

(b) That the action of the director was unwarranted by the evidence before him, or was procured by fraud, coercion or other improper conduct of any party in interest.

The board after receiving any application for review shall order the director to submit to it the record upon which he acted and thereafter, upon that record, may sustain, reverse or modify the action of the director or, in its discretion, may order that further evidence be taken by him to be submitted to the board and considered by it upon its review.

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CHAPTER 190—S. F. No. 893

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An act relating to conservation; authorizing the commissioner of conservation to establish, develop, maintain, and operate recreational areas on public lands under his jurisdiction; authorizing the acquisition of certain interests in lands in connection with trails.

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

Section 1. **[84.029] Conservation; recreational areas on public land. [Subdivision 1.] Establishment, development, maintenance and operation.** In addition to other lawful authority, the commissioner of conservation may establish, develop, maintain, and operate recreational areas, including but not limited to campgrounds, day use areas, trails, and canoe routes, for the use and enjoyment of the public on any state owned or leased land under his jurisdiction. Each employee of the department of conservation, while engaged in his employment in connection with such recreational areas, has and possesses the authority and power of a peace officer when so designated by the commissioner.

Sec. 2. **[Subd. 2.] Acquisition of land for trails.** The commissioner may acquire, by gift, purchase, or lease, easements or other interests in land for trails, and recreational uses related to trails, where necessary to complete trails established primarily in state forests, state parks, or other public land under the jurisdiction of the commissioner.

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