

period of service and membership required for payment of a service pension.

Sec. 2. This act shall be effective upon approval by the governing body of the village of St. Michael and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 7, 1973.

CHAPTER 173—H.F.No.425

[Not Coded]

An act relating to retirement; firemen's service pensions in the village of Mendota Heights.

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

Section 1. **MENDOTA HEIGHTS, VILLAGE OF; FIREMEN'S RELIEF ASSOCIATION, SERVICE PENSIONS.** Subdivision 1. The fire department relief association of the village of Mendota Heights may pay firemen's service pensions in excess of the amounts authorized by Minnesota Statutes, Section 69.06, but not in excess of the following total amounts: \$80 per month, as hereinafter authorized, or as may be provided by its bylaws, to each of its members who has heretofore retired or may hereafter retire, who has reached or shall hereafter reach the age of 50 years and who has done or hereafter shall do active duty for 20 years or more as a member of the volunteer, paid or partially paid and partially volunteer, fire department in the village of Mendota Heights, and who has been or shall hereafter be a member of the fire department relief association at least ten years prior to such retirement and who complies with such additional conditions as to age, service, and membership as may be prescribed by the certificate or bylaws of the association.

Subd. 2. The amount of monthly pension which may be paid to such retired firemen may be increased by adding to the maximum above prescribed an amount not exceeding \$4 per month for each year of active duty over 20 years of service before retirement; provided, that such fire department relief association shall not pay to any member thereof a pension in any greater amount than the sum of \$120 per month.

Subd. 3. The fire department relief association where the majority of its members are volunteer firemen may provide in its

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certificate of incorporation or bylaws for a service pension in an amount not exceeding \$400 per year of service to be paid in a lump sum where the retiring member qualifies for a service pension under the provisions hereinbefore set forth, and the member elects by written application to the association to take the payment in a lump sum rather than the monthly pension.

Subd. 4. The provisions of section 69.06 shall continue to govern pensions paid pursuant to this section in all instances where consistent with this section.

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon approval by the governing body of the village of Mendota Heights, and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 7, 1973.

CHAPTER 174—H.F.No.591

[Not Coded]

An act relating to Independent School District Number 707 in St. Louis county; providing an exemption therefor from the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Sections 122.41 to 122.52, and allowing tuition to be paid in accordance with Section 124.18, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. **INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 707; ATTENDANCE OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN OTHER DISTRICTS.** Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Sections 122.41 to 122.52, shall not apply to Independent School District Number 707 in the county of St. Louis.

Sec. 2. Any student residing in Independent School District No. 707 who successfully completes the elementary school of that district shall have the right to attend as a non-resident the nearest secondary school in the St. Louis county unorganized territory or its successor district with tuition to be paid by the resident school district in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 124.18, Subdivision 2, and he may attend a secondary school in any other district which is willing to accept him under the same conditions.

Sec. 3. This act is effective upon its approval by the governing body of the governmental subdivision named in section 1, and

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