

named in section 1 upon its approval by the majority of the board of commissioners of such county, and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 29, 1969.

CHAPTER 236—H. F. No. 1341

An act relating to agriculture; rules governing application of economic poisons; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 18.033.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 18.033, is amended to read:

18.033 Economic poisons; administration, rules. *Subdivision 1.* The commissioner of agriculture shall administer sections 18.034 to 18.035 and may promulgate rules and regulations necessary to administer those sections and effect their purpose in accordance with Minnesota Statutes 1967, Sections 15.041 to 15.0425, and acts amendatory thereof. *may issue regulations to carry out the provisions of this act and in such regulations may prescribe methods to be used in the custom application of pesticides. The regulations may relate to the time, place, manner and method of application of the pesticides, may restrict or prohibit use of materials in designated areas during specified periods of time and shall encompass all reasonable factors which the commissioner deems necessary to prevent damage or injury to: (1) Plants, including forage plants, on adjacent or nearby lands; (2) Wildlife in the adjoining or nearby areas; (3) Fish and other aquatic life in waters in reasonable proximity to the area to be treated; and (4) Pollinating insects, animals, or persons. In issuing such regulations, the commissioner shall give consideration to pertinent research findings and recommendations of other agencies of this state or of the federal government.*

Subd. 2. *The commissioner may by regulation require that notice of a proposed application of a pesticide be given to land owners adjoining the property to be treated or in the immediate vicinity thereof, if he finds that such notice is necessary to carry out the purposes of this act. The commissioner may also by regulation adopt a list of restricted use pesticides the use of which he may limit to designated areas, if he finds that the characteristics of such pesticides require that regulations restricting their use are necessary to prevent injury to per-*

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sons, animals, crops, pests or vegetation other than the pests or vegetation which they are intended to destroy. The commissioner may include in the regulation the time and conditions of use of such restricted use pesticides and may, if he deems it necessary to carry out the provisions of this act, require a permit for each application of a restricted use pesticide.

Approved April 29, 1969.

CHAPTER 237—H. F. No. 1465

An act relating to the sale and distribution of the Minnesota Statutes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 648.39, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 648.39, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Minnesota statutes; sale and distribution.** Each county shall purchase from the commissioner of administration one copy each for the use of the judge of probate, county attorney, *sheriff*, auditor, treasurer, register of deeds, and superintendent of schools.

Approved April 29, 1969.

CHAPTER 238—H. F. No. 1546

An act relating to biennial elections in villages; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 412.022, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 412.022, Subdivision 2 is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Villages; elections; terms.** ~~Terms of incumbent officers shall not be curtailed by the adoption of the biennial election system; but~~ *No more than three council members shall be elected at any biennial election. The term of every incumbent elective officer expiring in January following a year in which there is no village election*

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