

division 1 of this section shall be sentenced as in (a), (b) and (c) of subdivision 1.

Subd. 3. In any prosecution under this section the value of the animals which are shot, killed, taken, used, transferred, concealed, or retained within any six month period may be aggregated and the defendant charged accordingly in applying the provisions of this section.

Subd. 4. Any person who has been injured by violation of this section may bring an action for three times the amount of actual damages sustained by the plaintiff, costs of suit and reasonable attorneys' fees.

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CHAPTER 315—S.F.No.753

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to state government; regulating advisory councils, boards and commissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Chapter 15, by adding a section; Sections 16.853; 16.91; 16.911, Subdivision 1; 31.60, Subdivisions 2 and 3; 52.061; 82.30, Subdivision 1; 116C.05; 121.87, Subdivisions 1 and 3; 145.865, Subdivision 1; 156A.06, Subdivision 1; 175.007, Subdivision 1; 182.656, Subdivision 3; 184.23, Subdivisions 1 and 3; 254A.04; 256.482, Subdivision 1; 268.12, Subdivision 6; 299C.47; 299F.55; 362.09, Subdivision 3; and 483.02; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1974, Sections 82.30, Subdivisions 2 and 3; 145.865, Subdivision 2; 175.007, Subdivision 3; 182.656, Subdivision 2; 184.23, Subdivision 2; 254A.05, Subdivision 2; 256.482, Subdivision 6; 483.03; and 483.04.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Chapter 15, is amended by adding a section to read:

[15.059] STATE GOVERNMENT; ADVISORY COUNCILS AND COMMITTEES. Subdivision 1. APPLICATION. The terms, compensation and removal of members, and the expiration date of an advisory council or committee shall be governed by this section whenever specifically provided by law. As used in this section "council or committee" shall mean all advisory boards, councils, committees and commissions whose provisions are governed by this section.

Subd. 2. MEMBERSHIP TERMS. The terms of the members of the advisory councils and committees shall be four years. The terms of one half of the members shall be coterminous with the governor and the terms of the remaining one half of the members shall end on the first Monday in January one year after the terms of the other members. If

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there is an odd number of members, the smallest possible majority of the members shall have terms coterminous with the governor. If the membership is composed of categories of members from occupations, industries, political subdivisions, the public or other groupings of persons, and if the categories as specified in statute have two or more members each, the appointing authority shall appoint as nearly as possible one half of the members in each category at each appointment date. Members may serve until their successors are appointed and qualify. If a successor has not been appointed by the July 1 after the scheduled end of a member's term, the term of the member for whom a successor has not been appointed shall be extended until the first Monday in January four years after the scheduled end of the term.

Subd. 3. COMPENSATION. Members of the advisory councils and committees shall be compensated at the rate of \$25 per day spent on council or committee activities plus expenses in the same manner and amount as state employees. Members who are state employees or employees of political subdivisions shall not receive the \$25 per day, but they shall suffer no loss in compensation or benefits from the state or political subdivision as a result of their services on the council or committee. Members who are state employees or employees of the political subdivisions of the state may receive the expenses provided for in this section unless the expenses are reimbursed by another source.

Subd. 4. REMOVAL. A member may be removed by the appointing authority at any time (1) for cause after notice and hearing, or (2) after missing three consecutive meetings. The chairman of the advisory council or committee shall inform the appointing authority of a member missing the three consecutive meetings. After the second consecutive missed meeting and before the next meeting, the secretary of the council or committee shall notify the member in writing that he may be removed if he misses the next meeting.

Subd. 5. EXPIRATION DATE. Unless an earlier date is specified by law, the existence of each advisory council and committee governed by this section shall terminate on June 30, 1983.

