- (5) Fox, provided that no fox may be removed from a den or trapped within 300 feet of a fox den during the period from April 1 and ending August 31 of each year;
- (6) Fisher and, badger, opossum, and pine marten, based upon population estimates within the state.
- Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 100.27, subdivision 4, is amended to read:
- Subd. 4. Muskrats may be taken for a period not exceeding 90 days in the aggregate for the area, otter for a period not exceeding 45 30 days, only by trapping, and mink for a period not exceeding 90 days, in the areas of the state, during the times between October 25th and April 30th of the following year and subject to any other restrictions which the commissioner shall prescribe. Beaver may be taken, by trapping only, in the areas of the state, during the times between October 25th and April 30th of the following year and subject to any other restrictions which the commissioner shall prescribe.
- Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 100.29, subdivision 15, is amended to read:
- Subd. 15. It shall be unlawful to take any raccoon in any manner in a den or hollow tree or cut down any tree inhabited or occupied by raccoon; of to set any trap for raccoon in any muskrat runway; or to set fire to any tree or use smoke to take raccoons or squirrels.
- Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 100.29, subdivision 25, is amended to read:
- Subd. 25. It shall be unlawful to tend any trap set for wild animals between the hours of 6:00 7:00 p.m. and 6:00 5:00 a.m.
 - Sec. 7. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective the day after final enactment.

Approved May 21, 1985

CHAPTER 171 — H.F.No. 1235

An act relating to state lands; authorizing conveyance of certain state trail lands no longer needed for trails; repealing a prior land conveyance; amending Laws 1981, chapter 190, section 3; repealing Laws 1984, chapter 502, article 13, section 15.

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

Section 1. Laws 1981, chapter 190, section 3, is amended to read:

Changes or additions are indicated by underline, deletions by strikeout.

Sec. 3. CONVEYANCE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY.

The commissioner of natural resources, in the name of the state, may convey to adjoining property owners by quitclaim deed, at not less than the appraised value, the following described real property, which is part of the Heartland Trail identified in Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, subdivision 12, when the state's title has been clarified either through litigation or land exchange:

A strip of land 100 feet in width extending over and across Government Lots Four (4) and Five (5), the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE 1/4 SW 1/4) and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE 1/4 NW 1/4) of Section Nine (9); Government Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4) and Five (5) and the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4 SW 1/4) of Section Sixteen (16); Government Lots One (1) and Two (2) and the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW 1/4 NE 1/4) of Section Twenty (20); Government Lot One (1), of Section Twenty-one (21); said strip of land being 50 feet in width on each side of the center line of the main track, now removed, of the former Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, now Burlington Northern Incorporated, as originally located and established over and across said Sections Nine (9), Sixteen (16), Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21), Township One Hundred Forty-three (143) North, Range Thirty-one (31) West, and any other lands which are not needed for trail purposes.

The deed conveyances shall be in a form approved by the attorney general.

Sec. 2. REPEALER.

<u>Laws 1984, chapter 502, article 13, section 15, is repealed, and notwith-standing Minnesota Statutes, section 645.35, is void from the time of its enactment.</u>

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective the day following final enactment.

Approved May 21, 1985

CHAPTER 172 - S.F.No. 45

An act relating to drainage; recodifying the drainage law; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, sections 40.072, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, 6, and 9; 40.073; 88.43, subdivision 2; 97.484; 97.50, subdivision 1; 105.42, subdivision 1; 105.471; 105.74; 105.81; 111.09, subdivision 2; 111.11; 111.13; 111.30; 111.31; 111.36; 111.78; 112.431, subdivision 2; 112.48, subdivision 1; 112.50; 112.501, subdivision 1; 112.541; 112.59; 112.60, subdivisions 1, 2, and 3; 112.64, subdivisions 2 and 3; 112.65, subdivision 1; 161.28, subdivision 1; 163.17; 357.021, subdivision 2; 375.471; 471.345, subdivision 3; 473.877, subdivision 1; and 473.878, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 106A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1984, chapter 106 and section 109.38.

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