

(b) (2) approve a budget for the ~~coming~~ fiscal year;

(c) (3) approve or disapprove ~~all~~ proposed projects by the district having a cost to the district in excess of \$5,000; ~~by vote of the resident owners within the district;~~ and

(d) (4) take up and consider ~~such~~ other business as comes before it.

Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 459.20, is amended to read:

459.20 AUTHORITY OVER PUBLIC WATERS.

The governing body of any home rule charter or statutory city or town in the state has, with respect to any body of water situated wholly within its boundaries, all the powers to improve and regulate the use of such body of water as are conferred on county boards by sections 378.31 and 378.32, and to establish and administer lake improvement districts under sections ~~378.41~~ 378.401 to 378.57. With respect to any body of water situated wholly within the contiguous boundaries of two or more home rule charter or statutory cities or towns or any combination thereof, the city councils and town boards may, under the provisions of section 471.59, jointly exercise such powers to improve and regulate the use of the body of water as are conferred on county boards by sections 378.31 and 378.32, and to establish and administer lake improvement districts as provided under sections ~~378.41~~ 378.401 to 378.57, provided that, no home rule charter or statutory city or town may establish and administer a lake improvement district or exercise any of the powers granted in this section if a lake improvement district covering the same territory has been created by a county board under sections ~~378.41~~ 378.401 to 378.57. References in sections 378.31 to 378.35 and ~~378.41~~ 378.401 to 378.57 to the county board shall be construed to refer to the governing body of a home rule charter or statutory city or the board of supervisors of a town.

Sec. 17. INSTRUCTION TO REVISOR.

The revisor of statutes shall renumber section 378.57 as 378.545.

Sec. 18. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 to 17 are effective the day after final enactment.

Approved March 25, 1986

CHAPTER 444—H.F.No. 1824

An act relating to statutes; adopting as amended a gender neutral revision of Minnesota Statutes; providing for no substantive change; granting certain editorial authority to the revisor of statutes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, sections 3C.10, subdivision 1; and 645.44, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. **REVISION ADOPTED.**

The proposed amendments to Minnesota Statutes made by the document named "Gender Revision of 1986," certified on January 24, 1986, and filed with the secretary of state on January 24, 1986, are adopted.

Sec. 2. **CONFLICTS.**

With respect only to the treatment of gender specific terms, an amendment adopted by section 1 prevails over a conflicting amendment in another law enacted in 1986. In all other respects the amendment in the other law prevails. The revisor need not publish in Minnesota Statutes the parts of the amendments that do not prevail.

Sec. 3. **NO SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE.**

The amendments adopted by section 1 do not change the substance of the statutes amended.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 3C.10, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **EDITORIAL POWERS FOR STATUTES.** The revisor's office, in preparing printer's copy for editions of statutes, may not alter the sense, meaning, or effect of any legislative act, but may:

- (a) renumber sections or subdivisions and parts of sections or subdivisions;
- (b) change the wording of headnotes;
- (c) rearrange sections or subdivisions;
- (d) combine sections or subdivisions into other sections or other subdivisions, or both;
- (e) divide sections or subdivisions into other sections or subdivisions so as to give to distinct subject matters a section or subdivision number;
- (f) substitute the proper section, chapter, or subdivision numbers for the terms "this act," "the preceding section," and the like;
- (g) substitute figures for written words and vice versa;
- (h) substitute the date on which the law becomes effective for the words "the effective date of this act," and the like;
- (i) change capitalization for the purpose of uniformity;
- (j) correct manifest clerical, typographical, grammatical, or punctuation errors;

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(k) correct words misspelled in enrollments;

(l) change reference numbers to agree with renumbered chapters, sections, or subdivisions;

(m) delete the phrases "Minnesota Statutes," "Minnesota Statutes 1980," and phrases identifying other editions of and supplements to Minnesota Statutes if the phrases are used in a reference to a statutory section; and

(n) replace gender specific words with gender neutral words and, if necessary, recast the sentences containing gender specific words; and

(o) make similar editorial changes to ensure the accuracy and utility of the publication.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 645.44, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 1b. CHAIR. "Chair" includes chairman, chairwoman, and chairperson.

Sec. 6. AMENDMENTS.

Volume 2 of The Gender Revision of 1986 as adopted under section 1 is amended as follows:

Page 282, line 66, strike "hunter,"

Page 282, line 67, delete "fisher" and strike ", trapper, tourist or vacationist" and insert "person"

Page 284, line 2, before "license" insert "fishing" and after the stricken "fisherman" delete "fisher" and insert "person"

Page 294, line 35, delete "fishers" and insert "licensees"

Page 296, line 13, strike "licensed" and delete "fishers" and insert "fishing licensees"

Page 296, line 17, strike "licensed" and delete "fishers" and insert "fishing licensees"

Page 300, line 53, strike "licensed" and delete "fishers" and insert "fishing licensees"

Sec. 7. REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION.

The revisor shall restore the term "airman" wherever it appeared in Minnesota Statutes before the gender revision of 1986 was prepared and shall delete whatever was substituted for it in the gender revision.

Sec. 8. REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION.

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The revisor shall restore the term "sportsmen's club" wherever it appeared in Minnesota Statutes before the gender revision of 1986 was prepared and shall delete whatever was substituted for it in the gender revision.

Sec. 9. REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION.

The revisor shall restore the terms "father" and "mother" wherever they appeared in Minnesota Statutes before the gender revision of 1986 was prepared and shall delete whatever was substituted for them in the gender revision.

Sec. 10. AMENDMENT; VOLUME 8.

Volume 8 of the Gender Revision of 1986 as adopted under section 1 is amended as follows:

Page 370, line 48, delete "sexual capacity" and insert "virility".

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CHAPTER 445—H.F.No. 1835

An act relating to crimes; prohibiting the solicitation of children to engage in sexual conduct; clarifying certain language relating to deprivation of parental rights; requiring certain notifications; imposing a penalty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, sections 609.26, subdivision 5; and 611A.06; Minnesota Statutes 1985 Supplement, section 609.26, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1985 Supplement, section 609.26, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **PROHIBITED ACTS.** Whoever intentionally does any of the following acts may be charged with a felony and, upon conviction, may be sentenced as provided in subdivision 6:

(1) conceals a minor child from the child's parent where the action manifests an intent substantially to deprive that parent of parental rights or conceals a minor child from another person having the right to visitation or custody where the action manifests an intent to substantially deprive that person of rights to visitation or custody;

(2) takes, obtains, retains, or fails to return a minor child in violation of a court order which has transferred legal custody under chapter 260 to the commissioner of human services, a child placing agency, or the county welfare board;

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