legislature not later than January 1, 1983, and shall make a written report to the commissioner and the legislature on program recommendations prior to January 1, 1984. Members of the committee shall serve without compensation but shall be reimbursed for expenses in the same manner and amount as state employees. The committee shall terminate upon the adoption of rules designating animal species and the proposal of designated plant species to the legislature under section 97.488, subdivision 2, but in no event later than January 1, 1984.

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective the day following final enactment.

Approved May 28, 1981

CHAPTER 286 - S.F.No. 268

An act relating to insurance; regulating suicide provisions in life insurance contracts; proposing new law coded in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 61A.

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

Section 1. [61A.031] SUICIDE PROVISIONS.

The sanity or insanity of a person shall not be a factor in determining whether a person committed suicide within the terms of an individual or group life insurance policy regulating the payment of benefits in the event of the insured's suicide. This section shall not be construed to alter present law but is intended to clarify present law.

Approved May 28, 1981

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CHAPTER 287 - S.F.No. 278

An act relating to transportation; extending the life of the joint commuter rail study commission and the deadline for its report; amending Laws 1980, Chapter 607, Article XIII, Section 2, Subdivisions 3 and 5.

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

Section 1. Laws 1980, Chapter 607, Article XIII, Section 2, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Changes or additions are indicated by underline, deletions by strikeout.