

(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 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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*subdivision 1c; 360.018, subdivision 6, and by adding a subdivision; 360.0751, subdivision 1; 360.63, subdivision 1; and Laws 1985, chapter 299, section 40, as amended by Laws 1986, chapter 454, section 34; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 160.81, subdivision 4.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 160.81, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **JOINT STANDARDS.** The commissioner of transportation, in consultation with the commissioner of natural resources, shall establish standards for trunk highway segments located in areas of unusual scenic interest. The ~~rules~~ standards shall:

(1) define "areas of unusual scenic interest," which must include major recreational areas, historic areas and major publicly and privately owned tourist attractions;

(2) prescribe standards for right-of-way, shoulders and parking areas for trunk highway segments in such areas; and

(3) prescribe standards for scenic overlooks, parking piers and other parking areas, tourist information facilities, public water access points and other facilities intended to expand the recreational use of trunk highway segments in such areas.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 168.012, subdivision 1c, is amended to read:

Subd. 1c. **PAYMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE, PLATE, AND FILING FEE.** (a) The annual administrative fee for a tax-exempt vehicle under this section is \$5. The license plate fee for a tax-exempt vehicle, except a trailer, is \$10 for two plates per vehicle, payable only on the first tax-exempt registration of the vehicle. The registration period for a tax-exempt vehicle is biennial. The administrative fee is due on March 1 biennially and payable the preceding January 1, with validating stickers issued at time of payment.

(b) The owner of a tax-exempt vehicle shall apply for tax-exempt license plates, and pay the administrative and plate fees, and the filing fee under section 168.33, subdivision 7; ~~only to a deputy registrar in the county in which the vehicle is domiciled.~~

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 360.018, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. **LICENSING OF AIRPORTS AND OTHER AIR NAVIGATION FACILITIES.** All proposed airports, restricted landing areas, and other air navigation facilities shall be first licensed by the commissioner before they, or any of them, shall be used or operated. Any municipality or person acquiring property for the purpose of constructing or establishing an airport or restricted

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landing area shall, prior to such acquisition, make application to the commissioner for a certificate of approval of the site selected and the general purpose or purposes for which the property is to be acquired, to insure that the property and its use shall conform to minimum standards of safety and shall serve public interest. It shall be unlawful for any municipality or officer or employee thereof, or for any person, to operate an airport, restricted landing area, or other air navigation facility for which ~~an~~ the required annual license has not been issued by the commissioner. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a personal use airport that is more than five miles from a public airport, whether publicly or privately owned, need not obtain a license from the commissioner.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 360.018, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 12. OPERATING VEHICLES ON AIRPORT PROPERTY. No person shall operate a motor vehicle off a designated roadway on airport property without the authorization of the airport owner, or operate a motor vehicle anywhere on airport property in a careless or reckless manner with willful disregard for the safety of persons or property. A violation of this subdivision is a misdemeanor.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 360.0751, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **PEACE OFFICER DEFINED.** For purposes of this section, the term "peace officer" means ~~a full-time police officer of any municipality, airport, or county, having satisfactorily completed a prescribed course of instruction in a school for instruction of persons in law enforcement conducted by the University of Minnesota or a similar course considered equivalent by the commissioner of public safety~~ an employee of a political subdivision or state law enforcement agency who is licensed by the Minnesota board of peace officers standards and training, who is charged with the prevention and detection of crime and the enforcement of the general criminal laws of the state, and who has full power of arrest, and shall also include the Minnesota state patrol, but does not include employees of the department of natural resources.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 360.63, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. Any person engaged in the business of selling, purchasing, or dealing in aircraft, new or used, and who desires to withhold aircraft owned by that person from tax as provided in sections 360.511 to 360.67, may apply to the commissioner for an aircraft dealer's license. In order to qualify for an aircraft dealer's license the applicant shall show that the applicant has an established place of business ~~on an airport licensed as a public airport~~ approved by the commissioner ~~and that~~ has the necessary buildings, facilities and equipment for the proper storage and maintenance of aircraft in accordance with such rules as may be established by the commissioner. The commissioner may charge a fee of \$10 for each license, which license shall be effective for one year from the

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date of its issuance, or may authorize an aircraft dealer to operate under a flight operator's license as otherwise provided by this chapter. The commissioner is empowered to suspend or revoke any license issued by the commissioner on determining that the holder thereof has violated any of the provisions of sections 360.511 to 360.67 or has failed to maintain any of the requirements necessary to obtain such license.

Sec. 7. Laws 1985, chapter 299, section 40, as amended by Laws 1986, chapter 454, section 34, is amended to read:

**Sec. 40. SPECIAL PERMIT.**

Subdivision 1. **PERMIT TO BE ISSUED.** Notwithstanding any law to the contrary the commissioner of transportation shall issue one special permit authorizing the operation for testing purposes of a three vehicle combination consisting of a motor vehicle, a "motorized hitch" and a trailer. The permit is valid for one year from the date of issuance. The annual fee for the permit is \$30. The permit is subject to all applicable provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 169.86, except as otherwise provided in this subdivision. The holder of the permit is responsible for all liability for personal injury, property damage or time lost, which may occur as a result of the operation of the combination for which the permit is issued, and must, if a claim is made against the state or a department, division officer or employee thereof arising from such operation, defend, indemnify and hold them harmless.

Subd. 2. **REPEALER.** This section is repealed July 31, ~~1987~~ 1988.

**Sec. 8. REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 160.81, subdivision 4, is repealed.

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**CHAPTER 322—S.F.No. 587**

*An act relating to state and local government; adding certain emergency personnel to the list of people eligible for benefits from the peace officers benefit fund; Minneapolis police relief association service pensions and survivor benefits; amending Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 176B.01, subdivision 2; and Laws 1949, chapter 406, section 4, subdivisions 2 and 3, as amended, section 5, subdivisions 1 and 3, as amended, and section 6, subdivision 1, as amended; and Laws 1980, chapter 607, article 15, section 9.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1986, section 176B.01, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

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