to transportation services in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 128.07, Subdivision 5.

Subd. 2. A school board in a district maintaining a secondary school may by a majority vote provide for the instruction of any resident pupil in a school district in an adjoining state nearer to his place of residence than the school of his resident district, the distances being measured by the usual traveled routes. Any charge for tuition by the district so attended or for transportation shall be paid by the pupil's resident district provided that such pupil shall continue to be a pupil of the district of his residence for the payment of apportionment and other state aids.

Approved April 3, 1959.

## CHAPTER 166—S. F. No. 378

[Coded]

An act prohibiting possession of switchblade knives except in certain cases and providing penalty for violation.

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

- Section 1. [616.415] Switchblades. [Subdivision 1.] No person shall have in his possession any knife with a blade which moves into a fixed open position by mechanical device, known as a switchblade knife; provided that this act shall not apply to such knives which are in a museum or in shipment in interstate commerce by a common carrier or in warehouse stock of a wholesale owner exclusively for shipment to a purchaser situated beyond the boundaries of the state.
- Sec. 2. [Subd. 2.] Any person who violates the provisions of Section 1 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

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## CHAPTER 167—S. F. No. 473

An act relating to sale of buildings owned by the state; permitting sale at public auction in lieu of advertising for bids; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 16.07, by adding a subdivision thereto.

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