Subd. 6. ADVISORY TASK FORCES. Advisory task forces created after the effective date of this act and governed by this subdivision shall expire two years after the effective date of the act creating the advisory task force or the date of appointment of the members, whichever is later, unless a shorter term is specified in statute. Members shall not receive the \$25 per diem specified in this section but shall receive expenses in the same manner and amount as state employees. Members appointed to these advisory task forces shall serve until the expiration date of the advisory task force and may be removed pursuant to subdivision 4 of this section.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 16.853, is amended to read:

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16.853 BUILDING CODE STANDARDS COMMITTEE. Subdivision 1. **CREATION.** ~~As soon after July 1, 1971, as is possible the governor of the state of Minnesota~~ The commissioner of administration shall appoint a building code standards committee which shall serve in an advisory capacity to the commissioner in promulgating the code and making such amendments thereto as the commissioner shall from time to time deem necessary.

Subd. 2. **COMPOSITION.** The committee shall consist of nine members who are residents of the state. The state building inspector shall serve as secretary of the committee but shall not be a member thereof. ~~The nine members shall be initially appointed for the following terms: three members for two year terms; three members for three year terms and three members for four year terms. Thereafter, each member shall be appointed to serve a four year term and until his successor is appointed and qualifies.~~ The membership shall be broadly representative of the industries and professions involved in the development and construction of buildings including representation from building code enforcement agencies, architectural and engineering associations, building construction trades, the contracting and manufacturing industries, governing bodies of local government and the general public. Appointments to the committee made on and after July 1, 1973 shall be made in such manner as to insure that by July 1, 1977 and thereafter, the membership shall consist of at least one member residing in each congressional district.

Subd. 3. **INTERNAL AUTHORITY AND COMPENSATION.** The committee shall elect its own chairman, adopt rules and regulations for its procedure and meet when so directed by the commissioner. The committee is further empowered, subject to the approval of the commissioner and the limits of appropriations provided therefor, to employ such assistance as it deems necessary. ~~Members of the committee shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed for their travel and other necessary expenses as provided for state employees.~~ The committee shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 16.91, is amended to read:

16.91 STATE INFORMATION SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL. To effectuate and facilitate the purposes and provisions of sections 16.90 to 16.96, the governor shall appoint a state information services advisory council, which shall assist the department in the development and coordination of a state information services master plan and make recommendations from time to time to the commissioner concerning the progress, direction and needs of the state's computerization effort. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 16.911, Subdivision 1, is ~~Changes or additions indicated by underline deletions by strikethrough~~

amended to read:

16.911 INTERGOVERNMENTAL INFORMATION SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL. Subdivision 1. The governor shall appoint an intergovernmental information services advisory council, to serve at his pleasure, consisting of 25 members ~~who shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed for their travel expenses as provided for state employees~~. Such council shall be composed of two members from each of the following groups: Counties outside of the seven county metropolitan area, counties within the metropolitan area, cities of the first class, municipalities of the second and third class outside the metropolitan area and municipalities of the second and third class within the metropolitan area, one member from each of the following groups: The metropolitan council, an outstate regional body, Minnesota higher education coordinating commission, school districts located in cities of the first class, school districts in the metropolitan area, and school districts outside the metropolitan area; one member from each of the state departments of administration, education, legislative auditor and revenue; one member from the office of the state auditor and four members from the state community at large. To the extent permitted by available resources the commissioner shall furnish staff and other assistance as requested by the council. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 31.60, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. MEAT INDUSTRY; ADVISORY BOARD. Except to the extent that the following functions are under the jurisdiction of the division of poultry industries or the Minnesota poultry improvement board, there is created a Minnesota meat improvement board for the purpose of advising the commissioner of agriculture and the director of the meat industry division in the development of the meat industry of the state. The board consists of not more than ten members appointed by the ~~governor~~ commissioner of agriculture. The board shall include, but not be limited to, one representative from each of the following: (1) Retail meat dealers, (2) frozen food processing plants licensed by this state, (3) slaughter houses licensed by this state, (4) wholesale sausage manufacturers licensed by this state, (5) federally inspected meat packers, (6) livestock producers, (7) consumers, (8) public health officials, and (9) veterinarians. ~~Members of the board shall serve for a term of three years and until their successors are qualified. Except for the terms of members first appointed to the board; no member shall serve more than two successive terms. Members shall be appointed to the first board as follows: Two members appointed for terms of one year each; two members appointed for terms of two years each; and the balance of the members appointed for terms of three years each. Members of the board serve without compensation but shall be allowed and paid their actual traveling and other expenses necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties pursuant to rules governing reimburse-~~

