Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 375.12, is amended to read:

County boards; publication of proceedings. 375.12 county board shall cause the official proceedings of its sessions to be published in some qualified newspaper printed produced and published in its county, which publication shall be let annually by contract to the lowest bidder, at the first regular session of the board in January each year. In each county whose population exceeds 450,000, the proceedings shall be published in a daily newspaper, and in counties having a population exceeding 250,000 but less than 450,000, the proceedings may be published in any legal newspaper, printed produced and published at the county seat, which newspaper shall be the official newspaper of the county, and in each such county the proceedings shall be published also in one other qualified newspaper printed produced and published in the county outside the county seat. The board may reject any offer if, in its judgment, the public interests so require, and may thereupon designate a newspaper without regard to any rejected offer. In any county whose population exceeds 50,000, and is less than 250,000, the proceedings may be published in one daily and one weekly newspaper at their respective county seats. If the official newspaper of the county shall cease to exist for any reason, except by consolidation with another newspaper, the county board shall have authority to designate another newspaper for the remainder of the year. For the purpose of this section, a newspaper is produced and published in the county if it has in the county its known office of issue, as such term is defined in Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 331.02, and if it does its typographic composition or presswork or both in the county.

Approved May 17, 1967.

CHAPTER 533-H. F. No. 1771

[Coded]

An act relating to savings, building and loan associations.

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

Section 1. [51.52] Savings, building and loan associations; powers of Federal Savings and Loan Associations; approval. Subject to the approval of the commissioner, any Savings and Loan Association organized under this act is hereby vested with all the powers conferred upon a Federal Savings and Loan Association organized

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under the Home Owners Loan Act of 1933, as amended, as fully and completely as if such powers were specifically enumerated and described herein, provided that the same are not specifically prohibited by state law.

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CHAPTER 534-H. F. No. 1868

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the county of Ramsey; authorizing certain improvements to lakes in the county, and the assessing of benefits therefor.

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

- Section 1. Ramsey county; Lake Owasso. Subdivision 1. The county board of Ramsey county may improve Lake Owasso in the county by dredging, improving the shore line, and controlling or destroying harmful or undesirable aquatic vegetation or organisms. No such improvement shall be made without obtaining a permit therefor from the commissioner of conservation as provided by law.
- Subd. 2. The county board may assess benefits for the cost of such improvement, or any part thereof, upon property, both private and public, benefited thereby.
- Subd. 3. The procedure for assessing benefits shall be as prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 429, insofar as the provisions thereof are applicable.
- Sec. 2. This act takes effect upon its approval by the county board of Ramsey county, and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

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CHAPTER 535-H. F. No. 1904

An act relating to revenue bonds issued by port authorities and authorizing the equipping of buildings and structures; amending

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