

completely discharged and released from any and all responsibility for payment under the policy.

(d) (e) Any other acquisition of property or interest by the killer shall be treated in accordance with the principles of this section.

(e) (f) A final judgment of conviction of felonious and intentional killing, is conclusive for purposes of this section. In the absence of a conviction of felonious and intentional killing the court may determine by a preponderance of evidence whether the killing was felonious and intentional for purposes of this section.

(f) (g) This section does not affect the rights of any person who, before rights under this section have been adjudicated, purchases from the killer for value and without notice property which the killer would have acquired except for this section, but the killer is liable for the amount of the proceeds or the value of the property. Any insurance company, bank, or other obligor making payment according to the terms of its policy or obligation is not liable by reason of this section unless prior to payment it has received at its home office or principal address written notice of a claim under this section.

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CHAPTER 316 — S.F.No. 655

An act relating to financial institutions; permitting the sale of certain loans of credit unions; providing for the withdrawal of credit union members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1980, Sections 52.04 and 52.19.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 52.04, is amended to read:

52.04 POWERS.

Subdivision 1. **ENUMERATION.** A credit union shall have the following powers:

(1) To receive the savings of its members either as payment on shares or as deposits, including the right to conduct Christmas clubs, vacation clubs, and other such thrift organizations within its membership;

(2) To make loans to members for provident or productive purposes as provided in section 52.16;

(3) To make loans to a cooperative society or other organization having membership in the credit union;

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(4) To deposit in state and national banks and trust companies authorized to receive deposits;

(5) To invest in any investment legal for savings banks or for trust funds in the state;

(6) To borrow money as hereinafter indicated;

(7) To adopt and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure;

(8) To make payments on shares of and deposit with any other credit union chartered by this or any other state or operating under the provisions of the federal credit union act, in amounts not exceeding in the aggregate 25 percent of its unimpaired assets providing that payments on shares of and deposit with credit unions chartered by other states shall be restricted to credit unions insured by the National Credit Union Administration. The restrictions imposed by this clause shall not apply to share accounts and deposit accounts of Minnesota central credit union in U.S. central credit union;

(9) To contract with any licensed insurance company or society to insure the lives of members to the extent of their share accounts, in whole or in part, and to pay all or a portion of the premium therefor;

(10) To indemnify each director, officer, or committee member, or former director, officer, or committee member against all expenses, including attorney's fees but excluding amounts paid pursuant to a judgment or settlement agreement, reasonably incurred by him in connection with or arising out of any action, suit, or proceeding to which he is a party by reason of being or having been a director, officer, or committee member of the credit union, except with respect to matters as to which he shall be finally adjudged in such action, suit, or proceeding to be liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of his duties. Such indemnification shall not be exclusive of any other rights to which he may be entitled under any bylaw, agreement, vote of members, or otherwise;

(11) Upon written authorization from a member, retained at the credit union, to make payments to third parties by withdrawals from the member's share or deposit accounts or through proceeds of loans made to such member, or by permitting the credit union to make such payments from the member's funds prior to deposit; to permit draft withdrawals from member accounts; however, this clause does not permit a credit union to establish demand deposits (checking accounts) for its members, provided that any credit union proposing to permit draft withdrawals shall notify the commissioner of banks, in the form prescribed, of its intent not less than 90 days prior to authorizing draft withdrawals;

(12) To inform its members as to the availability of various group purchasing plans which are related to the promotion of thrift or the borrowing

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of money for provident and productive purposes by means of informational materials placed in the credit union's office, through its publications, or by direct mailings to members by the credit union;

(13) To facilitate its members' voluntary purchase of types of insurance incidental to promotion of thrift or the borrowing of money for provident and productive purposes including, but not limited to the following types of group or individual insurance: Fire, theft, automobile, life and temporary disability; to be the policy holder of a group insurance plan or a sub-group under a master policy plan and to disseminate information to its members concerning the insurance provided thereunder; to remit premiums to an insurer or the holder of a master policy on behalf of a credit union member, provided that the credit union shall obtain written authorization from such member for remittance by share or deposit withdrawals or through proceeds of loans made by such members, or by permitting the credit union to make such payments from the member's funds prior to deposit; and to accept from the insurer reimbursement for the actual cost of ministerial tasks performed pertaining to insurance;

(14) To contract with another credit union to furnish services which either could otherwise perform. Contracted services under this clause are subject to regulation and examination by the commissioner of banks like other services;

(15) In furtherance of the twofold purpose of promoting thrift among its members and creating a source of credit for them at legitimate rates of interest for provident purposes, and not in limitation of the specific powers hereinbefore conferred, to have all the powers enumerated, authorized, and permitted by this chapter, and such other rights, privileges and powers as may be incidental to, or necessary for, the accomplishment of the objectives and purposes of the credit union;

(16) To rent safe deposit boxes to its members provided the credit union obtains adequate insurance or bonding coverage for losses which might result from the rental of safe deposit boxes;

(17) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 52.05, to accept deposits of public funds in an amount secured by insurance or other means pursuant to chapter 118;

(18) To accept and maintain treasury tax and loan accounts of the United States and to pledge collateral to secure the treasury tax or loan accounts, in accordance with the regulations of the Department of Treasury of the United States;

(19) To accept deposits pursuant to section 149.12, notwithstanding the provisions of section 52.05, if the deposits represent funding of prepaid funeral plans of members;

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(20) In addition to the sale of loans secured by a first lien on real estate, to sell, pledge, discount, or otherwise dispose of, in whole or in part, to any source, a loan or group of loans, other than a self-replenishing line of credit; provided, that within a calendar year beginning January 1 the total dollar value of loans sold, other than loans secured by real estate or insured by a state or federal agency, shall not exceed 25 percent of the dollar amount of all loans and participating interests in loans held by the credit union at the beginning of the calendar year, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the commissioner.

Subd. 2. **STATE CHARTERED CREDIT UNIONS.** The commissioner of banks may by rule authorize a state chartered credit union to engage in any activity in which the credit union could engage were it operating as a federally chartered credit union provided that the activity is not expressly prohibited by the laws of this state ~~and was permitted by law or rule as of June 1, 1977.~~

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 52.19, is amended to read:

52.19 EXPULSION OR WITHDRAWAL OF MEMBERS.

A member may be expelled by a two-thirds vote of the members present at a special meeting called to consider the matter, but only after a hearing. Any member may withdraw from the credit union at any time, but notice of withdrawal may be required. All amounts paid on shares or as deposits of an expelled or withdrawing member, with any dividends or interest accredited thereto, to the date thereof, shall, as funds become available and after deducting all amounts due from the member to the credit union and an amount as necessary to honor outstanding share drafts drawn against the accounts of the member, be paid to him. The credit union may require 60 days' notice of intention to withdraw shares and 30 days' notice of intention to withdraw deposits, except that a credit union shall not at any time require notice of withdrawal of funds subject to withdrawal by share drafts. Withdrawing or expelled members shall have no further right in the credit union, but are not, by the expulsion or withdrawal, released from any remaining liability to the credit union.

Sec. 3. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Sections 1 and 2 are effective the day following final enactment.

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CHAPTER 317 — S.F.No. 660

An act relating to local government; providing for adoption of certain joint cable franchises; providing correct references to certain civil service procedures; amending Minnesota Statutes 1980, Sections 238.08, Subdivision 5; 375.58, Subdivision 3; and 375.62.

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