believes are for the best interests of the state, for the seeding, fertilizing, harvesting, and preserving of food products for consumption by institution inmates. The contract may provide for the payment of the processor's services by a fractional share of the food processed. The director shall not be required to advertise for or secure bids.

Approved April 21, 1953.

CHAPTER 582-H. F. No. 1913

[Not Coded]

An act legalizing and confirming the title to real estate belonging to school districts in cities of the first class now or hereafter having a population of 500,000 or more.

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

Section 1. Minneapolis school district, legalizing title to certain real estate. Whenever any school district in any city of the first class now or hereafter having a population of 500,000, or more, and which school district is coextensive with the territorial limits of the city in which located, has heretofore obtained, by gift, purchase, eminent domain, or in any other manner, real estate situated in such city, for school purposes, and has held, used and occupied such real estate for school purposes for more than 15 years, the title of such school district in said real estate, in fee simple, is hereby confirmed and legalized, notwithstanding any defect in the execution of any instrument of conveyance or in said instrument of conveyance, or any defect in any proceeding by way of eminent domain to obtain such lands, or by any other defect or omission.

Sec. 2. Nothing in this act/shalldaffect the lands described in Laws 1887, Chapter 10, Section 2.

Approved April 21, 1953.

CHAPTER 583-H. F. No. 1927

[Coded]

An act relating to horse meat, regulating the possession and sale of horse meat not intended for human consumption, authorizing inspections regarding compliance with law, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

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