appointed by the board. Such person taking such census shall certify to the board the correctness of the enumeration and the information therein contained. The board shall fix the compensation for such work. Each child shall be counted in only one district, being that in which he resides as of March 1 in the case of a March 1 through May 1 enumeration period, or on September <u>1</u>-in the case of a September 1 through October 1 and the enumeration period shall be from September 1 through October 1.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 120.095, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. The school census shall be taken each year during the period March 1 through May 1 or during the period September 1 through October 1 and reported in summary form to the department of education before May 15 of each census year in the case of a March 1 through May 1 enumeration period and before October 15 of each census year in the case of a September 1 through October 1 enumeration period in all districts except as follows:

In districts including cities of the first class and other school districts in which the district boundaries coincide with those of federal census tracts the decennial and middecade census tabulation made by the federal bureau of the census may be substituted for the prescribed enumeration.

Sec. 3. This act takes effect July 1, 1971.

Approved March 29, 1971.

CHAPTER 85-H.F.No.674

An act relating to the prevention of cruelty; protecting the name of the Minnesota society for the prevention of cruelty; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 343.01.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 343.01, is amended to read:

343.01 PREVENTION OF CRUELTY; MISUSE OF SOCIETY NAME. <u>Subdivision 1</u>. The Minnesota society for the prevention of cruelty <u>which may also be known or designate itself as the Minnesota</u> <u>humane society</u> is hereby confirmed and continued, with all existing powers, for the purpose of inculcating humane principles, the

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enforcement of law, and the prevention of cruelty, especially to children and animals. It may appoint representatives in any county where no active county society exists, for the purpose of receiving and accounting for funds from any source, and may also appoint agents at large to prosecute the work of the society throughout the state. This society and all county societies may appoint agents for the purpose of prosecuting persons guilty of cruelty to children or animals. Every such agent whose appointment has been approved and made a matter of record by the probate judge of the county from which he was appointed may arrest any person in his county found violating any law for the protection of children or animals, take him before any court or magistrate having jurisdiction, and make complaint against him. Branches of the society, consisting of not less than ten members, may be organized in any part of the state to prosecute the work of the society in their several localities under rules established by it. It may elect officers and make such rules and bylaws as are necessary.

Subd. 2. It shall be unlawful for any organization, association, firm or corporation not authorized by this chapter to refer to itself as or in any way to use the names Minnesota society for the prevention of cruelty, the Minnesota humane society, or any combination of words or phrases using the above names which would imply that it represents, acts in behalf or is a branch of said society.

Approved March 29, 1971.

CHAPTER 86-H.F.No.678

An act relating to the teachers retirement association; payments after death of a member; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 354.46, Subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 354.46, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

354.46 TEACHER'S RETIREMENT; PAYMENTS AFTER DEATH. Subdivision 1. BENEFITS FOR SPOUSE AND CHIL-DREN OF TEACHER. Upon the death of a member before retirement or upon the death of a former member who was disabled and receiving disability benefits pursuant to section 354.48 at the time of his death, who has had at least 18 months of allowable service, his surviving dependent spouse and dependent children under the age of

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