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CHAPTER 72—H.F.No. 877

An act relating to game and fish; authorizing the commissioner to establish special seasons for persons with a physical disability to take game with firearms and by archery; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 97B.

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

Section 1. [97B.111] SPECIAL FIREARM HUNTING SEASONS FOR PHYSICALLY DISABLED.

The commissioner may establish criteria, special seasons, and limits for persons who have a physical disability to take big game and small game with firearms and by archery in designated areas. A person hunting under this section who has a physical disability must have a verified statement of the disability by a licensed physician and must be participating in a program for physically disabled hunters sponsored by a nonprofit organization. A license is not required for a person to assist a physically disabled person hunting during a special season under this section.

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CHAPTER 73-H.F.No. 620

An act relating to state lands; authorizing the sale of certain land in Cook county; authorizing the private sale of certain state lands in St. Louis county.

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

Section 1. COOK COUNTY; LAND SALE.

(a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 282.018, Cook county may sell the lands bordering public waters described in paragraph (c) in accordance with the remaining provisions of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 282.

(b) The conveyance must be in a form approved by the attorney general.

(c) The lands that may be sold are located in Cook county and are described as:

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(1) Government Lot 1, Section 20, Township 61 North, Range 2 West; and

(2) Government Lot 5 north of the Gunflint Trail, Section 33, Township 65 North, Range 3 West.

(d) The county has determined that the county's land management interests would best be served if the lands were privately owned.

Sec. 2. ST. LOUIS COUNTY; PRIVATE SALE.

(a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 92.45, the commissioner of natural resources may offer for sale and sell, in the manner provided for the sale of other trust fund lands, the land described in paragraph (c), except that the value of the improvements on the land shall be appraised separately. The conveyance must be in a form approved by the attorney general.

(b) If at the sale of the land Duane D. Cihlar is the purchaser, he is not required to pay for the improvements upon furnishing an affidavit showing that the improvements were owned by him.

If a person other than Duane D. Cihlar purchases the land, the purchaser shall pay in cash to the state at the time of sale, in addition to all other required payments, the full amount for which the improvements are appraised. The amount received by the state for the improvements must be paid by the state treasurer, with the approval of the commissioner of finance, to Duane D. Cihlar or his successor in interest as compensation for the improvements. The money required for the payment is appropriated for this purpose.

(c) The commissioner may offer for sale and sell the land described as:

That part of the North 110 feet of the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 61 North, Range 12 West, St. Louis county, Minnesota, lying westerly of the unnamed creek, containing 2.6 acres, more or less.

(d) This land sale will resolve an inadvertent trespass revealed by a recent survey. The public interest will be best served when this trespass is resolved.

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective the day following final enactment.

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