Subd. 2. EMPLOYEES. The state soil and water conservation commission may employ, with the approval of the commissioner of natural resources, an administrative officer in the unclassified service and such technical experts and such other agents and employees, permanent and temporary, as it may require, and shall determine their qualifications, duties, and compensation. The commission may call upon the attorney general for such legal services as it may require. It shall have authority to prescribe the powers and duties of its officers and employees, and to delegate to its chairman or to one or more of its other officers or members or administrative officer such of its own powers and duties as it may deem proper. The administrative officer shall serve at the pleasure of the commissioner and may be dismissed only upon the advice and recommendation of the commission. All other personnel of the commission shall be transferred to the department of natural resources and shall be in the classified service of the state. All rights, duties and responsibilities of the existing staff of the commission on the date of this act shall remain unchanged except as may be agreed upon by the commission and the commissioner. Upon request of the commission, for the purpose of carrying out any of its functions, the supervising officer of any state agency, or of any state institution of learning, shall, insofar as may be possible under liable appropriations, and having due regard to the needs of the agency to which the request is directed, assign or detail to the commission members of the staff or personnel of the agency or institution of learning, and make such special reports, surveys, or studies as the commission may request.

Approved November 11, 1971.

EXTRA SESSION CHAPTER 45—H.F.No.187

[Not Coded]

An act relating to hospital districts in the county of Roseau; the creation, organization and administration thereof; the issuance of bonds therefor; amending Laws 1961, Chapter 115, Section 4.

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

Section 1. Laws 1961, Chapter 115, Section 4, is amended to read:

Changes or additions indicated by underline, deletions by strikeout.

Sec. 4. ROSEAU, COUNTY OF; HOSPITAL DISTRICTS; BOND ISSUE, TAX LEVY. The acquisition and betterment of any such hospital, nursing home, and board and care home may be financed in whole or in part by the issuance of general obligation bonds in the manner provided in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475, except that the amount of bonds issued for any hospital district and outstanding at any time, less cash and investments held in a sinking fund irrevocably appropriated for the payment thereof, may equal but shall not exceed \$500,000 \$2,000,000 \cdot The proceedings for the issuance of the bonds shall be instituted and completed by the hospital board. Notice of the election on the bonds shall be published in each legal newspaper published in the district, not less than ten days before the election, and all qualified electors residing in the district shall be entitled to vote at the election, each at the polling place for the voting precinct in which he resides, as established for state and county elections. Taxes for the payment of the bonds shall be levied by the district and certified to the county auditor for collection in accordance with said chapter 475, and shall not be subject to any statutory limitation as to rate or amount. The bonds shall not constitute indebtedness for any purpose of the county or of any city, village, or town and shall be payable solely from taxes on properties within the hospital district.

Sec. 2. This act takes effect when approved by the county board of Roseau county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved November 11, 1971.

EXTRA SESSION CHAPTER 46—H.F.No.203

[Coded]

An act relating to the guaranty of municipal indebtedness incurred for the acquisition and betterment of public land, buildings, and capital improvements; authorizing state loans to municipalities for debt service deficiencies; providing procedures for making and repaying loans; authorizing issuance of state bonds for this purpose; and appropriating the proceeds thereof.

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

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