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~~ment of expenses for state employees. The board shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.~~

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 31.60, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. MEETINGS OF THE ADVISORY BOARD; COMMISSIONER'S DUTIES. The commissioner or his duly appointed representative shall call the first meeting of the advisory board. At this first meeting the board shall elect from their members a chairman, vice chairman, and secretary who shall each serve for one year and until their successors are elected and qualified. The advisory board shall meet at the call of the chairman ; ~~but not less than once a year~~ . The commissioner or his duly appointed representative shall attend meetings called by the chairman. A meeting may be called upon written request of a majority of all of the members of the board, to be held at a time convenient to both the board and the commissioner. The commissioner or his duly appointed representative shall attend meetings called by written request of the members. The commissioner shall make available to the board such information as it may request regarding the policies and programs of the department.

Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 52.061, is amended to read:

52.061 CREDIT UNION ADVISORY COUNCIL. There is established a credit union advisory council to consult with, advise, and make recommendations to the commissioner of banks in all matters pertaining to credit unions. The advisory council shall consist of five members who shall be appointed by the ~~governor~~ commissioner of banks and who shall be persons who have had three or more years of experience as a credit union officer, director or committee member. To aid the ~~governor~~ in making a selection of the five advisory council members, the Minnesota league of credit unions may submit a list of not less than 15 names; however, the ~~governor~~ commissioner of banks shall not be limited to such list in making his selections. ~~Appointment to the advisory council shall be for terms of three years; except that initial appointment shall be: two members for terms of one year each; two members for terms of two years each; and one member for a term of three years. All members shall serve until their successors have been appointed and qualified. In the event a vacancy shall occur, the appointment to fill said vacancy shall be made in the manner of original appointment, but only for the unexpired term.~~ The chairman of the advisory council shall be elected annually by and from the members thereof. ~~The first meeting of the advisory council shall be called by the commissioner of banks and thereafter regular~~ Meetings shall be held at such times and places as shall be determined by the chairman and the commissioner of banks ; ~~but at least once each six months. Special~~ Meetings may be called by either the chairman or the commissioner of banks. Three members of the advisory council shall constitute a quo-

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rum. However, at least three affirmative votes shall be needed to pass any motion. The authority and responsibility of the advisory council shall be to advise the governor and the commissioner of banks on problems concerning credit unions and to foster the interest and cooperation of credit unions in improving their methods of operation. The commissioner of banks may review with the advisory council the records of the banking division concerning the supervision, regulation, and examination of credit unions. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation, and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 82.30, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

82.30 ADVISORY COMMISSION. Subdivision 1. There shall be a real estate advisory commission of seven members to be appointed by the governor by and with the advice and consent of the ~~senate~~ commissioner of securities. Five members shall be real estate brokers with at least five years experience as licensed real estate brokers in Minnesota and two members shall be public members. They shall meet at the call of the commissioner, and advise and consult with him on all major policy matters relating to the licensing of real estate brokers in Minnesota. ~~They shall serve without pay except that each shall be allowed ordinary and necessary expenses in the same manner and amount as state employees while attending any called meeting of the commission.~~ The commission shall expire and the terms, compensation, and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 121.87, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

