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**CHAPTER 113—H.F.No.2085**

*An act relating to child welfare; requiring consents for adoption to be executed before a child-placing agency; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 259.24, Subdivision 5.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 259.24, Subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **ADOPTION; EXECUTION OF CONSENTS.** All consents, except those by the commissioner of public welfare, his agent or a licensed child-placing agency, to an adoption shall be in writing, executed before a representative of the commissioner of public welfare, his agent or a licensed child-placing agency in addition to two competent witnesses and acknowledged by the consenting party, and shall be filed in the adoption proceedings at any time before the matter is heard provided, however, that a consent executed and acknowledged outside of this state, either in accordance with the law of this state or in accordance with the law of the place where executed, is valid.

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**CHAPTER 114—H.F.No.2746**

*An act relating to public employees; submission of disputes to arbitration; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 179.69, Subdivision 5, as amended.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 179.69, Subdivision 5, as amended by Laws 1973, Chapter 635, Section 23, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **PUBLIC EMPLOYEES; ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES.** In the event the employer and exclusive representative fail to execute a contract pursuant to subdivision 4, they shall each submit their respective final positions on those terms and conditions of employment not agreed upon by the parties to the director at least 75 days prior to the last date the employer is required to submit its tax levy or budget, or certify the taxes voted to the appropriate public officer, agency, public body or office, or by October 1, whichever date is earlier, except in the

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