

person, group of persons, organization, association, or society places or assists in placing a child in a private home, not licensed as an infants' home, for adoption or for the purpose of providing the child with a permanent home, written notice thereof shall be given the director of social welfare within 30 days after the date the child was so placed. This notice shall state the name and address of the child; the name and address of the person with whom the child was placed; and such other information regarding the child and such home as is required by the director of social welfare.

Except as provided by Section 313.03, no person, group of persons, organization, association, or society shall solicit, receive, or accept any payment, promise, or compensation, nor shall any person pay or promise to pay or in any manner compensate any such person, group of persons, organization, association, or society, for placing or assisting in placing a child as set forth in this section.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 257.09, is amended to read:

257.09. Violations, penalties. *Any person who violates any provision of sections 257.01 to 257.08 or intentionally makes any false statement or report to the director of social welfare is guilty of a misdemeanor. A second or subsequent offense is a gross misdemeanor.*

Approved April 21, 1951.

CHAPTER 645—S. F. No. 1196

An act relating to the powers of the county board of commissioners, amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 375.19, and validating certain expenditures heretofore made by county boards.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 375.19, is amended to read as follows:

375.19. **Additional powers.** In addition to all other powers now or hereafter by law conferred upon county boards, authority hereby is given to receive and accept for their counties real or personal property by gift, bequest, devise, conveyance, or otherwise from any person whose care, support, treatment, or maintenance, in whole or in part, is or may be chargeable to or furnished or provided by such counties, and to hold or dispose of the same for the benefit of their counties, as by law provided in the case of other county property; to permit use of county equipment for soil conservation projects and to make *annual* expenditures from the general revenue fund for soil conservation purposes not exceeding an aggregate amount of one cent per acre of all lands included within soil conservation districts in the county. *All expenditures made by any county board of commissioners subsequent to May 1, 1947, not exceeding the annual amount herein provided for, are hereby validated.*

Sec. 2. Pending proceedings. This act shall not affect any action or proceeding now pending.

Approved April 21, 1951.

CHAPTER 646—S. F. No. 1488

[Coded as Section 360.1071]

An act relating to the acquisition, construction and improvement of secondary airports by public corporations created pursuant to the provisions of Laws 1943, Chapter 500, as amended.

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

[360.1071] **Section 1. Secondary airports; acquisition, construction, improvement.** In any case where the acquisition, construction, improvement, and operation of an airport by a corporation created pursuant to Laws 1943, Chapter 500, as amended, shall have resulted in conflict with or damage to airport property in existence and in operation at the time of such acquisition and construction, the owner of such airport property may petition the corporation for relief, and upon the