## CHAPTER 76-S.F.No.645

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An act relating to the city of Two Harbors; authorizing the issuance by the city of Two Harbors of bonds for the betterment of its municipal electric utility and the pledge of the net revenues of such utility for the payment thereof.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MIN-NESOTA:

Section 1. TWO HARBORS, CITY OF; ELECTRIC UTILITY, BONDS. The city of Two Harbors in Lake county is authorized, notwithstanding any other provisions of the laws of this state or of its city charter, to issue general obligation bonds of the city in the amount of \$265,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to provide funds for the betterment of its municipal electric utility.

Sec. 2. The city council shall by resolution provide for the issuance and sale of such bonds, establish the terms and provisions thereof, define the revenues pledged therefor, and make and enter into on behalf of the city such covenants and agreements as it may deem necessary or desirable for the security of the taxpayers of the city and the holders of the bonds and to insure the marketability of the bonds.

Sec. 3. The city council is authorized to establish and impose just and equitable charges for the use and availability of the municipal electric utility in the same manner and to the same extent as authorized by Minnesota Statutes, Section 444.075, Subdivision 3, for municipal water and sewer systems. The city council may by resolution pledge the net revenues of the municipal electric utility, in excess of the normal, reasonable and current costs of operation and maintenance of the utility, to the payment of principal and interest on the bonds authorized in section 1 hereof, or such portion of said principal and interest as may be directed in such resolutions; provided, that any such pledge of net revenues of the utility to any revenue bonds or certificates of indebtedness heretofore or hereafter issued with respect to the electric utility, and made payable from such net revenues.

Sec. 4. The city council may by resolution enter into covenants with the holders of the bonds authorized in section 1 hereof that the city will impose and collect charges for the use and availability of its municipal electric utility at the times and in the amounts required to produce net revenues adequate to pay all principal and interest when due on said bonds, and may pledge said net revenues to the payment of said bonds, such pledge being subordinate to the pledge of net revenues of the utility to any revenue bonds or certificates of indebtedness heretofore or hereafter issued with respect to the electric utility, and made payable from the net revenues thereof. When such a covenant is

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made it shall be enforceable by appropriate action on the part of any holder of the bonds or any taxpayer of the city in a court of competent jurisdiction, and the question of issuing said bonds shall not be required to be submitted for a vote of the electors of the city.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall be in all other respects issued in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475.

Sec. 6. This act shall become effective upon approval by resolution adopted by the vote of a two-thirds majority of all members of the council of the city of Two Harbors, upon publication of such resolution in accordance with the provisions of the city charter, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 30, 1975.

## CHAPTER 77-S.F.No.679

An act relating to public safety; regulating the use of explosives; authorizing sheriffs and certain chiefs of police to issue permits for the use of explosives; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Sections 299F.73; and 299F.75.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MIN-NESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 299F.73, is amended to read:

299F.73 **PUBLIC SAFETY; EXPLOSIVES; REGULATION OF USE;** LICENSE REQUIRED. Subdivision 1. No person shall manufacture, assemble, warehouse or store explosives for purposes of wholesale or retail sale, or for any other purpose other than for ultimate consumption without being licensed to do so by the state fire marshal-commissioner of public safety.

Subd. 2. In order to obtain the license herein required such person shall make application to the state fire marshal-commissioner of public <u>safety</u>. The application shall be on forms provided by the state fire marshal-commissioner of public safety and shall require such information as he deems necessary including but not limited to the name, address, age, experience and knowledge of the applicant in the use, handling, and storage of explosives and explosive devices, and whether the applicant is a person to whom no such license may be issued pursuant to section 299F.77. The state fire marshal-commissioner of public <u>safety</u> may refuse to issue a license to any person who does not have sufficient knowledge of the use, handling, or storage of explosives to protect the public safety. Any person aggrieved by the denial of a license may request a hearing before the state fire marshal-commissioner of public safety. The provisions of sections 15.0418 to 15.0426

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