CHAPTER 327-S.F.No. 1050

An act relating to agriculture; permitting certain requirements for processing of farmstead cheese; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 32.486, subdivision 1a.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 32.486, subdivision 1a, is amended to read:

Subd. 1a. **PROCESSING REQUIREMENTS.** (a) Milk used to manufacture Minnesota farmstead cheese may not be more than 48 hours old when used.

(b) Pasteurization is required in all facilities making Minnesota farmstead eheese and facilities making 70,000 pounds or less of cultured dairy food per year. Before requiring pasteurization, the commissioner shall provide a plan at least 60 days before the next inspection to the manufacturer to assist the manufacturer in meeting the processing and facility requirements. The commissioner may require pasteurization if test samples demonstrate cheese and cultured dairy foods are not free of pathogens. The commissioner must inspect facilities at least four times each year.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective July 1, 1991.

Presented to the governor May 31, 1991

Signed by the governor June 4, 1991, 8:54 p.m.

CHAPTER 328-S.F.No. 782

An act relating to jobs and training; requiring the commissioner of jobs and training to contract for the provision of comprehensive adjustment-to-blindness training services; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 248.07, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 248.07, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 16. ADJUSTMENT-TO-BLINDNESS TRAINING. (a) The commissioner of jobs and training shall enter into contracts or agreements to provide comprehensive adjustment-to-blindness training services to blind and visually handicapped persons. Services available must include, but not be limited to, instruction in Braille reading and writing, the use of the long white cane for independent travel, home management and self management, typing and computer technology, career exploration, and seminars on positive adjustment to

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blindness. In entering into contracts or agreements to provide adjustment-toblindness services, the commissioner shall, when in the best interests of the client, utilize services available from gualified nonprofit agencies or organizations who:

(1) are administered by a governing board composed of a majority of individuals who are blind;

(2) substantially involve individuals who are blind in policy direction and management; and

(3) employ individuals who are blind at all levels of operation.

(b) This subdivision does not limit the commissioner's authority to enter into contracts or agreements for any service with other gualified agencies or organizations.

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CHAPTER 329-S.F.No. 601

An act relating to commerce; providing a definition of "signed" for purposes of credit agreements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 513.33, subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 513.33, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **DEFINITIONS.** For the purposes of this section, the following terms have the meanings given them:

(1) "credit agreement" means an agreement to lend or forbear repayment of money, goods, or things in action, to otherwise extend credit, or to make any other financial accommodation;

(2) "creditor" means a person who extends credit under a credit agreement with a debtor; and

(3) "debtor" means a person who obtains credit or seeks a credit agreement with a creditor or who owes money to a creditor; and

(4) "signed" has the meaning specified in section 336.1-201(39).

Sec. 2. APPLICATION.

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