CHAPTER 152-H.F.No. 751

An act relating to insurance; regulating trade practices; prohibiting certain insurance agent quotas; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 60A.

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

Section 1. [60A.178] LIFE OR HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY QUOTAS.

No insurer, its officers, or managers shall require licensed property and casualty agents to sell a specified number of life or health insurance policies or a specified dollar amount of life and health insurance as a condition of selling property-casualty insurance. No insurer, its officers, or managers may reduce or restrict an agent's underwriting authority on property-casualty insurance policies based upon the sale of life or health insurance. The provisions of this section do not apply to agents who are directly employed by the insurer or who write 80 percent or more of their gross annual insurance business for one company or any or all of its subsidiaries.

Presented to the governor May 9, 1995

Signed by the governor May 10, 1995, 10:15 a.m.

CHAPTER 153-H.F.No. 1709

An act relating to the city of Chanhassen; authorizing certain bid specifications for playground equipment on an experimental basis.

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

Section 1. CITY OF CHANHASSEN; EXPERIMENTAL BID SPECIFICATIONS FOR PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT ACQUISITIONS.

Subdivision 1. PURPOSE. For the purpose of providing more creativity in the design and functioning of city playgrounds, at the lowest practical cost to its citizens, the city of Chanhassen may use the authority provided in this section to acquire playground equipment.

Subd. 2. MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS. Notwithstanding any contrary provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section 412.491 to 412.531, 429.041, 471.345, 471.35, or any other law, the city of Chanhassen may prepare specifications which may be used to advertise for bids and award contracts to the bidder of its choice for playground equipment, as follows. These specifications must, at a minimum, specify the location and area of the playground, its general topography and surface characteristics, the age group to be served by the playground, and a requirement that each bidder submit a design proposal for the playground

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