

experts employed by utilities, experts from other states that have begun to implement policies for utilizing indigenous, sustainable energy sources, experts from public advocacy groups, and others to be determined by the task force. The task force shall request the group of experts to assist it in publicly examining and analyzing information received from the independent experts and in preparing the report required in paragraph (c).

(c) By January 15 July 1, 1996, the task force shall submit a report to the chairs of the committees in the house and in the senate that have responsibility for energy and for environmental and natural resources issues that contains an overview of plans and analyses that have been prepared, a critique of how those plans and analyses will assist in implementation of the energy conservation and sources for generation policies and goals in chapters 216B and 216C, and specific recommendations for legislative action that will ensure development and implementation of electric energy policy that will provide the state with adequate, sustainable, and economic electric power for the long term while utilizing, to the maximum reasonable extent, energy resources that are available or producible within the state and while developing, maintaining, and strengthening a viable and robust energy and utility infrastructure.

(d) By September 15, 1995, the task force shall submit to the chairs of the committees specified in paragraph (c), a preliminary report that provides:

(1) an overview of the current status of energy planning and implementation of those plans by state agencies and utilities, along with an analysis of the extent to which existing statutory energy policies and goals are being met for electric energy consumed in the state;

(2) an analysis of and any recommendations for adjustments to the specific targets set in subdivisions 4 and 5, relating to energy savings, electric generation sources for replacement and additional capacity needs, and development of wind and biomass energy sources; and

(3) as much information as the task force has been able to gather on future high-level radioactive waste management and transportation, including technologies and costs.

Presented to the governor February 5, 1996

Signed by the governor February 7, 1996, 3:00 p.m.

CHAPTER 267—H.F.No. 2079

An act relating to the city of New Market; permitting the city to incur debt not subject to the general debt limit.

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

Section 1. NEW MARKET DEBT LIMIT.

Bonded indebtedness of the city of New Market incurred for a building to be used for a city hall, fire station, and other public purposes, as approved by the voters of the city

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at an election on November 7, 1995, may be incurred and refunded without being subject to the net debt limit provided by Minnesota Statutes, section 475.53, and shall be disregarded in the calculation of debt subject to that limit.

Sec. 2. LOCAL APPROVAL.

This act takes effect the day after the governing body of the city of New Market complies with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivision 3.

Presented to the governor February 13, 1996

Signed by the governor February 15, 1996, 10:28 a.m.

CHAPTER 268—H.F.No. 2308

An act relating to state government; providing a condition on participation in the state employee combined charitable campaign; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 309.501, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 309.501, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3a. **RELATED ORGANIZATION.** No two federated funding campaigns that are related organizations, as defined in section 317A.011, subdivision 18, may participate simultaneously in the state employee combined charitable campaign.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective July 1, 1996, and applies to participation in all state employee combined charitable campaigns conducted after that date.

Presented to the governor February 13, 1996

Signed by the governor February 15, 1996, 10:30 a.m.

CHAPTER 269—S.F.No. 1862

An act relating to state government; authorizing use of unmarked vehicles by the division of disease prevention and control of the department of health; providing that passenger vehicle classification license plates be issued for those vehicles; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 16B.54, subdivision 2; Minnesota Statutes 1995 Supplement, section 168.012, subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 16B.54, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

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