121.87 STATE COMMUNITY SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL. Subdivision 1. A 25 member state community school advisory council shall be established for the purpose of promoting the furtherance of sections 121.85 to 121.89, and the advancement of educational, recreational and social opportunity through the maximum utilization of public school facilities throughout the state of Minnesota. The council shall be appointed by the governor and shall consist of two lay members from each congressional district and nine members selected at large who shall represent government and professions most closely related to community school activities, functions and school administrative jurisdictions. ~~The term of office of said council members shall be for a period of four years except that for purposes of implementation, the term of office of one member from each congressional district and four members at large, so designated at the time of appointment, shall expire December 31, 1972 and the term of office of all other original members shall expire December 31, 1974; however, every member shall continue in office until his successor has been duly named and qualified.~~

Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 121.87, Subdivision 3, is
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amended to read:

Subd. 3. ~~Council members shall serve without pay or remuneration; but shall be allowed travel expenses to and from meetings at the rate of ten cents per mile not to exceed four meetings in any given year.~~ Clerical, mailing, printing, and other justifiable expenses incurred by the council shall be paid from funds set aside for the administration of the office of the director of community school programs. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 145.865, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

145.865 **ADVISORY COMMITTEE.** Subdivision 1. The board shall establish an advisory committee to assist in formulating policies pursuant to sections 145.861 to 145.866. The board shall determine the duties of the committee, shall establish procedures for the proper functioning of the committee including, but not limited to the following, the method of selection of membership, the terms of membership, the selection of a committee chairman and methods of communicating recommendations and advice to the board for its consideration. Each of the existing state health licensing boards, the consumer services section of the department of commerce, the state comprehensive health planning advisory council and the higher education coordinating commission shall have a representative selected by such boards, section or commission. The governor shall appoint the remaining members which shall not exceed eleven and shall include six persons broadly representative of health care services particularly allied health professions not presently licensed, registered or certified pursuant to existing law and five public members unrelated to any health care delivery profession. The committee shall expire and the terms of the appointed members and the compensation and removal of all members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 156A.06, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

156A.06 **WATER WELL CONTRACTORS ADVISORY COUNCIL; MEMBERS; TERMS; EMPLOYEES.** Subdivision 1. There is hereby created the water well contractors advisory council, herein referred to as the "advisory council," as an advisory council to the state board of health. The advisory council shall be composed of nine voting members. Of the nine voting members, one member shall be from the state department of health, appointed by the secretary and executive officer of the state board of health; one member shall be from the department of natural resources, appointed by the commissioner of natural resources; one member shall be a member of the Minnesota geological survey of the University of Minnesota appointed by the director; and six members shall be contractors actively engaged in the water well drilling industry, not to exceed two from the seven county metropoli-

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tan area and at least four from the remainder of the state who shall be representative of different geographical regions. They shall be residents of the state of Minnesota and appointed by the governor commissioner of health. Members of the advisory council appointed by the governor shall serve for a period of four years or until replaced by a new appointment with terms, staggered so that the term of one member shall expire each year. No appointee of the water well drilling industry shall serve consecutive terms. In the case of a vacancy in the office of a member of the advisory council, an appointment shall be made to fill the same in the manner as the original appointment for the unexpired balance of the term. The appointees to the advisory council from the water well drilling industry shall have been bona fide residents of this state for a period of at least three years prior to appointment and shall have had at least five years experience in the water well drilling business. The contractor members of the council shall serve without compensation, but shall be reimbursed for travel and other necessary expenses as provided for state employees. The council shall expire and the terms of the appointed members and the compensation and removal of all members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 13. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 175.007, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

