CHAPTER 68—S.F.No. 727

An act relating to adoption; modifying postadoption services requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 259.83, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 259.83, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

- Subd. 1a. SOCIAL AND MEDICAL HISTORY. (a) If a person aged 19 years and over who was adopted on or after August 1, 1994, or the adoptive parent requests the detailed nonidentifying social and medical history of the adopted person's birth family that was provided at the time of the adoption, agencies must provide the information to the adopted person or adoptive parent on the form required under section 259.43.
- (b) If an adopted person aged 19 years and over or the adoptive parent requests the agency to contact the adopted person's birth parents to request current nonidentifying social and medical history of the adopted person's birth family, agencies must use the form required under section 259.43 when obtaining the information for the adopted person or adoptive parent.

Presented to the governor May 16, 2003

Signed by the governor May 20, 2003, 4:50 p.m.

CHAPTER 69—S.F.No. 1282

An act relating to veterans; providing for placement in the capitol area of a statue commemorating Hmong veterans of the campaign in Laos during the Vietnam War.

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

Section 1. STATUE COMMEMORATING HMONG VETERANS.

Subject to approval by the capitol area architectural and planning board, a statue may be placed in the court of honor or at some other place in the capitol area to honor the Hmong veterans of the war in Laos who were allied with American forces during the Vietnam War. The commissioner of veterans affairs shall ensure placement of an appropriate statue as authorized by this section and shall accept contributions from nonstate sources of amounts necessary to pay for the statue and its placement.

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Signed by the governor May 20, 2003, 5:05 p.m.

New language is indicated by underline, deletions by strikeout.