

nate employment with any person who is violating the provisions of Laws 1943, chapter 474.

Approved April 20, 1961.

CHAPTER 754—H. F. No. 1644

[Coded]

An act relating to water conservation; declaring the policy of the state with respect to precipitated water.

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

Section 1. [111.82] **Precipitated water, statement of state policy.** It is the policy of the state to promote the retention and conservation of all water precipitated from the atmosphere in the areas where it falls, as far as practicable. Except as otherwise expressly provided, all officers, departments, and other agencies of the state or any of its governmental subdivisions having any authority or means for constructing, maintaining, or operating dams or other works or engaging in other projects or operations affecting such water shall use the same, as far as practicable, so as to effectuate the foregoing policy.

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CHAPTER 755—H. F. No. 1816

[Coded]

An act transferring rural rehabilitation corporation trust funds to the state executive council, and authorizing the state executive council to enter into agreements with the United States government to receive and administer monies for farm loans.

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

Section 1. [9.36] **Rural rehabilitation trust funds, acquisition and administration.** [Subdivision 1.] The State Executive Council as created by Minn. Stat. 1957, c. 15 is hereby authorized and empowered to carry out the purpose and intent of Public Law 499, 81st Congress enacted May 3, 1950, and pursuant thereto to enter into agreements,

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contracts and covenants with the Secretary of Agriculture or such other federal officer or agency as may be provided to receive and administer Rural Rehabilitation Corporation Trust Funds transferred to the State of Minnesota in accordance with the provisions of the aforementioned federal act.

Sec. 2. [Subd. 2.] There is hereby transferred to the State Executive Council for use in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 hereof all of the assets, books, records, functions, powers and authority held or exercised under Public Law 499, 81st Congress, May 3, 1950, by the Minnesota Rural Rehabilitation Corporation.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective from and after the date of its enactment.

Approved April 20, 1961.

CHAPTER 756—H. F. No. 1827

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the village of Littlefork and financing of construction and equipping of a hospital or nursing home in that village.

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

Section 1. **Littlefork, village of; hospital or nursing home.** In addition to any other method of financing authorized by law, the village council of the village of Littlefork in Koochiching County may finance the acquisition or constructing and equipping of a hospital or nursing home including the acquisition of land for the same by executing a loan secured by a mortgage on such property in such amount as the village council deems necessary, payable over a period of not to exceed 20 years and bearing interest at not to exceed six percent per annum.

Sec. 2. Such mortgage may also be renewed from time to time by said village council for such amount and for such time as it deems necessary at not to exceed six percent per annum.

Sec. 3. This act is effective when approved by a ma-

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