[241.45] PUBLICATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS; RE-PORTS. Subdivision 1. The ombudsman may publish his conclusions and suggestions by transmitting them to the office of the governor. Before announcing a conclusion or recommendation that expressly or impliedly criticizes an administrative agency, or any person, the ombudsman shall consult with that agency or person. When publishing an opinion adverse to an administrative agency, or any person, the ombudsman shall include in such publication any statement of reasonable length made to him by that agency or person in defense or mitigation of the action.

Subd. 2. In addition to whatever reports the ombudsman may make on an ad hoc basis, the ombudsman shall at the end of each year report to the governor concerning the exercise of his functions during the preceding year.

Sec. 6. This act is effective July 1, 1973.

Sec. 7. EXPIRATION DATE. This act shall expire July 1, 1977.

Approved May 23, 1973.

CHAPTER 554—S.F.No.678

[Coded]

An act relating to insurance, motor vehicles; prohibiting certain family policy premium increases for families with a handicapped member.

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

Section 1. [65B.131] INSURANCE; MOTOR VEHICLES; FAMILY POLICIES; HANDICAPPED PERSONS; RESTRICTIONS ON PREMIUM INCREASES. No person, authorized under the laws of this state to sell and provide automobile insurance as defined by the commissioner, and providing such insurance under any policy covering all the members of any family who are of the age and licensed to drive those motor vehicles which are owned, leased or regularly operated by such family members shall require, demand or receive any increase in premium payment for such insurance coverage solely on the basis that a handicapped member of that family has attained the age for the lawful operation of a motor vehicle on the roadways of this state if such handicapped member of the family

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(a) has successfully completed any approved driver education course;

(b) shall operate only such vehicle or vehicles as are equipped with auxiliary devices and equipment necessary for and permitting the safe and effective operation of such vehicle or vehicles by the handicapped family member; and

(c) is licensed by the department of public safety to operate a motor vehicle in this state.

Approved May 23, 1973.

CHAPTER 555—S.F.No.690

An act relating to highway traffic regulations; chemical tests for intoxication; manner of taking tests; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 169.123, Subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 169.123, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. TRAFFIC REGULATIONS; CHEMICAL TESTS FOR INTOXICATION; MANNER OF MAKING TEST; ADDITIONAL TESTS. Only a physician, or—a medical technician, or registered nurse, medical technologist or laboratory assistant acting at the request of a peace officer may withdraw blood for the purpose of determining the alcoholic content therein. This limitation shall not apply to the taking of a breath, or urine specimen. The person tested shall have the right to a physician; or a medical technician, medical technologist, laboratory assistant or registered nurse of his own choosing to administer a chemical test or tests in addition to any administered at the direction of a peace officer; provided, that the additional test specimen on behalf of said person be obtained at the place where such person is in custody and at no expense to the state. Said person shall have the right to immediately communicate with his attorney, doctor or any other person in order to secure a physician, medical technician, medical technologist, laboratory assistant or registered nurse, of his own choosing for the purpose of administering such additional test or tests; but this shall in no way delay the administering of the test at the direction of the peace officer. The failure or inability to obtain an

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