

age and structural inadequacy of the facility and physical plant. The recommendations must address issues related to alternative facility use, including, but not limited to, conversion of all or part of the facility to provide assisted living, housing with services, and board and lodging.

Sec. 4. RELOCATION STUDY.

(a) The commissioner of health, in consultation with representatives of county government, nursing facility operators, employees, residents, and advocates, shall study and report to the legislature by January 15, 2001, on:

(1) Minnesota Statutes, section 144A.16, and on Minnesota Rules, parts 4655.6810 to 4655.6830, and 4658.1600 to 4658.1690, governing relocation of nursing facility and boarding care home residents; and

(2) the impact on county government and on residents and their families of relocations occurring under Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.436.

(b) The report shall recommend any necessary modifications in law or rule.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment and applies to nursing homes that give notice of closure to the commissioner of health on or after February 25, 2000.

Presented to the governor April 7, 2000

Signed by the governor April 11, 2000, 10:45 a.m.

CHAPTER 365—S.F.No. 3533

An act relating to claims against the state; providing for payment of various claims; appropriating money.

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

Section 1. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS.

Subdivision 1. COMMUNITY SERVICE AND SENTENCING TO SERVICE WORK. The amounts in this subdivision are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of corrections for payment under Minnesota Statutes, section 3.739, to service providers as indicated in full and final payment of claims against the state for medical services provided to individuals who were injured while performing community service or sentencing to service work for correctional purposes. These appropriations are available until June 30, 2001.

(a) For claims under \$500 each and other claims already paid by the department, \$5,172.16.

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(b) For medical services provided to Joshua S. Anderberg, who suffered injuries while performing community service work in Ramsey county, \$585.96.

(c) For medical services provided to Jon K. Atzen, who suffered injuries while performing community service work in Nobles county, \$3,635.92.

(d) For medical services provided to Stephen Cisco, who suffered injuries while performing sentencing to service work in Isanti county, \$2,823.32.

(e) For medical services provided to Nepumoseno P. Hidalgo, who suffered injuries while performing community service work in Pipestone county, \$1,746.32.

(f) For medical services provided to Vernon Mizer, who suffered injuries while performing sentencing to service work in Goodhue county, \$5,866.65.

Subd. 2. INMATE INJURY. \$7,500 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of corrections for payment under Minnesota Statutes, section 3.738, to Wil I. Killian, who suffered permanent back injuries while performing assigned duties as an inmate at MCF - Oak Park Heights. This appropriation is available until June 30, 2001.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.

Presented to the governor April 7, 2000

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CHAPTER 366—S.F.No. 3566

An act relating to crime prevention; creating a new criminal penalty for failure to pay over sales tax on motor vehicles collected from a purchaser; amending Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 297B.10.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 297B.10, is amended to read:

297B.10 PENALTIES.

(1) Any person, including persons other than the purchaser, who prepares, completes, or submits a false or fraudulent motor vehicle purchaser's certificate with intent to defeat or evade the tax imposed under this chapter or any purchaser who fails to complete or submit a motor vehicle purchaser's certificate with intent to defeat or evade the tax or who attempts to defeat or evade the tax in any manner, is guilty of a gross misdemeanor unless the tax involved exceeds \$300, in which event the person is guilty of a felony. The term "person" as used in this section includes any officer or employee of a corporation or a member or employee of a partnership who as an officer, member, or employee is under a duty to perform the act with respect to which the

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