

CHAPTER 166—H.F.No. 692

An act relating to public safety; providing for access to criminal justice datacommunications network and defining purposes for its use; amending Minnesota Statutes 1986, sections 299C.46, subdivision 3; and 299C.48.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 299C.46, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. The datacommunications network shall be used exclusively ~~for~~ by:

(1) criminal justice agencies of the state in connection with enforcement of the criminal or traffic laws of the state the performance of duties required by law;

(2) agencies investigating federal security clearances of individuals for assignment or retention in federal employment with duties related to national security, as required by Public Law 99-169; and

(3) other agencies to the extent necessary to provide for protection of the public or property in an emergency or disaster situation.

The commissioner of public safety shall establish a monthly network access charge to be paid by each participating criminal justice agency. The network access charge shall be a standard fee established for each terminal, computer, or other equipment directly addressable by the criminal justice datacommunications network, as follows: January 1, 1984 to December 31, 1984, \$40 connect fee per month; January 1, 1985 and thereafter, \$50 connect fee per month.

The commissioner of public safety is authorized to arrange for the connection of the datacommunications network with the criminal justice information system of the federal government, any adjacent state, or Canada.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 299C.48, is amended to read:

299C.48 CONNECTIONS BY MUNICIPALITIES AUTHORIZED AGENCY.

~~Any criminal justice~~ An agency authorized under section 299C.46, subdivision 3, may connect with and participate in the criminal justice datacommunications network upon approval of the commissioner of public safety; provided, that the agency shall first agree to pay installation charges as may be necessary for connection and monthly operational charges as may be established by the commissioner of public safety. Before participation by a criminal justice agency may be approved, the agency must have executed an agreement with the commissioner providing for security of network facilities and restrictions on access to data supplied to and received through the network.

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