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Approved April 8, 1976.

CHAPTER 201—H.F.No.1293

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An act relating to public television; providing grants for instructional television stations serving Minnesota; providing for supervision of grant expenditures; appropriating money.

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

Section 1. [139.16] PUBLIC TELEVISION GRANTS; PURPOSE. The purpose of this act is to facilitate the use of public television as a community resource for the public by providing financial assistance to public television stations serving Minnesota citizens, and to provide for cooperation between public television station officials and the state arts board.

Sec. 2. [139.17] DEFINITIONS. Subdivision 1. As used in this act, the terms defined in this section have the meanings here given them.

Subd. 2. "Public station" means a licensee of the federal communications commission as a noncommercial educational television broadcast station within or without the state serving a significant segment of the population of this state.

Sec. 3. [139.18] GRANTS. Subdivision 1. The state arts board shall distribute the funds provided by this act. Twice annually the state arts board shall make grants for the acquisition and production of materials and broadcast transmission costs to educational stations to the extent and in the amount the educational station matches Minnesota based contributions, on a dollar for dollar basis.

Subd. 2. In calculating the amount of contributions that must be matched by a public station pursuant to subdivision 1, contributions, whether monetary or in kind, from the corporation for public broadcasting, from tax generated public or private elementary and secondary schools, and from all sources based outside the state shall be excluded. The state arts board shall make payments in such a manner that eligible public stations receive as equal an amount as consistent with this section. No payments shall be made to a public station located in the counties of Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, or Washington.

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Subd. 3. Each educational station receiving a grant shall annually report by July 1 to the state arts board the purposes for which the funds were used in the past fiscal year and the anticipated use of the funds in the next fiscal year. The report shall be certified by an independent auditor or a certified public accountant. If the report is not submitted by September 1, the state arts board may withhold from the educational station 45 percent of the amount to which it was entitled based upon the contribution of the previous fiscal year, and may redistribute those funds to other educational stations.

Subd. 4. In designating the state arts board as the administrative agency to distribute these funds, the legislature recognizes that this is strictly an administrative function unrelated to the artistic and cultural mandate of the board. In future years, the board may develop program categories and funding programs in television, film and other public media, which shall not be limited, prohibited or otherwise affected by the board's serving the specific administrative functions under the terms of this act.

Sec. 4. **APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated from the general fund to the state arts board for the purposes of this act, \$120,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977.

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CHAPTER 202—H.F.No.1323

An act relating to health; setting standards for contract emergency ambulance services; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 144.804, Subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 144.804, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **AMBULANCES; CONTRACT SERVICES; STANDARDS.** All ambulances offering emergency service, whether publicly or privately owned, shall offer ambulance service 24 hours per day every day of the year and shall be staffed by a driver and attendant. An ambulance operated by a nonprofit entity and limiting its operation exclusively to providing emergency ambulance service by contract for specific events and meetings need not offer emergency service 24 hours per day every day of the year but shall meet all other legal standards for ambulance services offering emergency service. Whenever an ambulance service shall find it impossible to arrange for an attendant to accompany the driver, the driver may proceed to answer an emergency call without an accompanying attendant, provided that the ambulance service shall make all reasonable efforts to arrange for an attendant to

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