shall not cancel but shall be available for the second year of the biennium.

- Sec. 3. Laws 1973, Chapter 768, Section 2, Subdivision 7, is amended to read:
 - Subd. 7. Vocational Rehabilitation.
 - 1974... \$1,947,902. 1975... \$1,952,725.
- (1) Salaries, supplies and expenses and Counseling and Care of Persons.
 - \$1,458,565. \$1,490,275.
 - (2) Claims, grants, and shared revenues.
 - \$119,337. \$72,450.
 - (3) Rehabilitation facilities. \$370,000. \$390,000.

Any unexpended balance remaining in (3) in the first year shall not cancel but shall be available for the second year of the biennium.

None of the amounts appropriated in subdivisions 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 listed as claims, grants and shared revenues on the official worksheets of the conferees of the senate and house of representatives, a true copy of which is on file in the office of the commissioner of administration, shall be transferred to any other expenditure category other than that for which it was appropriated, except as may be otherwise provided.

The number of state funded positions shall not exceed the number shown on official worksheets.

Approved April 11, 1974.

CHAPTER 554—H.F.No.3544

An act relating to registered nurses; defining the practice of professional nursing; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 148.171.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 148.171, is amended to read:

148.171 REGISTERED NURSES; DEFINITIONS. As used in sec-Changes or additions indicated by <u>underline</u> deletions by strikeout tions 148.171 to 148.285:

- (1) The term "Board" shall mean Minnesota board of nursing.
- (2) The term "Registered Nurse" abbreviated R.N., shall mean a natural person licensed by the Minnesota board of nursing to practice professional nursing.
- (3) The practice of professional nursing means the performance for compensation or personal profit of a-the professional interpersonal service in the care of those mentally or physically ill or in the prevention of illness or in the supervision of others engaged in caring for the ill or preventing illness which requires special education, knowledge and skill such as that ordinarily expected of an individual who has completed a course of instruction of: (a) providing a nursing assessment of the actual or potential health needs of individuals, families, or communities; (b) providing nursing care supportive to or restorative of life by functions such as skilled ministration of nursing care, supervising and teaching nursing personnel, health teaching and counseling, case finding and referral to other health resources; and (c) evaluating these actions.

The practice of professional nursing includes both independent nursing functions and delegated medical functions which may be performed in collaboration with other health team members, or may be delegated by the professional nurse to other nursing personnel. Independent nursing function may also be performed autonomously. The practice of professional nursing requires that level of special education, knowledge, and skill ordinarily expected of an individual who has completed an approved professional nursing education program as described in section 148.211, subdivision 1.

Approved April 11, 1974.

CHAPTER 555—H.F.No.3670 [Not Coded]

An act relating to Lake county; authorizing the sale of certain lands thereof for certain purposes and providing for the extension of certain sewage, water, and gas lines thereto.

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

Section 1. LAKE COUNTY; INDUSTRIAL AREA. Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 282.01, the county board of Lake county may sell the land previously conveyed to the county as tax forfeited land held in trust and described as follows:

all that part of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter (SE

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