CHAPTER 181—S.F.No.1635  
[Coded in Part]

An act relating to real estate; changing the name of register of deeds and office of register of deeds to county recorder and office of county recorder.

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

Section 1. [386.001] REGISTER OF DEEDS; NAME CHANGE. The name of the register of deeds and office of register of deeds is changed to county recorder and office of county recorder respectively.

Sec. 2. In the next and subsequent editions of Minnesota Statutes the revisor of statutes shall wherever the phrases “register of deeds” or “office of register of deeds” appear insert in lieu thereof the phrases “county recorder” or “office of county recorder.”

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CHAPTER 182—S.F.No.1740  
[Coded]

An act relating to counties; authorizing county boards to establish personnel departments; providing for county personnel administration on an integrated, merit basis; authorizing counties to conduct manpower programs and services.

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

Section 1. [375.56] COUNTY PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION SYSTEM; RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH SYSTEM. Any county board may establish a county personnel administration system by adopting a resolution creating a personnel department, establishing an effective date and appointing a personnel appeals board pursuant to section 10.

Sec. 2. [375.57] DEFINITIONS. Subdivision 1. For the purpose of this act, unless the context clearly indicates that a different meaning is intended, the terms defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section.

Subd. 2. “Appointing authority” means the official, employee, board, or commission, or the person or group of persons empowered by statute, ordinance or resolution to make an appointment to positions as county employees within the scope of sections 1 to 14.

Subd. 3. “Director” means the director of the department of per-