

CHAPTER 68.

H. F. No. 431.

An act authorizing and empowering cities in this state having more than 50,000 inhabitants to contract for the purchase of electric power with which to operate their public water works.

Authorizing certain cities to operate their water works.

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

SECTION 1. Any city in this state having more than 50,000 inhabitants, is hereby authorized and empowered, from time to time, to contract with any person, partnership, or corporation for the purchase of electric power, with which to operate the whole or any part of its public water works. Any such contract may be made for a term of years, not exceeding ten years.

Cities of over 50,000 inhabitants.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 22, 1897.

CHAPTER 69.

H. F. No. 285

An act to amend chapter one hundred and seventy (170) of the general laws of Minnesota for eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885), relating to the dissolution of independent school districts.

Dissolution of independent school districts.

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

SECTION 1. Chapter one hundred and seventy (170) of the general laws of Minnesota for eighteen hundred and eighty-five (1885), being an act to empower independent school districts organized under chapter thirty-six (36), general statutes one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), to dissolve the organization by a two-thirds (2-3) vote of the qualified electors of the same, be and the same hereby is amended by adding three (3) sections thereto so that when said chapter is so amended it shall read as follows:

Amendment.

Section 1. That any independent school district organized under chapter thirty-six (36) of the general statutes one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878), or under any special law of this state, may dissolve its organization at any election held in such

Dissolution by $\frac{2}{3}$ vote.