

CHAPTER 405—H.F.No. 1985

An act relating to municipal electric power; permitting municipal power agencies to contract and do business with foreign entities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 453.52, Subdivision 9.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 453.52, Subdivision 9, is amended to read:

Subd. 9. "Person" means a natural person, a public agency, or a private corporation, firm, partnership, cooperative association, or business trust of any nature whatsoever, organized and existing under the laws of any state or of the United States or of any other country or political subdivision thereof and shall also include other countries and their political subdivisions, departments, agencies and instrumentalities.

Approved March 31, 1980

CHAPTER 406—H.F.No. 2051

An act relating to elections; requiring certain employers to attempt to let employees make up time taken off for certain public meetings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 210A.09, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 210A.09, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Any person elected to a public office shall be permitted time off from his regular employment to attend meetings of his public office. No retaliatory action may be taken by the employer for absences necessary for the employee to attend the meetings. Such time off may be without pay, with pay, or made up with other hours, as agreed between the employee and employer. When an employee takes time off without pay, the employer shall make an effort to allow the employee to make up the time with other hours when the employee is available.

Sec. 2. This act is effective the day following final enactment.

Approved March 31, 1980

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