

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 256.19, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Verification or declaration.** All statements in the application shall be sworn to or affirmed by the applicant *or a person acting in his behalf*, setting forth that all facts are true in every material point: ~~Upon the filing of such application, the county agency shall make an order fixing a time and place for the hearing thereon. Any applicant or recipient shall have that right to produce any evidence that he desires and be represented by a friend or counsel; or in lieu thereof, the application shall contain the following declaration which shall be signed by the applicant or a person acting in his behalf: "I declare that this application has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true and correct statement of every material point."~~

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#### CHAPTER 163—S. F. No. 302

*An act relating to verification by applicant for aid to disabled; amending Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 245.29, Subdivision 1.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 245.29, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

**245.29 Aid to disabled; application for assistance.** Subdivision 1. **Filing.** An applicant *or a person acting in his behalf*, shall file his application for assistance in writing with the county agency of the county in which he resides at the time of making application in such manner and form as shall be prescribed by the state agency. All statements in the application shall be verified by the applicant *or a person acting in his behalf, or in lieu thereof, the application shall contain the following declaration which shall be signed by the applicant or a person acting in his behalf: "I declare that this application has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true and correct statement of every material point"*. The county agency must notify every applicant of his right to a fair hearing before the state agency on any county agency action on his claim for assistance or failure to act with reasonable promptness thereon, and of the method by which he may obtain a hearing.

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Changes or additions indicated by *italics*, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.