

of the Executive Council, may establish by regulation categories of supplies, materials, or equipment which may be purchased in the open market, provided that the Commissioner of Administration shall certify after investigation that he cannot secure competitive bids therefor. The executive council may withdraw its approval of the establishment of any such category and thereupon purchases thereof shall be made in the manner otherwise provided by law.

Approved March 7, 1955.

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CHAPTER 111—H. F. No. 246

*An act relating to the location and establishment of Route Number 109, a trunk highway; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 160.65.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 160.65, Route No. 109, is amended to read as follows:

*Route No. 109.* Beginning at the terminus of Route No. 45 on the easterly limits of the city of St. Paul, thence extending into St. Paul in a southwesterly direction to connect with Route No. 102 as herein established.

Approved March 7, 1955.

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CHAPTER 112—H. F. No. 416

*An act relating to unclaimed and unredeemed animals; regulating the use thereof; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 35.71, Subdivisions 2 and 3.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 35.71, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Application for license.** Such institutions may apply to the board for a license to obtain animals from establishments as defined in subdivision 3. If, after investigation, the board finds that the institution making request for license is a fit and proper agency within the meaning of this section, to receive a license, and that the public interest will be served thereby, it may issue a license to such institution