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- (b) Eliminating licenses which no longer serve a useful purpose in regulating business activities:
 - (c) Modifying and combining licenses;
- (d) Determining the need and justification for maintaining a license within the current issuing agency rather than transferring the authority to issue the license to the bureau of business licenses;
- (e) Analyzing and making a recommendation as to whether the enforcement of a current licensing requirement shall be transferred to the bureau of business licenses;
- (f) Determining the structure, budget, duties, and staff complement necessary to perform the licensing activities being transferred to the bureau of licenses;
- (g) Developing an information system which will (1) enable state agencies to efficiently store, retrieve and exchange registration and license information, with due regard to privacy statutes, and (2) enable the bureau of business licenses to issue and renew licenses when appropriate;
- (h) Recommending which licenses should not be issued by the bureau of business licenses; and
- (i) Modifying, simplifying and combining applications and forms required to operate a business within the state.
- Subd. 2. The issuance of all state licenses, including registrations, permits and related requirements, for the operation of a business within Minnesota shall be transferred to the bureau of business licenses between July 1, 1981 and July 1, 1982 unless otherwise provided by law. Enforcement of requirements to obtain or maintain a license shall remain with the agency which formerly issued the license unless otherwise provided by law. When authority to issue or enforce a license is transferred to the bureau of business licenses, the budget and staff necessary to perform those functions shall also be transferred to the bureau of business licenses.

[1979 c 246 s 4]

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Sec. 362A.05 Agreements for reservation of tax increments.

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The authority may enter into an agreement with any county in which a project is to be situated, under which the increment of taxable value of property to be created by the project, over and above the taxable value of the project site as last finally determined before the project was undertaken, may be excluded from the taxable value of property on which the mill rate of taxes is computed in every subsequent year, for so long as may be agreed, but the aggregate mill rate of taxes levied by the county and all other taxing districts on other properties in each such year shall be spread also on the incremental taxable value of the project, and the tax resulting therefrom, when collected, shall be remitted to the authority, and may be pledged, together with charges or special assessments, to pay or guarantee the payment of its bonds, or may be used by the authority for the purposes stated in section 362A.01, subdivision 2. Every county shall have the power by resolution of the county board to do all acts and things necessary for the computation, segregation, and application of tax increments under agreements made with the authority in accordance with this section. This section shall not apply with respect to any project established subsequent to August 1, 1979.

[1979 c 322 s 10]

CHAPTER 363. DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS

Sec. 363.06 Grievances.

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363.06 Grievances.

[For text of subds 1 to 3, see M.S.1978]

