

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.72, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

16.72 State parking facilities. Subdivision 1. **Powers and duties of commissioner of administration.** No motor vehicle, either privately or publicly owned; may be parked upon any parking lot or facility owned or operated by the state of Minnesota except as authorized by this section. The operation and supervision of all such parking lots and facilities are vested in the commissioner of administration. He may fix and collect rents, charges, or fees in connection with and for the use of any parking lot or facility ~~within the capitol group area~~ so owned and operated by the state *within the cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis; provided, that this shall not apply to any such lot or facility the control of which is vested by law in a state agency other than the department of administration.*

The commissioner may purchase and furnish suitable uniforms for employees of the department who are engaged in activities related to Minnesota Statutes, Section 16.72, and acts amendatory thereof, for which a uniform is desirable and necessary in the opinion of the commissioner. There is annually appropriated to the commissioner, from moneys collected as parking lot rents, charges, and fees, sufficient money to purchase and furnish such uniforms.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.72, Subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. Moneys collected. All moneys collected by the commissioner of administration as rents, charges, or fees in connection with and for the use of any parking lot or facility are appropriated to the commissioner of administration for the purpose of operating ~~and~~, maintaining, *and improving* parking lots or facilities owned or operated by the state of Minnesota and to carry out the purposes of this section.

Approved April 18, 1969.

CHAPTER 153—H. F. No. 1048

An act relating to contracts of counties; emergencies; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 375.21, Subdivision 1.

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

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 375.21, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

375.21 Counties; contracts; emergencies. Subdivision 1. No contract for work or labor, or for the purchase of furniture, fixtures, or other property, or for the construction or repair of roads, bridges, or buildings, the estimated cost or value of which exceeds \$2,500, shall be made by a county board without first advertising for bids or proposals in some newspaper of the county. If, for the purchase of property or for work and labor, two weeks published notice that proposals will be received, stating the time and place, shall be given. If, for the construction or repair of roads, bridges, or buildings, three weeks published notice shall be given. The notice shall state the time and place of awarding the contract and contain a brief description of the work. Every such contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder and duly executed in writing, and the person to whom the same is awarded shall give a sufficient bond to the board for its faithful performance. If no satisfactory bid is received, the board may readvertise. Every contract made without compliance with the provisions of this section shall be void. In case of *an emergency arising from the destruction or impassability of roads or bridges by floods, rain or snow, or other casualty, or of unforeseen injuries to machinery in or connected with public buildings from the breaking or damaging of any county property*, where the public interests would suffer by delay, *such contracts for purchase or repairs may be made without advertising for bids, but in such case the action of the board shall be recorded in its official proceedings.*

Approved April 18, 1969.

CHAPTER 154—H. F. No. 1087

An act relating to the slogan used on state printed matter; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Sections 16.51; 16.52; and 16.53.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.51, is amended to read:

16.51 Agriculture; slogan. On all printed matter ~~printed, used, and distributed by the state of Minnesota, and all departments and officials thereof~~ *department of agriculture*, there shall be printed thereon, wherever practicable, in as conspicuous a place and as prom-

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