175.007 ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION; CREATION. Subdivision 1. The governor commissioner of labor and industry shall appoint, after consultation with the workmen's compensation commissioners, an advisory committee on workmen's compensation, which shall consist of five representatives of employers and five representatives of employees and three members representing the general public. The workmen's compensation commissioners shall be nonvoting members of the advisory committee. The committee shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 182.656, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. A majority of the board members constitutes a quorum. Members of the board, other than the secretary, shall receive \$35 for each day or part thereof, not to exceed 25 days in any calendar year, necessarily spent in the discharge of their duties. Reimbursement for expenses incurred shall be made pursuant to the rules governing state employees. The board shall meet not less than four times in any calendar year; at the call of its chairman, or upon request of any six members. A tape recording of the meeting with the tape being retained for a one-year period will be available upon the request and payment of costs to any interested party. The board shall expire and the terms, compensation, and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 184.23, Subdivision 1, is amended to read: Changes or additions indicated by underline deletions by ~~strikeout~~

amended to read:

184.23 ADVISORY BOARD CREATED. Subdivision 1. There is created a board to be known as the employment agency advisory board whose duty shall be to advise the department as to the administration of the provisions of sections 184.21 to 184.40. Such board shall consist of nine members, appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the senate ~~commissioner of labor and industry~~. A majority of those selected shall be actually engaged as an owner or manager of an employment agency licensed by the state of Minnesota for a period of three years immediately preceding the time of their appointment.

Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 184.23, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. The board shall meet at the call of the commissioner ~~of labor and industry~~ and advise and consult ~~with it~~ on all major policy matters relating to the licensing of an employment agent or counselor. The board shall elect annually from its members a chairman, vice chairman and secretary. The board is also authorized to conduct its own meetings at the call of the chairman. ~~The board members shall serve without pay except that each shall be allowed his actual and necessary lodging, meals and travel expenses. The board shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.~~

Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 254A.04, is amended to read:

254A.04 CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL. There is hereby created an alcohol and other drug abuse advisory council to advise the department of public welfare concerning the problems of alcohol and other drug dependency and abuse, composed of 11 members appointed by the governor ~~for a term of two years as of January 1, 1974. Six members shall be appointed for a two year term and five members shall be appointed for a one year term; thereafter all appointments shall be for two year terms~~. At least five members shall be individuals whose interests or training are in the field of alcohol dependency and abuse; and at least five members whose interests or training are in the field of dependency and abuse of drugs other than alcohol. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 18. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 256.482, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

256.482 MINNESOTA COMMISSION FOR THE HANDICAPPED. Subdivision 1. **ESTABLISHMENT; MEMBERS.** There is hereby established the commission for the handicapped which shall consist of 30 members appointed by the governor. At least fifteen commission mem-

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bers shall be handicapped persons or parents or guardians of handicapped persons. Twenty members shall be appointed from the general public, and ten shall be appointed from organizations which provide services for the handicapped. The commissioners of the departments of education, public welfare and employment services, and the executive officer of the state board of health, shall serve *ex officio*, without a vote, on the commission, or shall designate a representative to the commission. In addition, there shall be *ex officio* representation, without vote, from the division of vocational rehabilitation of the department of education, from the division of mental retardation services and services for the blind section of the department of public welfare and from other divisions and sections which are directly concerned with services for handicapped persons. There shall be at least one member of the commission appointed from each of the state development regions.

~~Each member of the commission shall serve a six year term and until his successor is appointed and qualifies; provided that of the initial members appointed, ten shall serve for two years, ten for four years and ten for six years, as designated by the governor. The governor shall appoint a chairman of the commission from among the members appointed from the general public or handicapped persons or their parents or guardians. Vacancies shall be filled by the appointing authority for the remainder of the unexpired term. The commission shall expire and the terms of the appointed members and the compensation and removal of all members shall be as provided in section 1.~~

Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 268.12, Subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. **ADVISORY COUNCILS.** ~~The governor commissioner of employment services shall appoint a state advisory council and may appoint such local advisory councils as he deems advisable, composed in each case of an equal number of employer and employee representatives who shall be selected because of their vocation, employment, or affiliation, and of such members representing the general public as he may designate. The governor commissioner may also appoint an agricultural employment advisory council and such other advisory councils as may be found necessary for proper administration. Such councils shall aid the commissioner in formulating policies and discussing problems relating to the administration of sections 268.03 to 268.24 and in assuring impartiality and freedom from political influence in the solution of such problems. The members of such advisory councils shall serve at the pleasure of the governor and may be paid a fee of not more than \$25 per day for active service on such councils in lieu of remuneration for such service and subsistence and shall be reimbursed for any necessary traveling expenses at the same rate per mile as state employees are reimbursed. The councils shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.~~

