

corporation. Any land not so divested within the time prescribed shall be sold at public sale in the manner prescribed by law for the foreclosure of a mortgage by action. In addition, any prospective or threatened violation may be enjoined by an action brought by the attorney general in the manner provided by law. No title to land shall be invalid or subject to forfeiture by reason of the alienage of any former owner or person having a former interest therein.

Subd. 4. REPORTS. Any natural person, corporation, partnership, limited partnership, trustee, or other business entity prohibited from future acquisition of agricultural land may retain title to any agricultural land within this state acquired prior to the effective date of this act, but it shall file a report with the commissioner of agriculture within 90 days after the effective date of this act and annually before April 15 thereafter, containing a description of all agricultural land held within this state, the purchase price and market value of the land, the use to which it is put, the date of acquisition and any other reasonable information required by the commissioner. The commissioner shall make the information available to the public.

Subd. 5. PENALTY. Willful failure to properly register any parcel of land as required by subdivision 4 is a gross misdemeanor. Each full month of failure to register is a separate offense.

Sec. 2. REPEALER. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 500.22, is repealed.

Sec. 3. This act is effective the day following its final enactment.

Approved May 26, 1977.

CHAPTER 270—H.F.No.106

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the city of St. Cloud; firemen's widows benefits; amending Laws 1974, Chapter 382, Section 5, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Laws 1974, Chapter 382, Section 5, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. ST. CLOUD, CITY OF; FIREMEN'S WIDOWS BENEFITS. Upon satisfactory proof of the death of an active member or permanent pensioner of the association, leaving a widow or a child or children who are entitled to a pension pursuant to the provisions of the articles of incorporation of the association, the board of trustees shall allow a pension to be paid out of the special fund of the association to any widow or to any child under 18 years of age of any member as follows:

(a) When a service-pensioner, deferred pensioner, disability pensioner, or an active member of the relief association dies leaving a widow who was his legally married wife

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residing with him, and who was married while or prior to the time he was on the payroll of the fire department, and who, in case the deceased member was a service pensioner or a deferred pensioner, was legally married to the member at least one year before his retirement from the fire department, then to such widow a dependency pension of ~~18~~ 24 units per month for her natural life, but, if she remarries, the pension shall cease as of the date of the remarriage.

(b) When a service pensioner, deferred pensioner, disability pensioner, or an active member of the relief association dies leaving a child or children who were living while the deceased was on the payroll of the fire department or born within ten months after the deceased was withdrawn from such payroll, then to each such child a dependency pension of ~~six~~ four units per month until the child reaches 18 years.

(c) The total dependency pensions payable under paragraphs (a) and (b) above for the widow and children of a deceased member shall not exceed 36 units per month. The pension due to any minor child or children shall be paid to the legal guardian of such child or children.

Sec. 2. This act shall apply to any person receiving a benefit under Laws 1974, Chapter 382, Section 5, Subdivision 2, as of or after the effective date of this act. Any increase in benefits granted under this act which are in effect as of the effective date of this act shall be payable commencing with the first pension payment made after the effective date of this act.

Sec. 3. This act is effective upon approval by the St. Cloud city council and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 26, 1977.

CHAPTER 271—H.F.No.206

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to welfare; increasing the personal allowance for persons in care facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 256B.35, Subdivision 1, and by adding subdivisions.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 256B.35, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

256B.35 WELFARE; CARE FACILITIES; PERSONAL ALLOWANCE, PERSONS IN SKILLED NURSING HOMES OR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES. Subdivision 1. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, welfare allowances for clothing and personal needs for individuals receiving medical assistance while ~~confined~~ residing in any skilled nursing home or intermediate care facility, including

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