CHAPTER 169—H.F.No. 634

An act relating to claims against the state; providing for payment of various claims; granting authority to Murray county; designating a lake as a wildlife management lake; appropriating money.

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

Section 1. ATTORNEY GENERAL.

\$11,929.01 is appropriated from the general fund to the attorney general for payment to Eveleth Hospital Corporation, Eveleth, Minnesota, in full and final payment of its claim against the state for expenses related to legal advice given by the attorney general's office. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 2. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS.

Subdivision 1. COMMUNITY SERVICE AND SENTENCING TO SERVICE WORK. The amounts in this subdivision are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of corrections for payment under Minnesota Statutes, section 3.739, to service providers as indicated in full and final payment of claims against the state for medical services provided to individuals who were injured while performing community service or sentencing to service work for correctional purposes. These appropriations are available until June 30, 2002.

- (a) For claims under \$500 each and other claims already paid by the department, \$5,885.39.
- (b) For medical services provided to Carlos Block, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Hennepin county, \$760.85.
- (c) For medical services provided to Timothy Burke, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in McLeod county, \$576.17.
- (d) For medical services provided to Roger Pearson, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Washington county, \$565.92, including reimbursement of \$71.68 to Mr. Pearson for bills he has already paid.
- (e) For medical services provided to Phillip Piper, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Goodhue county, \$1,044.36.
- (f) For medical services provided to James Wagner, who was injured while performing sentencing to service work in Todd county, \$1,585.85.
- Subd. 2. INSTITUTIONAL COMMUNITY WORK CREW PROGRAM. \$2,049.86 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of corrections for payment for medical services provided to Michael Murphy, who was injured while

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participating in the institutional community work crew program. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 3. DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.

\$7,600 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for payment under Minnesota Statutes, section 3.738, as full and final payment of a claim against the state by Kelly James Maurer, who suffered permanent injuries to his left hand while an inmate at the St. Peter Regional Treatment Center. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 4. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

The amounts in this section are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of natural resources for payment to the persons named in this section in full and final payment of claims against the state for the reasons given. These appropriations are available until June 30, 2002.

- (a) Charles G. Born of Janesville, Minnesota, to pay for crop losses caused by the elevated level of Willis Lake \$9,423.25.
- (b) Rex Campbell of Gray Eagle, Minnesota, to pay for income lost because of enforcement of invalid rules \$20,000.
- (c) <u>Leonard Korbel of New Prague, Minnesota, to pay for the reduced value of property subject to an unrecorded easement \$28,300.</u>
- (d) St. Croix Valley Heritage Coalition, Inc., to reimburse that organization for costs it incurred as part of a project entered into in partnership with the department of natural resources which was abandoned because of unique concerns raised by the federal government and Wisconsin officials \$75,000.

Sec. 5. PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION.

\$69,637.02 is appropriated from the general fund to the Public Employees Retirement Association, for the benefit of Deborah Montgomery of St. Paul, Minnesota, in full and final payment of her claim against the state for inadvertent diminution of her pension benefits while she was serving as assistant commissioner of public safety. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 6. DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE.

\$13,098.84 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of revenue for payment to GOCO Salons, Inc. of Minnetonka, Minnesota, in full and final payment of its claim against the state for a sales and use tax overpayment. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

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Sec. 7. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

\$439.52 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of transportation for payment to Joann Danelski of Superior, Wisconsin, in full and final payment of her claim against the state for damage to her car caused by unique circumstances related to actions of an unknown driver who knocked severely deteriorated curbing into the roadway of a highway entrance ramp in Duluth, Minnesota. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2002.

Sec. 8. MURRAY COUNTY.

Murray county may reimburse Howard Van Roekel of Chandler, Minnesota, for property taxes mistakenly overpaid from 1985 through 1995 because of failure to grant homestead classification to all of Mr. Van Roekel's property.

Sec. 9. WILLIS LAKE.

Willis Lake in Waseca county is hereby designated as a wildlife management lake to be managed by the department of natural resources under Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.101, pursuant to the lake management plan prepared by the division of wildlife on April 16, 2001, and pursuant to an agreement with the department of natural resources in resolution of the Charles Born and Waseca county claims in section 4.

Presented to the governor May 21, 2001

Signed by the governor May 24, 2001, 1:58 p.m.

CHAPTER 170—H.E.No. 1155

An act relating to insurance; requiring health plan companies to provide certain information when requested by the commissioner; requiring an affirmative provider consent to participate in a network under a category of coverage; requiring disclosure of changes in a provider's contract; establishing a moratorium on managed care automobile insurance plans; defining health benefit plan for certain purposes; establishing a task force on small business health insurance; repealing the requirement for an action plan; removing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, sections 62D.08, subdivision 5; 62N.25, subdivision 7; 62Q.19, subdivision 1; 62Q.74, subdivisions 2, 3; 256B.692, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 62Q.07.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 62D.08, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. CHANGES IN PARTICIPATING ENTITIES; PENALTY. Every health maintenance organization shall inform the commissioner of any change in the information described in section 62D.03, subdivision 4, clause (e), including any change in address, any modification of the duration of any contract or agreement, and any addition to the list of participating entities, within ten working days of the notification of the change. Any cancellation or discontinuance of any contract or

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