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Sec. 20. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 299C.47, is amended to read:

299C.47 ADVISORY COMMITTEE. There is created the state teletypewriter communications advisory committee which shall advise the superintendent of the bureau of criminal apprehension on matters relating to the installation and operation of the teletypewriter communications system established hereunder.

(1) The committee ~~shall serve without pay and~~ shall meet at such time as the chairman or the superintendent of the bureau of criminal apprehension so determines. Attendance at meetings of the committee shall be deemed performance by a member of the duties of his state or political subdivision's employment.

(2) The committee shall consist of nine members appointed by the ~~governor~~ commissioner of public safety and shall include:

- (a) Three incumbent county sheriffs;
- (b) A member of the bureau of criminal apprehension;
- (c) An incumbent county commissioner;
- (d) A member of the Minnesota highway patrol;
- (e) The attorney general or duly authorized representative;
- (f) The commissioner of corrections or his duly authorized representative;
- (g) The state director of emergency services.

~~(3) The term of each member of the committee shall be two years. The governor shall designate two members of said board to serve as co-chairmen. The committee shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.~~

Sec. 21. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 299F.55, is amended to read:

299F.55 STATE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON FIRE SERVICE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH. There is created a state advisory council on fire service education and research. Members of the council shall be appointed by the governor ~~and shall serve at his pleasure~~. The council shall consist of not more than ~~20-21~~ members and shall include representatives of the fire service and the various educational systems, state departments, local governments, and nongovernmental agencies and the business community having an interest in fire service research and education. The council shall advise the governor and the legislature, the director of the state office of local and urban affairs and other

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state departments, institutions and agencies represented by its members and, upon request, other relevant agencies, on the development, and conduct and scope of fire service research, on the needs of the fire service, and on the development and provision of coordinated programs of education and training for the fire service. In the performance of these advisory duties, the council shall provide for utilizing to the greatest practicable extent the University of Minnesota, the state and community colleges, technical and vocational schools, state departments and qualified private institutions and agencies, placing maximum reliance on the report of the advisory committee on fire protection and fire prevention education made pursuant to Laws 1967, Chapter 868, Section 10, Subdivision 4, Clause (1). Members of the council shall serve without compensation. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 22. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 362.09, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. A commission of 21 members to act in an advisory capacity to the commissioner is created. Members thereof shall be appointed by the governor-commissioner, two from each congressional district and five from the state at large, for terms to coincide with the term of the governor. Vacancies on the commission for the unexpired term shall be filled by the appointing authority. The governor-commissioner shall appoint the chairman of the commission. The commission shall organize and elect from among its members such other officers as it may deem necessary. The commission shall meet at the call of the chairman or the commissioner but not less than four times each year. Members of the commission shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred in accordance with rules and regulations relative to travel of state officers and employees pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 16.02, Subdivision 20. The commission shall expire and the terms, compensation, and removal of members shall be as provided by section 1.

Sec. 23. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 483.02, is amended to read:

483.02 **MEMBERSHIP.** The judicial council shall consist of the chief justice of the supreme court, or some other justice or former justice, appointed from time to time by the chief justice for such service; two judges or former judges of the district court, to be designated, or who shall have been designated by the judges of the district court in annual meeting assembled; one judge or former judge of probate, similarly designated by the judges of probate; and seven other persons appointed by the governor, one of whom shall be a judge of a municipal court, and not less than four of the others shall be attorneys at law of wide practical experience. Of the seven members first appointed by the governor, two shall be appointed for a period of one year, two for a period of two years, and three for a period of three years. All appoint-

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ments made thereafter shall be for a term of three years and until their successors shall qualify, except that in the case of a vacancy the appointment shall be made to fill the unexpired term. The council shall expire and the terms, compensation, and removal of members appointed by the governor shall be as provided in section 1.

