

Sec. 2. [171.32] **Action upon information relating to blindness.** Subdivision 1. The commissioner upon receipt of any such information shall take such action as he deems necessary to insure that each such person meets the accepted visual acuity standards required of all driver's license applicants and such further action as required by law or regulation. The driver's license of any person who has been classified as legally blind shall be immediately cancelled.

Subd. 2. Any person who is notified that his driver's license may be cancelled because of a defect of visual acuity pursuant to the provisions of this section may demand and shall receive the standard visual acuity examination required of all driver's license applicants, or may be examined by a qualified physician of his choice.

Subd. 3. The results of any visual acuity examination administered because of information received pursuant to this section may be communicated by the commissioner to the department from which the person received a benefit. The information received by the commissioner pursuant to this section must not be divulged or otherwise made known in any manner except in connection with the cancellation of drivers' licenses, and then only to the person involved whose license is cancelled, and except for statistical purposes which do not reveal the identity of the individuals involved. The record of such person with respect to visual acuity shall be maintained in the same manner as all other driver license records.

Approved May 17, 1967.

CHAPTER 525—H. F. No. 1468

[Not Coded]

An act relating to Independent School District No. 625; amending Laws 1965, Chapter 705, Section 1, Subdivision 11.

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

Section 1. Laws 1965, Chapter 705, Section 1, Subdivision 11, is amended to read:

Subd. 11. **Independent School District No. 625; conversion from special district.** The net debt of the converted district, as such net debt is defined in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475, including that assumed pursuant to ~~subdivision 6~~ *subdivision 5* of this section

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1, shall not be in excess of 20 percent of the assessed value of all taxable property in the converted district, and that portion of Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 475.53, Subdivision 5, as amended, which provides that no independent school district lying wholly or partly within a city of the first class shall issue any obligations running for more than two years, whenever the aggregate of the outstanding obligations of the district equals or exceeds seven and one-half percent of the assessed value of the taxable property within the school district, shall be inapplicable to the converted district.

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the members of the school board of Independent School District No. 625 of the city of St. Paul and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 17, 1967.

CHAPTER 526—H. F. No. 1563

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An act relating to the county of Olmsted; authorizing the institution and operation of an employees' merit award program and the levy of a tax in support thereof.

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

Section 1. Olmsted county; merit award program. Subdivision 1. The board of county commissioners of the county of Olmsted may by resolution institute a program designed to recognize, honor, and reward employees other than elected officials of the county who make unusual contributions to the efficient and economical operation of the county government. If such a program is undertaken the county board shall:

(a) Formulate, establish, and maintain plans to encourage and reward unusual and meritorious suggestions and accomplishments by employees of the county which promote efficiency and economy in the county government;

(b) Appoint committees to consider suggestions and accomplishments of county employees and make recommendations thereon to the county board; and

(c) Render merit awards to county employees in accordance with such plans.

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