

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 136A.02, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. The members of the first higher education coordinating commission who are appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate shall be appointed as follows: ~~One president of a private college or private university shall be appointed for a term ending February 15, 1967, and the other for a term ending February 15, 1969;~~ four of the citizen members appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the senate shall be appointed for a term ending February 15, 1967, and the remaining four for a term ending February 15, 1969. ~~The terms of the members of the first higher education coordinating commission shall begin on July 1, 1965. The first members of the commission appointed by the governor as citizen members to represent the state at large shall be appointed for terms ending February 15, 1975.~~

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 136A.02, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 6. There is hereby created a higher education advisory council, the membership of which shall include the president of the University of Minnesota, the chancellor of the state college board, the chancellor of the state junior college board, the commissioner of education and the executive director of the Minnesota private college council. The advisory council shall (1) bring to the attention of the commission any matters which the council deems as needing attention of the commission, (2) make recommendations to the commission as the council deems appropriate, (3) review and comment upon proposals and other matters before the commission, and (4) provide any reasonable assistance to the commission in its effort to fulfill responsibilities of the commission. The commission shall periodically inform the council of all matters under consideration by the commission and shall refer all proposals to the council prior to transmitting such proposals as recommendations to the governor and the legislature. The commission shall provide time for a report from the advisory council at each meeting of the commission.

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CHAPTER 430—H.F.No.813

An act relating to sales and use tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297A.14.

Changes or additions indicated by underline, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297A.14, is amended to read:

297A.14 TAXATION; SALES AND USE TAX; MOTOR VEHICLES; STORING OR CONSUMING TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY; ADMISSIONS; UTILITIES. For the privilege of using, storing or consuming in Minnesota tangible personal property, tickets or admissions to places of amusement and athletic events, electricity, gas, and local exchange telephone service purchased for use, storage or consumption in this state, there is hereby imposed on every person in this state a use tax at the rate of three percent of the sales price of sales at retail of any of the aforementioned items made to such person after July 31, 1967, unless the tax imposed by section 297A.02 was paid on said sales price.

Motor vehicles subject to tax under this section shall be taxed at the fair market value at the time of transport into Minnesota if such motor vehicles were acquired more than three months prior to its transport into this state.

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CHAPTER 431—H.F.No.814

[Coded]

An act relating to the department of taxation; use of information by the commissioner of taxation in the exercise of his powers and duties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Chapter 270, by adding a section.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Chapter 270, is amended by adding a section to read:

[270.065] DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION; COMMISSIONER'S EXERCISE OF POWERS AND DUTIES. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, the commissioner of taxation may use any and all information in his possession, or to which he has access, to insure equal and consistent application and enforcement of all tax laws administered by his department. This section shall not be construed as granting to the commissioner of taxation any power to release any information outside his department.

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