Sec. 24. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 116C.05, is amended to read:

116C.05 CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE. Subdivision 1. There is established a citizens advisory committee composed of one resident from each congressional district and three members at large as a vehicle for citizen participation in the activities of the council. The governor shall appoint the members of the citizens advisory committee ~~with the advice and consent of the senate~~, and the committee annually shall elect one of their members to serve as chairman. ~~Members of the committee shall serve four year terms coterminous with the governor. Each member may receive as compensation for his services the sum of \$35 per day or fraction thereof spent in attending meetings of the citizens advisory committees or in performing other duties required by law; and each member of the committee shall be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his duties in the same manner and amount as state employees. The committee shall expire and the terms, compensation, and removal of members shall be as provided in section 1.~~

Subd. 2. The duties and functions of the committee shall be as follows:

(a) To review and appraise the various programs and activities of the state government in light of environmental quality concerns for the purpose of determining the extent to which such programs and activities are contributing to state environmental policies and goals;

(b) To hold meetings throughout the state as it deems necessary for the purpose of gathering information on public and private opinions concerning the adequacy of the state's environmental quality policies and the extent to which these policies are being implemented; and

(c) To give advice and counsel to the council ; and

(d) ~~To make recommendations to the governor, legislature and the public on or before December 31 of each year regarding any needed state policy or program changes to foster and promote the improvement of environmental quality .~~

Sec. 25. Notwithstanding any provision in this act to the contrary, a member serving on an advisory council or committee on the effective date of this act shall serve until the scheduled end of the term if that is in the month of January, otherwise he shall serve until the first Monday in January in the year next following the scheduled end of the

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term. Initial successors to the current members shall be appointed to terms of a length determined by the appointing authority to be consistent with the schedule of staggered terms as provided in section 1, subdivision 2. If there is more than one appointing authority for a council or committee, the governor shall determine which of the members shall serve for the terms expiring on each appointment date. Thereafter, the successor to the member shall be appointed consistent with section 1, subdivision 2.

Sec. 26. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Sections 82.30, Subdivisions 2 and 3; 145.865, Subdivision 2; 175.007, Subdivision 3; 182.656, Subdivision 2; 184.23, Subdivision 2; 254A.05, Subdivision 2; 256.482, Subdivision 6; 483.03 and 483.04, are repealed.

Sec. 27. This act shall be effective July 1, 1975.

Approved June 4, 1975.

CHAPTER 316—S.F.No.757

An act relating to taxation; restricting the right to repurchase tax-forfeited lands; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 282.241.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 282.241, is amended to read:

282.241 TAXATION; FORFEITED LANDS; REPURCHASE AFTER FORFEITURE FOR TAXES. The owner at the time of forfeiture or his heirs, devisees, or representatives, or any person to whom the right to pay taxes was given by statute, mortgage, or other agreement, may repurchase any parcel of land claimed by the state to be forfeited to the state for taxes unless prior to the time repurchase is made such parcel shall have been sold under installment payments, or otherwise, by the state as provided by law, or is under mineral prospecting permit or lease, or proceedings have been commenced by the state or any of its political subdivisions or by the United States to condemn such parcel of land. Said parcel of land may be repurchased for a sum equal to the aggregate of all delinquent taxes and assessments computed as provided by section 282.251, together with penalties, interest, and costs, which did or would have accrued if such parcel of land had not forfeited to the state. Except for property which was homesteaded on the date of forfeiture, such repurchase shall be permitted during one year only from the date of forfeiture, and in any case only after the adoption of a resolution by the board of county commissioners determining that thereby undue hardship or injustice resulting from the for-

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