

*until they reach the age of not less than 16 and not more than 18 years, as the bylaws of each association may provide; but the total amount of such pension or pensions hereunder for any child or children shall not exceed the sum of \$150 per month.*

(c) *Upon the death of an active member or a pensioner, the association shall pay the sum of \$300 as a funeral benefit to his personal representative or such other person as may bear the expense of his funeral.*

Sec. 4. *Unless otherwise specified, sections 1 to 3 govern contributions made and benefits payable after May 31, 1969. Section 3 applies only to pensions payable by reason of the death of a service, disability, or deferred pensioner after May 31, 1969, or by reason of the death on or before that date of such a pensioner who commenced receiving his pension before January 1, 1968.*

Sec. 5. *Laws 1965, Chapter 636, Section 3 is hereby repealed.*

Sec. 6. *No provision of this act shall be construed as reducing the amount or rate of contribution to the association by the municipality or a member of the association from such minimum contributions as are prescribed by the Police and Firemen's Relief Associations Guidelines Act of 1969. Notwithstanding the provisions of this or any other act, the association and the municipality and the officers of each are authorized to do all things required by the Guidelines Act as conditions for the contribution of public funds or the levy of taxes for the support of the association.*

Sec. 7. *This act is effective upon its approval by the governing body of the city of Eveleth and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.*

Approved May 24, 1969.

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## CHAPTER 671—H. F. No. 2163

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to the city of Saint Paul; authorizing the elimination of the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph; authorizing the transfer of personnel and equipment between departments; and authorizing the transfer of funds between departments to finance transfer of personnel and equipment.*

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

**Section 1. St. Paul, city of; bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph; transfer.** Notwithstanding any provision of the charter of the city of Saint Paul to the contrary, on and after the effective date of this act, the council of the city of Saint Paul may by resolution abolish and eliminate the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph established by the provisions of the charter of the city of Saint Paul. The city council may also provide by its resolution for the transfer of personnel presently assigned duties within the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph to the bureau of fire protection, department of public safety, to work under the supervision of the commissioner of public safety and the fire chief, and said council may also transfer certain other personnel presently assigned within the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph to employment in the department of public works, to work under the supervision and control of the commissioner of public works, and the council may transfer such equipment from the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph, public safety department, to the department of public works as it deems necessary and advisable. Personnel of the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph presently employed under titles of electrician, electrician foreman, electrician general foreman, police and fire alarm lineman, and clerk-typist, shall be transferred from the department of public safety to the department of public works. Personnel employed in the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph under the titles of fire alarm dispatcher I and II shall be transferred from the bureau of police and fire alarm telegraph to the bureau of fire protection.

**Sec. 2.** On or after the effective date of this act, the proper city officers, upon authorization by resolution of the council of the city of Saint Paul, are hereby authorized to transfer the necessary funds and equipment from the public safety department to the department of public works in order to carry out the intent and purposes of this act.

**Sec. 3.** No employee transferred from the public safety department to the public works department shall suffer any loss of salary, seniority, tenure or pension rights by reason of such transfer. Any person who is a member of the St. Paul firemen's relief association or the St. Paul police relief association at the time of transfer to the public works department shall continue as a member of such pension association and shall be excluded from the public employees retirement association.

**Sec. 4.** This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of Saint Paul and

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upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 23, 1969.

CHAPTER 672—H. F. No. 2175

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to the police relief association of the village of Hibbing; amending Laws 1967, Chapter 678, Section 1.*

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

Section 1. Laws 1967, Chapter 678, Section 1, is amended to read:

Section 1. **Hibbing, village of; police relief.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law or charter the police relief association of the village of Hibbing may pay out of and from any funds it may have received from any source a service, disability or dependency pension in such amounts and in such manner as its articles of incorporation and constitution and bylaws shall designate, not exceeding however, the following sum per month to each of its pensioned members, who shall have reached the age of fifty-five years or more, and shall have served 20 years or more in such department, or their widows and children under 16 years of age.

A member of the police relief association of the village of Hibbing who has been an active member of the police department of the village for 20 years or more, upon becoming 55 years of age or more, shall be entitled to retire and upon his retirement shall be paid a monthly service pension equal to one-half of his average monthly earnings during his last ~~three years~~ *six months* of service.

Provided, however, that the monthly payments may be increased by adding thereto an amount not exceeding \$10 per month for each year of active duty over 20 years of service before retirement not to exceed five years for purposes of pension computation; provided, further, that no pension shall be paid to any person while he remains a member of the police department and no person receiving a pension shall be entitled to any other relief from the association.

When any member who retires from the police department of the village of Hibbing either is not entitled to, or does not care to accept a

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