CHAPTER 813—H. F. No. 1041

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An act relating to buildings financed by public moneys; providing that plans and specifications for the buildings require accessibility and usability for handicapped and aged persons.

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

- Section 1. [73.57] Public buildings, use by handicapped; definitions. Subdivision 1. When used in this act, the following words and phrases have the meanings ascribed to them in this section.
- Subd. 2. "Public building" means any building and the grounds appurtenant thereto, the cost of which is paid for by the state of Minnesota.
- Subd. 3. "Physically handicapped" means sight disabilities, hearing disabilities, disabilities of incoordination, disabilities of aging, and any other disability that significantly reduces mobility, flexibility, coordination, or perceptiveness.
- Subd. 4. "Fire marshal" means the fire marshal of the state of Minnesota.
- Sec. 2. [73.58] Administration. The duty and the power to administer and enforce this act is conferred upon and vested in the fire marshal.
- Sec. 3. [73.59] Specifications and standards. The fire marshal shall promulgate in the manner otherwise provided by law, rules and regulations necessary for or incident to the administration of this act, which among other matters shall prescribe specifications making public buildings constructed after final enactment of this act accessible to and usable by physically handicapped persons. In prescribing the specifications the fire marshal shall set minimum specifications as set forth in the booklet entitled, "American Standard Specifications For Making Buildings and Facilities Accessible To And Usable By The Physically Handicapped," approved by the American Standard Association, Incorporated, on October 31, 1961.
- Sec. 4. [73.60] Approval of plans and specifications. Construction shall not be hereafter commenced of any public building until the plans and specifications of the public building have been approved by the fire marshal, unless the contract therefor was awarded prior to the effective date of this act.

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- Sec. 5. [73.61] Effective date. Subdivision 1. Except as hereinafter provided this act is effective on the first day of July next following its final enactment.
- Subd. 2. The fire marshal may promulgate the rules and regulations provided for in section 3 of this act at any time after the final enactment of this act.

Approved May 22, 1963.

CHAPTER 814-H. F. No 1062

An act relating to the state employees retirement association; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 352.115, Subdivision 3 as amended.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 352.115, Subdivision 3, as amended by Laws 1963, Chapter 383, Section 28, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. State employees retirement association; retirement annuity formula. The member's average salary, as defined in subdivision 2 multiplied by the applicable percentages indicated below shall determine the amount of the retirement annuity to which the member qualifying therefor is entitled:

Years of Allowable Service
(a) First ten years

Percentages at the Rate of: 5/8 of 1 percent per year of service

- (b) Second ten years or completed months of service less than such period
- 7/8 of 1 percent per year of service
- (c) Third ten years or completed months of service less than such period
- 1.66 percent per year of service
- (d) Subsequent years or completed months of service less than such period
- 1.75 percent per year of service

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1963.

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