

Subd. 16. **LOCAL REGULATION.** This section shall be construed to supersede municipal or county regulation of the transfer of pistols ~~except more restrictive regulation in cities of the first class.~~

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 624.717, is amended to read:

**624.717 LOCAL REGULATION.**

Sections 624.711 to 624.716 shall be construed to supersede municipal or county regulation of the carrying or possessing of pistols and the regulation of Saturday Night Special Pistols ~~except more restrictive regulation in cities of the first class.~~

Sec. 4. **REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 624.718, is repealed.

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**CHAPTER 145 — H.F.No. 835**

*An act relating to driver's licenses; allowing same time for expiration of driver's license for spouse of active duty member of armed forces; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 171.27.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 171.27, is amended to read:

**171.27 EXPIRATION OF LICENSES.**

The expiration date for each driver's license, other than provisional licenses, is the birthday of the driver in the fourth year following the date of issuance of the license. The birthday of the driver shall be as indicated on his the application for a driver's license. A license may be renewed on or before expiration or within one year after expiration upon application, payment of the required fee, and passing the examination required of all drivers for renewal. Driving privileges shall be extended or renewed on or preceding the expiration date of an existing driver's license unless the commissioner believes that the licensee is no longer qualified as a driver.

The expiration date for each provisional license shall be the 18th birthday of the licensee. Upon the provisional licensee attaining the age of 18 and upon the application, payment of the required fee, and passing the examination required of all drivers for renewal, a driver's license shall be issued if the commissioner deems the record of the provisional licensee to be satisfactory.

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Any valid Minnesota driver's license issued to a person then or subsequently on active duty with the Armed Forces of the United States, or the person's spouse, shall continue in full force and effect without requirement for renewal until 90 days after the date of his the person's discharge from such service, provided that a spouse's license must be renewed if the spouse is residing within the state at the time the license expires or within 90 days after the spouse returns to Minnesota and resides within the state.

All provisional licenses issued prior to August 1, 1973 will remain in effect until the licensee's 21st birthday.

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### CHAPTER 146 — S.F.No. 1131

*An act relating to the city of South St. Paul; providing for the financing of certain public improvements.*

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

#### Section 1. **SOUTH ST. PAUL; SEWER IMPROVEMENTS.**

If the city of South St. Paul issues bonds under Minnesota Statutes, section 115.46 to finance the cost of separation of its combined storm and sanitary sewer system, the city may refund all or any part of the collections of special assessments previously levied and collected with respect to any part of the sewer separation project and may include in the principal amount of the bonds issued an amount sufficient to make the refunds. To make the refunds the city may use money derived from the sale of bonds as authorized in the preceding sentence, money in the city's general fund, or both.

#### Sec. 2. **PRIOR SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS.**

If the city of South St. Paul refunds the special assessments collected with respect to its sewer separation project as authorized by section 1, the city may cancel all remaining installments of the special assessments, but if the special assessments are pledged to the payment of improvement bonds issued by the city under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 429, the city shall, prior to the cancellation, levy and certify to the Dakota County auditor, in the manner provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 475.61, a direct general ad valorem tax upon all taxable property in the city collectible for a number of years and in amounts which, when combined with the collections of any other general ad valorem taxes previously levied with respect to the improvement bonds, will yield not less than five percent more than the amount needed to meet when due the principal and interest payments on the improvement bonds, and shall irrevocably appropriate

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