

## CHAPTER 320—S.F.No. 326

*An act relating to public safety; authorizing executive council, under federal law, to repair state property damaged by major disaster; dedicating receipts from criminal justice datacommunications network billings; appropriating video gaming license fees to commissioner of public safety for disbursal to municipalities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1986, sections 9.061, subdivision 1; 299C.48; and 349.52, subdivisions 2 and 3.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 9.061, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. The executive council may:

(a) take such measures as are necessary to prevent an impending disaster that threatens to destroy life or property;

(b) grant relief to communities stricken by disease, fire, action of the elements, or extreme economic distress;

(c) prevent the occurrence or spread of any disaster; and

(d) grant relief to individuals or families adversely affected by a major disaster in conformance with federal disaster relief laws and regulations. Any grants made shall be refunded to the state if the financial assistance needed is received from any other source; and

(e) repair state property damaged by a major disaster in conformance with federal disaster relief laws and regulations.

In these emergencies, the executive council may, when necessary, commandeer and use any property, vehicle, means of transportation, means of communication, or public service. The owner of any property taken shall be given a receipt for the property and be paid for its use and for any damages inflicted upon the property while in the service of the executive council.

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

**299C.48 CONNECTIONS BY MUNICIPALITIES; STANDING APPROPRIATION.**

(a) Any criminal justice agency 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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(b) The installation and monthly operational charges collected by the commissioner of public safety under paragraph (a) are annually appropriated to the commissioner to administer sections 299C.46 to 299C.50.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 349.52, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **COLLECTION.** At the time a video game of chance is sold to an operator, the distributor must collect the license fee specified in subdivision 1. The distributor must affix to each game a stamp containing the operator's license number. All license fees must be given to the state treasurer for deposit in the account created in commissioner for distribution under subdivision 3.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 349.52, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **VIDEO GAMING LICENSE ACCOUNT.** ~~There is created (a) Fees collected by the commissioner under sections 349.50 to 349.60 must be deposited in the state treasury in a special account to be known as the "video gaming license account."~~ All fees received by the state treasury pursuant to this section ~~must be credited to this account.~~ Money in the account is appropriated to the commissioner for distribution under paragraph (b).

~~(b) The commissioner operator shall, by January 10 31 of each year, certify to the state treasurer commissioner the number of video games of chance located in each city, and in each county outside of incorporated areas, on December 31 of the previous year. Within ten 15 days of receiving this certification the state treasurer commissioner shall pay from the video gaming license account to each city and county \$30 for each video game of chance located in the city or in the county outside city limits. After making these payments the state treasurer commissioner shall transfer the unexpended balance in the account to the general fund.~~

Sec. 5. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Sections 1 to 4 are effective July 1, 1987.

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#### CHAPTER 321—S.F.No. 465

*An act relating to transportation; specifying that department of transportation standards for trunk highways in scenic areas are not rules; providing for payment of administrative, filing, and plate fees; restricting unauthorized use of motor vehicles on public airport property; defining peace officer; describing qualifications for aircraft dealers license; providing for certain permits; amending Minnesota Statutes 1986, sections 160.81, subdivision 1; 168.012,*

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