- Subd. 4. Inquiry into charge. When a charge has been filed, the commissioner shall promptly inquire into the truth of the allegations of the charge. The commissioner shall make an immediate inquiry when necessary to prevent a charging party from suffering irreparable loss in the absence of immediate action. On each charge the commissioner shall make a determination as to whether or not there is probable cause to credit the allegation of unfair discriminatory practices, and
- (1) If the commissioner shall determine after investigation that no probable cause exists to credit the allegations of the unfair discriminatory practice, the commissioner shall, within ten days of the determination, serve upon the charging party and respondent written notice of the determination. Within ten days after receipt of notice, the charging party may request in writing on forms prepared by the department that the commissioner reconsider his determination. The request shall contain a brief statement of the reasons for and new evidence in support of the request for reconsideration. At the time of submission of the request to the commissioner, the charging party shall deliver or mail to the respondent a copy of the request for reconsideration. The commissioner shall either reaffirm or reverse his determination of no probable cause within 20 days after receipt of the request for reconsideration, and he shall within ten days notify in writing the charging party and respondent of his decision to reaffirm or reverse. A decision by the commissioner that no probable cause exists to credit the allegations of an unfair discriminatory practice shall not be appealed to district court pursuant to section 363.072 or section 15.0424.
- (2) If the commissioner shall determine after investigation that probable cause exists to credit the allegations of unfair discriminatory practices, the commissioner shall serve on the respondent and his attorney if he is represented by counsel, by first class mail, a notice setting forth a short plain written statement of the alleged facts which support the finding of probable cause and an enumeration of the provisions of law allegedly violated. If the commissioner determines that attempts to eliminate the alleged unfair practices through conciliation pursuant to subdivision 5 have been or would be unsuccessful or unproductive, the commissioner shall issue a complaint and serve on the respondent, by registered or certified mail, a written notice of hearing together with a copy of the complaint, requiring the respondent to answer the allegations of the complaint at a hearing before a hearing examiner at a time and place specified in the notice, not less than ten days after service of said complaint. A copy of the notice shall be furnished to the charging party, the attorney general, and the chairman of the board.
- (3) After the commissioner has determined that there is probable cause to believe that a respondent has engaged in an unfair discriminatory practice the commissioner may file a petition in the district court in a county in which the subject of the complaint occurs, or in a county in which a respondent resides or transacts business, seeking appropriate temporary relief against the respondent, pending final determination of proceedings under this chapter, including an order or decree restraining him from doing or procuring an act tending to render ineffectual an order the commissioner may enter with respect to the complaint. The court shall have power to grant temporary relief or a restraining order as it deems just and proper, but no relief or order extending beyond ten days shall be granted except by consent of the respondent or after hearing upon notice to the respondent and a finding by the court that there is reasonable cause to believe that the respondent has engaged in a discriminatory practice. The Minnesota rules of civil procedure shall apply to an application, and the district court shall have authority to grant or deny such relief sought on conditions as it deems just and equitable. All hearings under this section shall be given precedence as nearly as practicable over all other pending civil actions.
- (4) If a lessor, after he has engaged in a discriminatory practice defined in section 363.03, subdivision 2, clause (1), (a), shall lease or rent a dwelling unit to a person who has no knowledge of the practice or of the existence of a charge with respect to the practice, the lessor shall be liable for actual damages sustained by a person by reason of a final order as provided in this section requiring the person to be evicted from the dwelling unit.

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[For text of subds 5 and 6, see M.S.1978]

[1979 c 156 s 1]

CHAPTER 367. TOWN OFFICERS

Sec. 367.41

Constables and peace officer licensing requirements; deputy constables, requirements

367.41 Constables and peace officer licensing requirements; deputy constables, requirements.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.1978]

- Subd. 2. A constable employed or elected by any political subdivision prior to July 1, 1979 shall be licensed by the board with respect to his term of office as if he had met the licensing requirements of the Minnesota board of peace officer standards and training; he shall be licensed by the board with respect to any subsequent and consecutive terms of office if:
- (a) within six months of the commencement of that subsequent and consecutive term of office he has met board selection requirements in effect on January 1; 1979 relating to minimum medical qualifications, past criminal record, and psychological screening;
- (b) within 12 months of the commencement of that subsequent and consecutive term of office he provides proof to the board that he has successfully completed board certified courses or programs in first aid, and firearms training including legal limitations on the justifiable use of deadly force;
- (c) within 24 months of the commencement of that subsequent and consecutive term of office he has successfully passed a board part-time officer licensing examination.

[For text of subds 3 to 5, see M.S.1978]

[1979 c 254 s 1]

CHAPTER 368. TOWNS; SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 368.121

21 Employment of attorney; fees.

368.121 Employment of attorney; fees.

The board of supervisors in any town may employ an attorney and pay up to \$5,000 in attorney's fees annually without an affirmative vote of or approval by the electors of the town.

[1979 c 6 s 1]

CHAPTER 375. COUNTY BOARDS

| Sec. 375.12 375.17 375.34 | Publication of proceedings. Publication of financial statements. Memorial Day, appropriation for obser- | Sec. 375.35 | Appropriation to military service organiza- tions, Memorial Day services. |
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375.12 Publication of proceedings.

Subdivision 1. The county board shall cause the official proceedings of its sessions to be published in some qualified newspaper produced and published in its county, which publication shall be let annually by contract to the lowest bidder, at the first regu-