

CHAPTER 580—H. F. No. 1543

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing certain towns to incur indebtedness and issue bonds for building purposes without regard to certain limitations prescribed by Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 275.10.

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

Section 1. Towns, community recreation building; bonds. Any town having an assessed valuation of real and personal property in excess of \$19,500,000 and a population according to the 1950 Federal census of not more than 3,000 inhabitants, including the population of a village not separated from such town for assessment and election purposes, may incur indebtedness and issue bonds to construct and equip a community building for recreational purposes in an amount not exceeding \$37,500. Such bonds shall be issued pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1953, Chapter 475. Taxes may be levied for the payment of such bonds and interest thereon, and, notwithstanding any other provisions of law, such portion of the tax levies for the payment of said bonds as does not exceed 50 percent of the principal and interest of such bonds and in no event in excess of an aggregate amount of \$12,500 and interest thereon may be made in excess of any limitations provided by law.

Sec. 2. Town and village not separated from town may join in recreation building. Where such town operates a program of recreation pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 471.15 to 471.19 in conjunction with a village not separated from such town for assessment and election purposes and having an assessed valuation in excess of \$2,000,000, such town and village may join together in the construction and maintenance of such community building for recreational purposes for the use of the inhabitants of each of such municipalities upon such terms and manner as they may mutually agree.

Approved April 20, 1955.

CHAPTER 581—H. F. No. 873

[Not Coded]

An act relating to fees of court reporters in the second judicial district of this state; amending Laws 1923, Chapter 77, Section 10.

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

Section 1. Laws 1923, Chapter 77, Section 10, is amended to read:

Sec. 10. **Transcripts, fees.** In addition to such salaries each reporter, including the chief reporter, may charge for one transcript of his record ordered by any person other than the judge not to exceed 15 cents per folio thereof and not to exceed five cents per folio for each manifold or other copies thereof when so ordered that they can be made with such original transcript.

Approved April 20, 1955.

CHAPTER 582—H. F. No. 933

An act relating to chauffeurs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 168.39.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 168.39, is amended to read:

168.39 **Chauffeurs, licenses.** No person shall drive a motor vehicle as a chauffeur upon any public highway in this state unless he be licensed by the secretary of state, as provided by this chapter, except that a non-resident chauffeur, registered under the provisions of the law of the country, state, territory or district of his residence, operating such motor vehicle temporarily within this state not more than 60 days in any one year, and while wearing the badge assigned to him as such chauffeur in the country, state, territory or district of his residence, shall be exempt from such license requirements. No person, whether licensed or not, who is an habitual user of narcotics or who is under the influence of intoxicating liquors or narcotics, shall drive any vehicle upon any highway.

The term "chauffeur," as used in section 168.39 to 168.45, means and includes:

(1) Every person, including the owner, who operates a motor vehicle while it is in use as a carrier of persons or property for hire;

(2) Every person who is employed for the principal purpose of operating a passenger vehicle;

(3) Every employee who, in the course of his employment, operates upon the streets or highways a truck, tractor,