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**CHAPTER 80—H.F.No. 479**

*An act relating to public officers or employees; clarifying the filling of temporary vacancies in public offices due to military service; amending Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 192.263.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1990, section 192.263, is amended to read:

**192.263 VACANCIES TO BE FILLED TEMPORARILY.**

In any case where a public officer or employee is absent with leave under the provisions of sections 192.26 to 192.264 and where it is necessary in the public interest to provide for the performance of the duties of the position during ~~such~~ the absence, the authority having power to fill a vacancy in the position may appoint a substitute, to be known as acting incumbent, who shall qualify as required for the regular incumbent, shall receive the same compensation as fixed by law, ~~otherwise such compensation or~~ as may be fixed by proper authority, and shall have all the powers and perform all the duties of the position until the return of the regular incumbent; ~~provided, that this shall or, if the position is for a fixed term, the period of the unexpired term, whichever occurs earlier. This section does not preclude the making of any other provision for the discharge of the duties of the position which may be otherwise authorized by law.~~

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**CHAPTER 81—H.F.No. 623**

*An act relating to Martin county; permitting the consolidation of the offices of auditor and treasurer.*

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

Section 1. **CONSOLIDATION OF OFFICES.**

Upon adoption of a resolution by the Martin county board of commissioners, the offices of auditor and treasurer shall be consolidated. The title of the consolidated office will be "auditor-treasurer." All the duties, functions, and responsibilities required by law to be performed by the county auditor and county treasurer shall be vested in and performed by the auditor-treasurer.

New language is indicated by underline, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.