political party precinct caucus unless permission to do so has been received from the state board for community colleges.

- Subd. 4. No school official may deny the use of a public school building for the holding of a major political party precinct caucus if the school office has received a written request for the use of the school building 30 days or more prior to the date of the caucus.
- Subd. 5. No public elementary or secondary school may hold a school sponsored event after  $\frac{7:00}{6:00}$  p.m. on the day of a major political party precinct caucus.
- Subd. 6. No state agency, board, commission, department or committee shall conduct a public meeting after 6:00 p.m. on the day of a major political party precinct caucus.

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#### CHAPTER 169 — S.F.No. 752

An act relating to crimes; prohibiting assaulting a peace officer; prescribing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 609.224; proposing new law coded in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

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

# Section 1. [609.2231] ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE.

Whoever assaults a peace officer when that officer is effecting a lawful arrest or executing any other duty imposed upon him by law and inflicts demonstrable bodily harm is guilty of a felony and may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than one year and a day or to payment of a fine of not more than \$1,000, or both.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 609.224, is amended to read:

## 609.224 ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH FIFTH DEGREE.

Whoever does any of the following commits an assault and is guilty of a misdemeanor:

- (1) Does an act with intent to cause fear in another of immediate bodily harm or death; or
  - (2) Intentionally inflicts or attempts to inflict bodily harm upon another.

#### Sec. 3. INSTRUCTIONS TO REVISOR.

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

In the next edition of Minnesota Statutes, the revisor of statutes shall change any reference to "assault in the fourth degree" to read "assault in the fifth degree" if the reference is to section 609.224.

#### Sec. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 to 3 are effective the day after final enactment and apply to all crimes committed on or after that date.

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### CHAPTER 170 — S.F.No. 812

An act relating to highway traffic regulations; clarifying certain bumper requirements; restricting the height of bumpers on certain vehicles; amending Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 169.73.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 169.73, is amended to read: 169.73 BUMPERS, SAFEGUARDS.

Subdivision 1. **DEFINITIONS.** As used in this section "private passenger vehicle" means a four wheeled passenger automobile as defined in section 168.011, but does not include a collector vehicle as defined in section 168.10, a station wagon or other multipurpose vehicle or a truck having a gross weight of 9,000 pounds with a manufacturer's rated capacity of 2,000 pounds or less. "Suspension system" includes both the front and rear wheels and tires of a vehicle as specified in subdivision 3.

- Subd. 2. **BUMPER REQUIREMENT.** All private passenger vehicles shall be equipped with front and rear bumpers.
- Subd. 3. BUMPER RESTRICTIONS. No person shall operate a passenger automobile, station wagon, jeep type automobile, or truck of a gross weight of 9,000 pounds with a manufacturer's rated capacity of 2,000 pounds or less that: (a) was originally equipped with bumpers as standard equipment, unless the vehicle is equipped with bumpers equal to the original equipment; or (b) has a suspension system or body so modified that the height of any bumper on the vehicle or any bumpers varies more than three six inches from the original manufactured bumper height for the vehicle.
- <u>Subd. 4. MAXIMUM BUMPER HEIGHT. Notwithstanding the restrictions contained in subdivision 3, bumpers required under this section shall not exceed a height of 20 inches on any passenger automobile or station wagon or</u>

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