
CHAPTER 319—S.F.No.783

An act relating to agriculture; providing for a state farm census; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 17.03, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 17.03, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. AGRICULTURE; STATE FARM CENSUS; STATISTICS AND INFORMATION; APPROPRIATION. The commissioner shall collect, compile, and supply statistics and information in regard to the agricultural products of the state and agricultural industries and, to attain this result, he shall cause to be made a ~~complete~~ farm census at least once in two years, and may do so annually if deemed advisable. ~~He is authorized to have made and supplied to the auditors of the several counties suitable blanks to be used by the assessor in each precinct upon which to make the returns required by the commissioner, and, in cases where a county assessor is employed, these blanks may be supplied to such assessor, and the county and local assessors are hereby required, as a part of their duties, to fill out such blanks according to instructions. When these blanks, so filled out, are returned to the county assessor or to the county auditor they shall then be forwarded to the commissioner to be used by him to compile for distribution in suitable form to persons engaged in agriculture.~~

Sec. 2. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated to the department of agriculture from the general fund the sum of \$50,000 for the purposes of section 1. Notwithstanding section 16A.28, any funds not expended at the end of the first year shall not cancel but are reappropriated for the following fiscal year.

Approved June 5, 1975.

CHAPTER 320—S.F.No.795

[Not Coded]

An act relating to Special School District No. 1; extending bonding authority; amending Laws 1959, Chapter 462, Section 3, Subdivision 7, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1959, Chapter 462, Section 3, Subdivision 7, as amended and renumbered as Subdivision 10 by Laws 1963, Chapter

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645, Section 3, as amended by Laws 1967, Chapter 661, Section 3 and as amended by Laws 1969, Chapter 994, Section 1, is amended to read:

Subd. 10. **SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1; MINNEAPOLIS, CITY OF; EXTENDING BONDING AUTHORITY.** As used in this act the word "project" shall mean any proposed new or enlarged school building site, any proposed new school building or any proposed new addition to a school building, and "undertaking" shall mean any other purpose for which bonds may be issued as authorized in this subdivision. Subject to the limitations of subdivision 11, the special independent school district of Minneapolis may issue and sell bonds with the approval of 53 percent of the electors voting on the question at a general school district election, or at a school district election held at the same time and place within the district as a state general or primary election, as determined by the board of education. Subject to the provisions of subdivision 11, the school district may also by a two-third majority vote of all the members of its board of education and without any election by the voters of the district, issue and sell in each calendar year bonds of such district in an amount not to exceed one-half of one percent of the assessed value of the taxable property in such district (plus, for each of the calendar years ~~1970-1975~~ through ~~1974-1979~~, an amount not to exceed 75 percent of the amount of indebtedness to be retired during the said calendar year; with an additional provision that any amount of bonds so authorized for sale in a specific year and not sold can be carried forward and sold in the year immediately following); provided, however, that the board shall submit the list of projects and undertakings to be financed by such proposed issue to the city planning commission as provided in subdivision 11(c) prior to the issuance of such bonds. All bonds of the school district shall be payable in not more than 20 years. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be used only for the rehabilitating, remodeling, expanding and equipping of existing school buildings and for the acquisition of sites, construction and equipping of new school buildings, and for acquisition and betterment purposes, and no part of such proceeds shall be used for maintenance. The provisions of this act shall apply to the issuance and sale of such bonds and to the purposes for which the same may be issued notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary in any other existing law relating thereto.

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the board of Special School District No. 1 of the city of Minneapolis and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved June 4, 1975.

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