## CHAPTER 154-S. F. No. 513.

An Act to amend section 708 of the Revised Laws of 1905, relating to separate election and assessment districts and prescribing how any incorporated villages may separate for all purposes from townships and become separate election and assessment districts.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Separation of incorporated villages from townships so as to become separate election and assessment districts.—Section 1. That section 708 of the Revised Laws of 1905 of the State of Minnesota be amended so as to read as follows, to-wit:

Separate election and assessment district.-Anv "708 such village or any other village heretofore organized and incorporated under any general or special law and now existing. not heretofore constituted a separate election and assessment district, may become such by the vote of a majority of its electors casting their ballots upon the question at a special election called for the purpose, or at a general election in the notice whereof the question is plainly submitted. The result of said vote shall be certified by the judges of election to the village council of such village and by said village council to the county auditor, and, if favorable to the change, by him to the secretary of the state. The last named certificate being received and filed in the office of the secretary of state, the change shall at once take effect, and thereafter the electors of said village shall have no vote in the affairs of the town or towns in which the village lies, and said village shall thereupon become and be a separate election and assessment district and in all things separate from such town or towns and be so certified by the county auditor to the state auditor.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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## CHAPTER 155-S. F. No. 631.

An Act to authorize cities in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for acquiring and improving lands for public parks and parkways.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Eight hundred thousand dollar park bonds authorized.— Section 1. Any city in this state now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants is hereby author-