

CHAPTER 660—H.F.No.1473

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An act abolishing the legislative buildings commission; transferring the commission's functions, powers and duties to the chairmen of the house appropriations committee and the senate finance committee; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 3.421 to 3.471.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 3.421 to 3.471, are repealed.

Sec. 2. [3.472] LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS COMMISSION; ABOLITION; TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS. Subdivision 1. Notwithstanding the requirements of any law, upon the effective date of this act, no administrators shall be required to consult with the legislative buildings commission, which is hereby abolished.

Subd. 2. All functions, powers and duties heretofore imposed upon, vested in and exercised by the legislative buildings commission are hereby transferred to, imposed upon and vested in the chairmen of the Minnesota house of representatives appropriations committee and the Minnesota senate finance committee. Such functions, powers and duties shall be exercised jointly by said chairmen, who may delegate such powers and duties to chairmen of appropriate subcommittees.

Subd. 3. The committee chairmen referred to in subdivision 2 shall be deemed and held to constitute a continuation of the legislative buildings commission as to matters within the commission's jurisdiction, and not a new authority, for purpose of succession to all rights, powers, duties and obligations of the commission as constituted at the time of the transfer of functions, with the same force and effect as if such functions, powers and duties had not been assigned or transferred.

Subd. 4. Any proceeding, court action, prosecution or other business or matter undertaken or commenced prior to the effective date of this act by the legislative buildings commission may be conducted and completed by the committee chairmen referred to in subdivision 2.

Subd. 5. The legislative buildings commission shall transfer and deliver to the committee chairmen referred to in subdivision 2 all property of every description within its control. Said chairmen are hereby authorized to take possession of such property.

Approved May 24, 1973.

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