

amount of bonds scheduled to be sold so as to remain within the limit set by this section. The amount needed to make the debt service payments is appropriated from the general fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641.

Sec. 35. REPEALER.

Laws 1994, chapter 643, section 19, subdivision 11; Laws 1996, chapter 463, section 7, subdivision 26; and Laws 1997, chapter 200, article 2, section 5, are repealed.

Sec. 36. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective the day following final enactment.

Presented to the governor May 29, 1997

Signed by the governor June 2, 1997, 2:04 p.m.

CHAPTER 247—H.F.No. 276

An act relating to natural resources; requiring public waters work permits for boathouses; providing authority to issue public waters work permits for boathouses to the commissioner of natural resources; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 103G.245, subdivision 4.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 103G.245, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. STRUCTURES IN OR ADJACENT TO PUBLIC WATERS OUTSIDE CITIES. (a) The following definitions apply to this subdivision:

(1) "boathouse" means a floating structure that is moored by spuds, cables, ropes, anchors, or chains that may be intended for habitation and has walls, a roof, and either an open well for boats or a floor from wall to wall and does not include houseboats; and

(2) "houseboat" means a motorboat that has either a pontoon or a flat-bottomed hull configuration, and a permanent enclosed superstructure housing, at a minimum, built-in sleeping, cooking, and toilet facilities.

(b) The commissioner, subject to the approval of the county board, may grant and prescribe terms and conditions for granting public waters work permits to establish, construct, maintain, and control wharves, docks, piers, levees, breakwaters, basins, canals, and hangars in or adjacent to public waters of the state, except within the corporate limits of a municipality.

(c) Boathouses are prohibited on public waters of Minnesota, except as allowed by paragraph (d).

(d) The commissioner may issue a public waters work permit for boathouses only:

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- (1) in areas of historic use for such structures, as determined by the commissioner;
(2) when approved by the local government unit; and
(3) where the boathouse is in existence on public waters prior to January 1, 1997.

(e) A boathouse in existence on public waters prior to January 1, 1997, may be repaired or replaced, provided that the repairs or replacement are consistent with the permit issued by the commissioner under paragraph (d).

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective July 1, 1997.

Presented to the governor May 30, 1997

Signed by the governor June 3, 1997, 2:57 p.m.

CHAPTER 248—S.F.No. 234

An act relating to human services; adding provisions for licensing programs; imposing and modifying civil penalties; requiring reports on nonresidential child care programs; providing interim expansion of unlicensed child care providers; requiring reports from the commissioner of health and the commissioner of human services; creating a legislative task force to review the background study process; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 144.057, subdivision 1; 144A.46, subdivision 5; 245A.02, subdivisions 15, 16, 17, and by adding subdivisions; 245A.03, subdivision 2; 245A.04, subdivisions 3, 3a, 3b, 3c, 4, 5, 6, 7, and by adding a subdivision; 245A.06, subdivisions 1, 3, 4, 5, 5a, 6, and 7; 245A.07, subdivisions 1 and 3; 245A.08, subdivisions 1 and 2; 245A.09, subdivision 7; 245A.11, subdivision 2; 245A.16, subdivision 2; 256E.115; and 364.09; Laws 1995, chapter 158, section 7; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245A; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1996, sections 245A.091; 245A.20; 245A.21; and 252.53; Laws 1996, chapter 408, article 10, section 13; Minnesota Rules, parts 4668.0020; 9503.0170, subpart 7; 9525.0215; 9525.0225; 9525.0235; 9525.0243; 9525.0245; 9525.0255; 9525.0265; 9525.0275; 9525.0285; 9525.0295; 9525.0305; 9525.0315; 9525.0325; 9525.0335; 9525.0345; 9525.0355; 9525.0500; 9525.0510; 9525.0520; 9525.0530; 9525.0540; 9525.0550; 9525.0560; 9525.0570; 9525.0580; 9525.0590; 9525.0600; 9525.0610; 9525.0620; 9525.0630; 9525.0640; 9525.0650; 9525.0660; 9525.1240, subpart 1, item E, subitem (6); 9525.1500; 9525.1510; 9525.1520; 9525.1530; 9525.1540; 9525.1550; 9525.1560; 9525.1570, subparts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6; 9525.1590; 9525.1610; 9525.1620; 9525.1630; 9525.1640; 9525.1650; 9525.1660; 9525.1670; 9525.1680; 9525.1690; 9525.2000; 9525.2010; 9525.2020; 9525.2025; 9525.2030; 9525.2040; 9525.2050; 9525.2060; 9525.2070; 9525.2080; 9525.2090; 9525.2100; 9525.2110; 9525.2120; 9525.2130; 9525.2140; 9543.3070; 9555.8000; 9555.8100; 9555.8200; 9555.8300; 9555.8400; and 9555.8500.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 144.057, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **BACKGROUND STUDIES REQUIRED.** The commissioner of health shall contract with the commissioner of human services to conduct background studies of:

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