

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 221.141, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

221.141 MOTOR VEHICLE CARRIERS; INSURANCE OR BONDS OF MOTOR CARRIERS. Subdivision 1. Before any certificate or permit shall be issued to any motor carrier, it shall secure and file cause to be filed with the commissioner and keep the same at all times in full effect, a certificate of insurance in a form required by the commissioner, evidencing public liability and indemnity insurance in such amount and in such form as the commissioner shall have prescribed, covering injuries and damage to persons or property occurring on the highways, other than the employees of such motor carrier or the property being transported by such carrier, provided that the commissioner shall *require cargo insurance for certificated carriers, except those carrying passengers exclusively*, and may require any permit carrier to file such insurance when it deems necessary to protect the users of the service. ~~Such~~ Any insurance issued to satisfy the requirements of this subdivision shall be subject to cancellation for nonpayment of premiums or withdrawals from service of a vehicle or vehicles covered thereby upon not less than 30 days' written notice to the insured and to the commissioner. Such insurance or bond may from time to time be reduced or increased by order of the commissioner. The commissioner may, if desired by the petitioner, prescribe in lieu of the bond or insurance such other form of security as may be satisfactory. The failure to maintain and cause to be filed a certificate for any required insurance or security shall void, two days after dispatch by the commissioner by certified or registered mail of notice of such suspension, addressed to the last known address of the motor carrier, suspend the permit or certificate without further administrative proceedings until such time as the requirements of this subdivision have been satisfied.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 221.64, is amended to read:

221.64 REGISTRATION FEE; EXEMPTIONS. Such registration as herein provided shall be granted upon petition, without hearing, upon payment of an initial filing fee in the amount of \$25. Upon petition, and payment of said fee if applicable, the commissioner shall furnish to the registration holder a distinguishing identification stamp for each motor vehicle included in said registration which stamp shall at all times be carried in the registered vehicle of the registration holder. For each identification stamp issued, the commissioner shall establish and collect a fee of no more than \$5 to be deposited in the state treasury, provided that a lesser fee may be collected pursuant to the terms of reciprocal agreements between the commissioner and the regulatory bodies of other states or provinces of the dominion of Canada.

Approved May 19, 1977.

CHAPTER 123—H.F.No.1248

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An act relating to the city of Springfield; providing for city buildings and equipment and their use; providing for a bond issue.

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

Section 1. **SPRINGFIELD; CITY BUILDINGS.** The city of Springfield may acquire, by purchase, gift, condemnation or otherwise, any real or personal property for the purpose of providing educational facilities to be leased to Independent School Districts 85, 84 and 633, or any combination thereof. The city council may provide for the acquisition of the property and for the construction, furnishing, and equipping of any buildings thereon in the manner and upon the terms and conditions it deems appropriate. The city council may issue general obligation bonds of the city for the acquisition and betterment of the property in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475, only if the school districts or any of them agrees to pay rentals to the city at the times and in the amounts required to provide funds sufficient to pay when due all principal and interest on the bonds. The bonds shall not be included in the net debt of the city for the purpose of any limitation on its indebtedness and except as otherwise provided herein an election shall not be required to authorize their issuance. The resolution of the city determining to issue the bonds shall be published in the official newspaper. If within 15 days after publication a petition asking for an election on the proposition signed by voters equal to ten percent of the number of voters at the last regular city election is filed with the city clerk, the bonds shall not be issued until the proposition of their issuance has been approved by a majority of the votes cast on the question at a regular or special election. The agreement shall provide for payment of the required rentals by the school districts at least annually and the share of each district shall be based upon an equitable distribution formula agreed upon by the participating districts and approved by the commissioner of education.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This act is effective upon approval by a majority of the city council of the city of Springfield, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 19, 1977.

CHAPTER 124—H.F.No.1469

An act relating to transportation; extending the time for submission by the commissioner of certain proposals relating to certain modes of transportation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 174.06, Subdivision 7.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 174.06, Subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **TRANSPORTATION; PROPOSALS FOR IMPLEMENTATION.** It is the intent of the legislature that gas, oil, slur and other pipelines, long distance conveyor belt systems and other modes of transportation not now regulated by the state be constructed and operated in a manner that best serves the public good and complements

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