

its approval by the board of county commissioners of Ramsey county, and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Sec. 8. Laws 1923, Chapter 77, Section 10, as amended by Laws 1955, Chapter 581, as amended by Laws 1959, Chapter 551, as amended by Laws 1969, Chapter 799, as amended by Laws 1974, Chapter 322, Section 18; and Laws 1969, Chapter 838, Sections 1 to 6, as amended by Laws 1974, Chapter 322, Sections 22 to 24, are repealed.

Approved June 2, 1975.

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**CHAPTER 259—H.F.No.1476**

*An act relating to highways; municipal state-aid street system; payment of contract price; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 162.10.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 162.10, is amended to read:

**162.10 HIGHWAYS; MUNICIPAL STATE-AID; LIMITATION ON PAYMENT OF CONTRACT PRICES.** Whenever the construction or improvement of any municipal state-aid street is to be done by contract, the governing body of the city may agree in the contract to pay the contractor an amount not exceeding 90 percent of the value of the work from time to time actually completed, as shown by monthly estimates thereof made by the engineer of the city on the basis of the contract prices, and may further agree that when the work is 90 percent or more completed upon the recommendation of the city engineer such portions of the retained price may be released as the governing body of the city determines are not required to be retained to protect the city's interest in completion of the contract. In such case it shall be lawful for the appropriate disbursing officers of the city to pay the contractor an amount equal to the specified percentage consistent with the above prescribed limitations of the value of the work so completed and specified in the engineer's monthly estimate without allowance of a claim therefor by the governing body of the city.

Approved June 2, 1975.

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