accrued liability, assets, unfunded accrued liability, contribution required to meet the interest at the assumed rate on the unfunded accrued liability, and the contribution required to amortize the unfunded accrued liability by the date specified in section 356.215, subdivision 4, clause (7), and by the year 2017 for each program.

Sec. 27. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective July 1, 1977.

Approved June 2, 1977.

CHAPTER 400-H.F.No.856

[Coded]

An act relating to welfare; authorizing the establishment of a centralized disbursement system for payments and for food stamp benefit documents; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 256.01, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 256.01, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

<u>Subd. 11.</u> PUBLIC WELFARE; CENTRALIZED DISBURSEMENT SYSTEM. The state agency may establish a system for the centralized disbursement of (1) assistance payments to recipients of aid to families with dependent children, (2) emergency assistance payments to needy families with dependent children as defined in Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 256.12, and (3) the benefit documents for food stamp recipients. The state agency shall adopt rules and set guidelines for the operation of the statewide system. If required by federal law or regulations promulgated thereunder, or by state law, or by rule of the state agency, each county shall pay to the state treasurer that portion of assistance for which the county is responsible. The commissioner shall designate the date on which a centralized disbursement system shall be established in any designated geographic area in the state and after that date Minnesota Statutes, Sections 256.81, Clause (2); 256.82; and 256.871, Subdivision 1, shall be superseded by this section as to any county agency in the designated area. Federal funds available for administrative reimbursement shall be disbursed between the state and local welfare agencies on the same basis that reimbursements are earned.

Approved June 2, 1977.

CHAPTER 401---H.F.No.875

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to housing; providing an exception to the interest limitation for Changes or additions indicated by <u>underline</u> deletions by strikeout