or like insignia required by the laws of such state, district, territory or country shall be exempt from the provisions of this chapter during the first sixty days of residence of the owner in this state; provided, however, such vehicles shall become subject to the provisions of this chapter immediately upon transfer of the ownership of such vehicles or upon expiration of the registration.

Approved April 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 152-H. F. No. 497

[Not Coded]

An act relating to public utilities in the City of Cloquet.

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

Section 1. Cloquet, public utilities. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, the city council of the city of Cloquet shall have power to provide for the lighting of streets, and avenues, and public grounds, and buildings, and to purchase, acquire, or establish gas, electric, and other lighting plants, and to furnish gas, heat, and electricity to persons within the city limits on such terms as it may provide; to purchase, procure, or establish water works and to provide water for the use and convenience of the inhabitants of such city, and to prescribe and fix the charge for the same and the manner in which the same shall be paid; and to provide for systems of public transportation within the city and to regulate the operation thereof. It shall also have the power to make contracts with individuals, firms, or corporations for the use of water for protection against fire and other purposes. It shall also have the power to contract with individuals, firms, or corporations for the use of electric or gas light for street lighting and other purposes. Such contracts for water, and electricity, and gas to be made for such time as the council may deem for the best interests of the city, not to exceed 30 years for water, and not to exceed ten years for gas or electricity for street lighting and other public purposes.

Sec. 2. This act takes effect when approved by a majority of the city council of the city of Cloquet.

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