additional insurance coverage constitutes a waiver of the defense of governmental immunity to the extent of the additional coverage but has no effect on the liability of the board, the school district, or its employees beyond the coverage so provided.

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CHAPTER 235 — H.F.No. 25

An act relating to courts; providing for the establishment of misdemeanor violation bureaus for Hennepin county; changing the compensation of Hennepin county conciliation court referees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1980, Sections 488A.08, Subdivision 1; and 488A.13, Subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 488A.08, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **ESTABLISHMENT.** Misdemeanor violation bureaus shall be established at Minneapolis, Bloomington, St. Louis Park, Wayzata, and Crystal and at such additional places as a majority of the judges of the court may establish consistent with Rule 23 of the rules of criminal procedure and at any other northern and western suburban locations dispersed throughout the county as may be designated by a majority of the judges of the court.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 488A.13, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **JUDGES OF MUNICIPAL COURT SERVE AS JUDGES; REFEREES FOR CONCILIATION COURT.** (a) The judges of the municipal court of the county of Hennepin shall serve as judges of the conciliation court for such the periods and in such rotation as the judges may they determine. While so serving they shall act and be known as conciliation judges.

(b) The municipal judge who conducts the conciliation court hearing shall act upon any all applications to vacate a judgment or an order for judgment whatever the grounds may be and shall sign the certificate upon a removed cause, but. However, any other municipal judge may act upon such an application or sign such a certificate in the event that the judge who conducted the hearing has not previously denied the application promptly or signed the certificate due to expiration of his term, death, disability, absence from the courthouse or any other cause.

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(c) A majority of the judges of municipal court may appoint one or more suitable persons to act as referees in conciliation court. A majority of the judges of municipal court shall establish qualifications for the office, specify the duties and length of service of referees, and fix their compensation not to exceed $75 an amount per day determined by the board of county commissioners. ~~This compensation shall be payable by the county treasurer at the same time and in the same manner as salaries of the judges of conciliation court.~~

Approved May 19, 1981

CHAPTER 236 — H.F.No. 161

An act relating to the city of Cloquet; permitting the city to contract, pay, and tax for certain public transportation services.

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

Section 1. **CLOQUET; PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.**

Upon conditions mutually agreed, the city of Cloquet may contract with a privately owned public transportation system to provide transportation services to the people of the city. The city may disburse money to discharge the terms of the contract. The city may annually levy a property tax of up to one mill for the purpose of discharging the contract obligations. The tax shall be in addition to all others permitted by law and shall be disregarded in the calculation of statutory or other limitations on property tax levies.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act is effective upon the day after the filing of its approval by the governing body of the city of Cloquet in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021, Subdivision 3.

Approved May 19, 1981

CHAPTER 237 — H.F.No. 473

An act relating to energy; establishing rates and conditions of service for cogenerators and small power producers; proposing new law coded in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 216B.

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