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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 210A.04, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. Every person who writes, prints, posts, or distributes, or causes to be written, printed, posted, or distributed, except by broadcasting, any eircular, poster, or other written or printed matter containing false information intentionally participates in the preparation or dissemination of paid political advertising or campaign material with respect to the personal or political character or acts of any candidate, which is known by that person to be false and which is designed or tends to elect, injure or defeat any candidate for nomination or election to a public office, shall be is guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

Subd. 2. Subdivision I shall does not apply to a printer or manufacturer of campaign material whose sole act is the printing or manufacturing of campaign material and delivery to the person who orders it, and who does not know such the printed matter is false: nor does it apply to a broadcaster for a radio or television broadcast station or cable system whose sole act is the dissemination of the false information as advertising paid for in the regular course of business, and who does not know the information is false.

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CHAPTER 267 - S.F.No. 74

. An act relating to trade regulations; prescribing a penalty for the sale of imitation Indian-made goods without a brand; amending Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 325F.46.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 325F.46, is amended to read:

325F.46 REMEDIES.

<u>Subdivision 1.</u> CIVIL REMEDY. Any person injured by a violation of sections 325F.43 to 325F.45 may bring a civil action and recover damages, together with costs and disbursements, including reasonable attorney's fees, and receive other equitable relief as determined by the court.

Subd. 2. CRIMINAL PENALTY. Any person who knowingly violates the provisions of sections 325F.43 to 325F.45 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

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Subd. 3. PROVISIONS. The provisions of this section shall not be construed as restricting or precluding other remedies at law.

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CHAPTER 268 - S.F.No. 98

An act relating to local government; providing for the membership of the municipal board; amending Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 414.01, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 414.01, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. The board shall be composed of three members appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the senate, at least one of whom shall be learned in the law, and at least one of whom shall be a resident from outside of the metropolitan area as defined in section 473.02, subdivision 5. One of the members shall be a resident of a city of the first class ; one shall be a resident of the metropolitan area as defined in section 473.02, subdivision 5 excluding therefrom any resident of any city of the first class and one shall be a resident from the area outside of such metropolitan area as heretofore defined. The board shall select from its members a chairman who shall have the powers and duties prescribed by the general law applicable to the heads of departments and agencies of the state. In proceedings before the board for the incorporation of a statutory city, consolidation of two or more municipalities, or annexation of unincorporated land to a municipality, two county commissioners of the board of the county in which all or a majority of the affected land is located shall serve on the board during such time as the board shall have under consideration said matter. The executive director of the board shall upon initiation of a proceeding for such incorporation, consolidation, or annexation notify the county auditor of the county in which the majority of the affected property is situated of the need for the appointment of the two county commissioners to the board. At the next succeeding meeting of the county board the commissioners shall designate the two appointed and shall thereupon immediately notify the Minnesota municipal board executive director of their action. The county commissioners shall represent districts which do not contain any of the affected territory. If commissioners from the unaffected districts are unavailable, commissioners from the affected district may serve.

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