(5)   To the driver, if not the owner of such motor vehicle, when operating the motor vehicle as a driver for hire under circumstances in which the driver is required to be licensed pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 168.39.

Approved April 27, 1967.

CHAPTER 235—S. F. No. 1137

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the board of county commissioners of Hennepin county; increasing the contingency fund; amending Laws 1965, Chapter 533, Section 1.

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

Section 1.   Laws 1965, Chapter 533, Section 1, is amended to read:

Section 1.   **Hennepin county; contingent fund.**   The board of county commissioners of Hennepin county is hereby authorized to appropriate from the general revenue fund of the county annually a sum not to exceed $~~1,000~~ *$5,000* as a contingent fund. All expenditures from such fund shall be made only upon approval of four-fifths of the members of such board for such purposes as they deem for the best interests of the county.

Sec. 2.   *This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the county of Hennepin and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.*

Approved April 28, 1967.

CHAPTER 236—S. F. No. 1473

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of North Mankato, authorizing it to contract with the United States for the control of floods, to acquire property for such purpose and to issue bonds to pay the city's share of the cost.

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

Section 1.   **North Mankato, flood control agreement.**   The city of North Mankato in Nicollet county may enter into an agreement with the United States, through its secretary of the army, or other authorized officer, for the improvement of the Minnesota river at and in the vicinity of said city for flood control, by the construction of a dike, levee, and flood wall systems and appurtenant works. Said city is authorized to:

(a)   Provide, without cost to the United States, all land, easements, and rights of way necessary for the construction of the project;

(b)   Hold and save the United States free from damages due to the construction works;

(c)   maintain and operate all of the works after completion in accordance with regulations prescribed by the secretary of the army;

(d)   make, at its own expense, all necessary changes to buildings, highway bridges and approaches, utilities, including sewers, and related and special facilities; and

(e)   prevent encroachments which would reduce the flood carrying capacity of the existing channel of the Minnesota river within the project limits by, among other things, enjoining or abating the same by action to be brought in the district court.

Sec. 2.   Said city may acquire by purchase, gift, devise or condemnation all lands, easements and rights of way, either within or without its corporate limits, deemed necessary by the common council of said city for such improvement for flood control. In acquiring property for such purpose by exercising the power of eminent domain, the city may proceed under Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 117, and at any time after the bonds provided for in section 3 have been authorized in accordance with that section, shall have all rights of possession and entry conferred in other cases of condemnation by Minnesota Statutes, Section 117.20, Subdivision 7.

Sec. 3.   Said city may issue its general obligation bonds, payable from general ad valorem taxes levied on all taxable property in the city without limitation as to rate or amount, for the purpose of financing its share of the cost of such flood control improvement under such agreement, and may also expend any moneys of the city for such purpose. The issuance of such bonds shall be subject to approval by the voters of the city; but the council may issue such bonds without approval by the voters if the initial resolution for their is-

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suance is adopted by a favorable vote of not less than four-fifths of its members. Such bonds shall not be included in the net debt of the city for the purpose of any limitations thereon set forth in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475. Except as herein provided, the issuance of such bonds shall be governed by said chapter 475.

Sec. 4.   This act shall become effective upon its approval by a resolution adopted by a majority of the members of the common council of said city, and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 28, 1967.

CHAPTER 237—H. F. No. 1254

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the county of Anoka and creating the office of county administrator for Anoka county; specifying his qualifications, term of office and duties.

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

Section 1.   **Anoka county; county administrator.**   In the county of Anoka, the board of county commissioners may appoint a county administrator who shall be the administrative head of the county government, and shall be responsible for the administration of all departments of the county government which the board of county commissioners has the authority to control. He shall be appointed with regard to merit only, and he need not be a resident of the county at the time of his appointment.

Sec. 2.   The county board may fix the compensation of the county administrator.

Sec. 3.   The county administrator shall serve at the pleasure of the board, and his employment may be terminated by the board without notice at any time. If the county administrator is employed on a month to month basis, upon termination of his employment by the county board he shall be compensated for the period of his employment, and, in addition, shall receive an amount equal to three months regular salary.

Sec. 4.   It shall be the duty of the county administrator:

(a)   To see that all the orders, resolutions and regulations of the county board are faithfully executed;

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