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**CHAPTER 348—S.F.No.3233**

*An act relating to the organization of the Minnesota zoological garden with reference to its officers, agents and employees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 85A.03, Subdivision 2.*

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:**

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 85A.03, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN; EMPLOYEES.** Subject to the approval of the board the director shall organize the Minnesota zoological garden and provide for such officers, agents and employees necessary for the operation thereof. Four such positions may be provided in the unclassified service of the state and be chosen solely on the basis of training, experience and other qualifications in the field of zoo management. All other such persons employed shall be in the classified service of the state civil service with the same rights and privileges as other state officers and employees.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This act shall take effect the day following its final enactment.

Approved March 28, 1974.

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**CHAPTER 349—S.F.No.3239**  
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*An act relating to Hennepin county; providing for the support and maintenance of the county law library; amending Laws 1933, Chapter 291, Section 12.*

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:**

Section 1. Laws 1933, Chapter 291, Section 12, is amended to read:

Sec. 12. **HENNEPIN COUNTY; LAW LIBRARY; COUNTY BOARD MAY PROVIDE FOR MAINTENANCE IN CERTAIN CASES.** For the support of said library there shall be allotted the fees prescribed in Section 4 herein and such other amounts as are now provided by law; provided, however, that the board of county commissioners of ~~such Hennepin~~ county may, in their discretion, provide for the additional support and maintenance of such county law library out of county funds, and if such provision for such support and maintenance

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~~is made the county commissioners shall certify that fact to the Clerk of the District Court of such county, and thereupon the collection of fees provided for in Section 4 hereof shall cease not to exceed \$150,000 . This additional appropriation shall be made only once.~~

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon its approval by the governing body of Hennepin county and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved March 28, 1974.

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### CHAPTER 350—S.F.No.3355

*An act relating to highway traffic regulations; application thereof; amending Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 169.03, as amended by Laws 1974, Chapter 23, Section 1.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 169.03, as amended by Laws 1974, Chapter 23, Section 1, is amended to read:

**169.03 HIGHWAY TRAFFIC REGULATIONS; EMERGENCY VEHICLES; APPLICATION.** Subdivision 1. The provisions of this chapter applicable to the drivers of vehicles upon the highways shall apply to the drivers of all vehicles owned or operated by the United States, this state, or any county, city, town, district, or any other political subdivision of the state, subject to such specific exemptions as are set forth in this chapter with reference to authorized emergency vehicles.

Subd. 2. The driver of any authorized emergency vehicle, when responding to an emergency call, upon approaching a red or stop signal or any stop sign shall slow down as necessary for safety, but may proceed cautiously past such red or stop sign or signal after sounding siren and displaying red lights.

Subd. 3. The driver of any authorized emergency vehicle, when responding to any emergency call, may enter against the run of traffic on any one-way street, or highway where there is authorized division of traffic, to facilitate traveling to the area in which an emergency has been reported; and the provisions of this section shall not affect any cause of action arising prior to its passage.

Subd. 4. An authorized emergency vehicle, when at the scene of a reported emergency, may park or stand, notwithstanding any law or ordinance to the contrary.

Subd. 5. No driver of any authorized emergency vehicle shall as-

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