

Subd. 2. **PODIATRY.** The word "podiatry" is held to be the diagnosis or medical, mechanical, or surgical treatment of the ailments of the human hand or foot. It shall include the fitting or recommending of appliances, devices, or shoes for the correction or relief of minor foot ailments, except the amputation of the foot, hand, toes, or fingers, or the use of anaesthetics other than local. It shall include the prescribing or administering of any drugs or medications necessary or helpful to the practice of podiatry as defined by this subdivision, provided, however, that licensed podiatrists shall be restricted in their prescribing or administering of any drugs or medications by the limitations imposed on the scope of practice of podiatry as defined in this chapter.

Approved May 24, 1973.

CHAPTER 694—S.F.No.485

An act relating to elections; regulating the location of polling places; requiring that they be accessible to physically disabled persons; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 203.08; and 204.13, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1: Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 203.08, is amended to read:

203.08 ELECTIONS; PHYSICALLY DISABLED PERSONS; POLLING PLACES DESIGNATED. Subdivision 1. The council of every municipality shall, by ordinance or resolution, designate the place of holding the election for each precinct; otherwise the election shall be held as near as may be to the place where the preceding election was held, subject to change before the opening of the polls as provided by law. In any village or in any city of the third or fourth class, having more than one precinct, the council of the municipality may, by ordinance or resolution, provide for the holding of all elections in the municipality in some building centrally located therein, and the voters of the municipality may vote at such place so designated, irrespective of whether the voting place is actually located in their precinct or not. At the place so designated there shall be provided separate statutory voting facilities for each precinct, and the voting shall otherwise be conducted in the same manner as though the voting places were located in the

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respective precincts. The council of any municipality may, by ordinance or resolution, designate a polling place for holding of elections for a specific precinct in a building outside the precinct, provided that the building must be located within 1500 feet of the precinct.

Subd. 2. Whenever practicable the place of holding the election for each precinct shall be made accessible to physically disabled persons.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 204.13, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **DISABLED VOTER, ASSISTANCE.** Two judges, who are not members of the same political party, shall likewise assist a voter who is at the ~~door~~ entry of the polling place but who is unable to enter because of physical disability; provided, however, that for the purpose of this section, intoxication is not physical disability, and a person who is intoxicated may not vote.

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CHAPTER 695—S.F.No.581

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An act relating to medical education; appropriating moneys to the regents of the university of Minnesota for a medical education facility at St. Paul-Ramsey hospital and for other related purposes; amending Laws 1971, Chapter 851.

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

Section 1. Laws 1971, Chapter 851, is amended to read:

Section 1. **ST. PAUL-RAMSEY HOSPITAL; MEDICAL EDUCATION; APPROPRIATION.** Subdivision 1. There is appropriated from the general fund in the state treasury to the regents of the university of Minnesota the sum of ~~\$40,170~~ \$90,000 for the biennium for the ~~on-site administration, planning, and development~~ of medical education programs at St. Paul-Ramsey hospital.

Subd. 2. It is in the public interest to foster, expand, and stabilize the financial support of medical education, and particularly in the training of persons primarily interested in patient care. The health science activities at St. Paul-Ramsey hospital have been

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