

*Highway No. 92 to the junction with Trunk Highway No. 2; thence westerly along Trunk Highway No. 2 to the junction with Trunk Highway No. 32; thence northerly along Trunk Highway No. 32 to the junction with Trunk Highway No. 11; thence Northeast along Trunk Highway No. 11 to the east line of Range 43 W. to the Minnesota-Canadian Border; thence easterly along said Border to Lake Superior.*

Subd. 2. **Gross weight formula.** Except as provided in subdivision 4 of this section, no vehicle or combination of vehicles equipped with pneumatic tires shall be operated upon the highways of this State where the total gross weight on any two or more consecutive axles of any vehicle or combination of vehicles exceeds the product of the coefficient named below multiplied by the sum of 40 plus the distance in feet between the first and last axles of the group of axles under consideration. A coefficient of 650 shall be used where the distance between the first and last axles of the group of axles under consideration is less than 18 feet, and a coefficient of 750 shall be used where the distance is 18 feet or over, *except that from January 1st through March 7th that, haulers of raw and unfinished forest products on highways within the zone described in subdivision 1, paragraph 3 of this act, the coefficient of 780 shall be used in lieu of 650 and the coefficient of 900 shall be used in lieu of 750. This exception shall expire March 7, 1953.*

Sec. 2. Subd. 5. **Construction.** This act shall not be construed so as to limit or restrict the powers and authority of the Commissioner or local authorities, with respect to highways under their jurisdiction, as the same now exist under Section 169.87.

Approved March 6, 1951.

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CHAPTER 40—H. F. No. 105

[Not Coded]

*An act authorizing certain villages to appropriate funds from the earnings of the municipal liquor dispensary to aid in the construction, maintenance and operation of a community hospital.*

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

Section 1. Village liquor store funds, use for hospital. The governing body of any village situated in any county now or hereafter having a population in excess of 14,000, but not more than 16,000 inhabitants, according to the federal census of 1950, and now or hereafter having less than 60 full and fractional congressional townships, and having a taxable valuation of less than \$2,250,000, and operating an on sale and off sale municipal liquor dispensary, may appropriate annually from the liquor dispensary funds not to exceed 20 per cent of the annual net earnings of such municipal liquor dispensary to any duly incorporated non-profit hospital association for the construction, maintenance and operation of a community hospital in any village in such county, open to all residents of such village, and all residents of the county on equal terms.

Approved March 6, 1951.

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CHAPTER 41—H. F. No. 163

*An act relating to in-service education; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 136.036, Subdivision 5.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 136.036, Subdivision 5, is hereby repealed.

Approved March 6, 1951.

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CHAPTER 42—H. F. No. 170

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to the appointment of a chief of police in cities of the fourth class having home rule charter not providing therefor.*