snowmobiles on public lands, waters, and property under their jurisdiction and on streets and highways within their boundaries by resolution or ordinance of the governing body and by giving appropriate notice, provided such regulations are not inconsistent with the provisions of sections 84.81 to 84.88 inclusive and rules and regulations, promulgated thereunder. However, no such governmental unit may adopt an ordinance which (1) imposes a fee for the use of public land or water under the jurisdiction of either the commissioner of natural resources or any other agency of the state, or for the use of any access thereto owned by the state, or a county or city; or (2) require a snowmobile operator to possess a motor vehicle driver's license while operating a snowmobile.

Approved April 20, 1977.

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**CHAPTER 32—H.F.No.21**

*An act relating to elections; providing that certificates of election to the legislature be sent to the legislature and returned to the member; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 204A.54, Subdivision 1.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

**Changes or additions indicated by underline deletions by ~~strikeout~~**