(2) prevent deterioration of the enrollee's condition.

Subd. 3. **HEALTH PLAN; DEFINITION.** For purposes of this section, "health plan" has the meaning given in section 62Q.01, subdivision 3, but includes the coverages listed in section 62A.011, subdivision 3, clauses (7) and (10).

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 1 is effective January 1, 1998, and applies to health plans issued or renewed on or after that date.

Presented to the governor April 21, 1997

Signed by the governor April 23, 1997, 1:30 p.m.

CHAPTER 50—H.F.No. 108

An act relating to employment; providing for the protection of health insurance benefits for certain Range technical college employees.

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

Section 1. **CERTAIN TECHNICAL COLLEGE EMPLOYEES; PROTECTION OF BENEFITS.**

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, a person who is employed by the Range technical college, who filed a retirement notice prior to July 1, 1995, and who retires no later than June 15, 1997, is entitled to health insurance benefits provided in the applicable Range technical college collective bargaining agreement. The merger of the community colleges, state universities, and technical colleges has no effect on these benefits.

Presented to the governor April 21, 1997

Signed by the governor April 23, 1997, 1:32 p.m.

CHAPTER 51—S.F.No. 539

An act relating to highways; modifying designation of the George Mann memorial highway; designating the Augie Mueller and Don Rickers memorial highways; designating the Ruby L. Hughes Boulevard; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 161.14, subdivision 21, and by adding subdivisions.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 161.14, subdivision 21, is amended to read:

Subd. 21. **GEORGE MANN MEMORIAL HIGHWAY.** That segment of marked trunk highway No. 60 from Mankato to ~~Worthington~~ Brewster is named and designated

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