

sheltered workshops, public or non-profits, as required, and otherwise may act in such manner as it may deem necessary to accomplish the purposes of sections 120.32 through 120.35.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 120.35, is amended to read:

120.35 Reports; availability, no disclosure. The employees of the division of vocational rehabilitation shall have the right to receive from any public records the names, addresses and information pertinent to their vocational rehabilitation of persons injured or otherwise disabled. No information obtained from such reports, nor any copy of the same, nor any of the contents thereof, nor other confidential information as defined by the state board shall be open to the public, nor shall be disclosed in any manner by any official or clerk or other employee of the state having access thereto, but the same may be used solely to enable the division to offer the benefits of vocational rehabilitation to the persons injured or otherwise disabled.

Any disclosure so prohibited is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor and punishable as such.

Approved April 20, 1955.

CHAPTER 600—H. F. No. 325

An act relating to farm trucks; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 168.011, Subdivision 17.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 168.011, Subdivision 17, is amended to read:

Subd. 17. **Farm truck.** "Farm truck" means all single unit trucks, tractors, and trailers, used by the owner thereof to transport agricultural, horticultural, dairy, and other farm products, including livestock, produced, or finished by the owner of the truck, and any other personal property owned by the farmer to whom the license for such truck is issued, from the farm to market, and to transport property and supplies to the farm of the owner. Trucks, tractors and trailers registered as "farm trucks" may be used by the owner thereof to occasionally transport unprocessed and raw farm products, not produced by the owner of the truck, from the place of production to market when such transportation constitutes the first haul of such products, and may be used by the owner thereof to transport logs, pulpwood, *lumber, railroad ties* and

other raw and unfinished forest products from the place of production to an assembly yard or railhead when such transportation constitutes the first haul thereof, *provided that the owner and operator of such vehicle transporting planed lumber shall have in his immediate possession a statement signed by the producer of such lumber designating the governmental subdivision, section and township where such lumber was produced and that this haul, indicating the date, is the first haul thereof.*

“Farm trucks” shall also include only single unit trucks, which, because of their construction, cannot be used for any other purpose and are used exclusively to transport milk and cream enroute from farm to an assembly point or place for final manufacture, and for transporting milk and cream from an assembly point to a place for final processing or manufacture. This section shall not be construed to mean that the owner or operator of any such truck cannot carry on his usual accommodation services for his patrons on regular return trips, such as butter, cream, cheese, and other dairy supplies.

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CHAPTER 601—H. F. No. 369

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An act relating to dangerous excavations, authorizing the regulation of the maintenance, use, or abandonment thereof, and providing punishment for violations thereof.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. [471.92] **Dangerous excavations; maintenance, abandonment.** [Subdivision 1.] The governing body of any county, city, village, borough or town may regulate the maintenance or abandonment of open wells, cesspools, cisterns, recharging basins, catch basins and may provide penalties for the violation thereof. The use, maintenance or abandonment of any such installation so as to endanger the safety of any considerable number of persons, may be defined as a public nuisance and abated pursuant to the laws relating to public nuisances.

Sec. 2. [Subd. 2.] The abatement of any such nuisance may include suitably covering such installation or surrounding the same with a suitable protective fence.

Sec. 3. This act becomes effective January 1, 1956.

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