

## CHAPTER 13—S. F. No. 195

[Coded]

*An act relating to testamentary additions to trusts.*

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

Section 1. [525.223] **Uniform testamentary additions to trusts act.** [Subdivision 1.] **Testamentary additions to trusts.** A devise or bequest, the validity of which is determinable by the law of this state, may be made by a will to the trustee or trustees of a trust established or to be established by the testator or by the testator and some other person or persons or by some other person or persons, including a funded or unfunded life insurance trust, although the trustor has reserved any or all rights of ownership of the insurance contracts, if the trust is identified in the testator's will and its terms are set forth in a written instrument, other than a will, executed before or concurrently with the execution of the testator's will or in the valid last will of a person who has predeceased the testator, regardless of the existence, size, or character of the corpus of the trust. The devise or bequest shall not be invalid because the trust is amendable or revocable, or both, or because the trust was amended after the execution of the will or after the death of the testator. Unless the testator's will provides otherwise, the property so devised or bequeathed (a) shall not be deemed to be held under a testamentary trust of the testator but shall become a part of the trust to which it is given and (b) shall be administered and disposed of in accordance with the provisions of the instrument or will setting forth the terms of the trust, including any amendments thereto made before the death of the testator, regardless of whether made before or after the execution of the testator's will, and, if the testator's will so provides, including any amendments to the trust made after the death of the testator. A revocation or termination of the trust before the death of the testator shall cause the devise or bequest to lapse.

Sec. 2. [Subd. 2.] **Effect on prior wills.** This act shall not invalidate any devise or bequest made by a will executed prior to the effective date of this act.

Sec. 3. [Subd. 3.] **Uniformity of interpretation.** This act shall be so construed as to effectuate its general purpose to make uniform the law of those states which enact it.

Sec. 4. [Subd. 4.] **Short title.** This act is the uniform testamentary additions to trusts act.

Sec. 5. [Subd. 5.] **Effective date.** This act shall take

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effect upon final enactment, and shall apply to all wills and trusts heretofore or hereafter executed.

Approved February 20, 1963.

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CHAPTER 14—H. F. No. 19

[Not Coded]

*An act to legalize proceedings heretofore adopted by the city council of the city of Willmar in connection with the issuance of street, sewer and water improvement bonds and authorizing the issuance of said bonds to finance improvements heretofore constructed.*

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

Section 1. **Willmar, city of; 1962 improvement bonds; validating.** All proceedings heretofore adopted by the city council of the city of Willmar in the issuance and sale of \$170,000 1962 street, sewer, and water improvement bonds, in order to provide money to finance local improvements heretofore constructed, are hereby legalized and validated, and said bonds, when issued and delivered for value, shall be valid and binding obligations of the city in accordance with their terms, as set forth in the resolutions providing for their issuance and sale, notwithstanding any defects in the proceedings adopted by the council in the authorization and construction of said improvements or in the levy of taxes and special assessments to provide funds to pay said bonds.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of Willmar and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved February 21, 1963.

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CHAPTER 15—H. F. No. 24

[Not Coded]

*An act authorizing the village of Tyler, in Lincoln county, Minnesota, to lease its nursing home and hospital.*

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

Section 1. **Tyler, village of; hospital and nursing home; lease.** Any hospital or nursing home facility owned by the village

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