## CHAPTER 783—H. F. No. 2056

## [Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of Saint Paul and retirement of employees thereof and certain benefits therefor; amending Laws 1963, Chapter 851.

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

Section 1. Laws 1963, Chapter 851, Section 1 is amended to read:

Section 1. St. Paul, city of; civil service employees; retire-Subdivision 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnement. sota Statutes, Sections 197.45, 197.46, and 197.47, or any other prior statute of the state of Minnesota or charter provision of the city of Saint Paul to the contrary, every employee of the city of Saint Paul, other than a city officer elected by the people, who is in the classified service or the unclassified service of the civil service of such city and who has attained the age of 72 years on or prior to the effective date of this act must retire from his employment by said city not later than January 1, 1964, and if he attains the age of 72 in 1964 he shall retire from such employment on the first day of the month next following the month in which he attained the age of 72; if thereafter he attains the age hereinafter stated in the year hereinafter stated or before, he must retire on the first day of January if attaining such age in the prior year and on the first day of the month next following the month in which he attains the age of retirement, to-wit: 71 years of age in 1965, 70 years of age in 1966, 69 years of age in 1967, 68 years of age in 1968, 67 years of age in 1969, 66 years of age in 1970, and 65 years of age in 1971, or any year thereafter; provided, however, that during the years 1964 to 1971 inclusive, any such employee who has attained the age of 65 years may elect to retire from his employment by said city except that none of the foregoing provisions shall be construed as amending or repealing the mandatory retirement provisions of any other law appli-cable to employees of the city of Saint Paul. If a person has reached retirement age as hereinbefore provided prior to the time the provisions of this act become applicable to such person so as to compel his retirement by its terms and provisions, such person shall be required to retire as of the first day of the month following the month in which this act becomes effective.

Subd. 2: The provisions of subdivision 1 of this section do not apply to the following persons: employees of the bureau of police who are members of the St. Paul Police Relief Association; employees of the bureau of fire protection who are members of the

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St. Paul Fire Relief Association; employees of the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph who are members of either of said retirement associations; employees of the board of education who are members of the teachers' retirement fund of St. Paul; officers and employees who are in the unclassified service of the eivil service of the eity.

Sec. 2. Laws 1963, Chapter 851, Section 2, is amended to read:

Sec. 2. Subdivision 1. The city of Saint Paul shall provide to each employee who retires under the conditions of section 1, during retirement, or to the surviving spouse of any such employee, without expense to such employee, insurance protection in such amounts as the city council may deem proper, providing medical and surgical benefits and hospitalization benefits, all for the employee and dependent spouse. Such benefits shall not exceed at any time benefits of similar nature as authorized to employees of the city of Saint Paul. For such benefits for each retired employee, the average monthly premium cost shall be limited to \$14 and in addition the monthly premium cost shall be limited to \$10 for the spouse of such employee. The said city, for the purpose of providing such benefits, is hereby authorized and empowered, by resolution of its governing body, in addition to and in excess of any limitation upon the amount it is otherwise authorized by law to levy as taxes, to levy annually a tax not in excess of two tenths of one mill in any one year, upon each dollar of the assessed valuation thereof, upon all taxable property in said city, exclusive of moneys and credits, which taxes as levied shall be spread upon the tax rolls, and collections thereof shall be paid into the treasury of said city, therein to be allocated therefor and to be disbursed and expended by said city in payment of any such insurance premiums and for no other purpose.

Subd. 2. The provisions of subdivision 1 of this section do not apply to the following persons: employees of the bureau of police who are members of the St. Paul Police Relief Association; employees of the bureau of fire protection who are members of the St. Paul Fire Relief Association; employees of the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph who are members of either of said retirement associations; employees of the board of education who are members of the teachers' retirement fund of St. Paul.

Sec. 3. If any provisions of Laws 1963, Chapter 851 and of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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Sec. 4. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of Saint Paul and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 25, 1965.

## CHAPTER 784—H. F. No. 2119

## [Not Coded]

An act relating to the salaries of county commissioners in Ramsey county; amending Laws 1961, Chapter 676, Section 1.

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

Section 1. Laws 1961, Chapter 676, Section 1, is amended to read:

Section 1. Ramsey county; commissioners; salaries. Effective January 1, 1962, Each member of the board of county commissioners in Ramsey county shall receive an annual salary as fixed by the county board, but not to exceed \$6,000 \$6,500, and the mayor of the city of Saint Paul shall receive a salary as fixed by the county board of Ramsey county not to exceed \$2500 annually for service as ex officio chairman of the county board of Ramsey county, which sum may be retained by him regardless of any provision of charter or other prohibition.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval by the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Sec. 3. This act shall expire on July 1, 1967.

Approved May 25, 1965.

CHAPTER 785-S. F. No. 991

An act relating to drainage and flood control; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 106.021, Subdivision 3.

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

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