

CHAPTER 651—S. F. No. 443

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An act extending the existence of the commission established by Laws 1953, Chapter 691; appropriating funds therefor.

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

Section 1. **Toll free bridge commission.** The commission created by Laws 1953, Chapter 691, is continued in existence until the adjournment sine die of the regular 1957 session of the legislature.

Sec. 2. **Membership.** The membership of the commission shall consist of three members of the Senate, to be appointed by the Committee on Committees, and four members of the House of Representatives, to be appointed by the Speaker. Vacancies in the membership of the commission shall be filled by the appointing authority.

Sec. 3. **Appropriation.** The sum of \$2,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to the commission from the general revenue fund.

Approved April 21, 1955.

CHAPTER 652—S. F. No. 822

An act relating to occupational diseases; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 176.011, Subdivision 15.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 176.011, Subdivision 15, is amended to read:

Subd. 15. **Occupational disease.** "Occupational disease" means a disease arising out of and in the course of employment peculiar to the occupation in which the employee is engaged and due to causes in excess of the hazards ordinary of employment *and shall include undulant fever*. Ordinary diseases of life to which the general public is equally exposed outside of employment are not compensable, except where such diseases follow as an incident of an occupational disease, or where the exposure peculiar to the occupation makes such disease an occupational disease hazard. A disease arises out of the employment only if there be a direct causal connection between the conditions under which the work is performed and