the state auditor, to the claimants or their successors in interest as compensation therefor, and such moneys as are required for such payment are hereby appropriated for such purposes.

Approved April 22, 1969.

CHAPTER 157-S. F. No. 691

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An act relating to interstate and trunk highway rest areas and tourist information centers; providing for contracts to maintain same; and appropriating money.

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

- Section 1. [161.321] Highways; rest areas and tourist information centers; contracts for maintenance services. Notwithstanding any other statute to the contrary, the commissioner of highways may negotiate contracts, with or without requiring the submission of bids therefor, for the providing of maintenance services for interstate and trunk highway rest stop and tourist information centers. The terms and conditions of such contracts shall be as agreed upon and shall be such as to promote and encourage the employment of needy, elderly persons.
- Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated to the commissioner of highways, from any monies in the state treasury credited to the trunk highway fund not otherwise appropriated, a sufficient sum of money to carry out the provisions of section 1.

Approved April 22, 1969.

CHAPTER 158-S. F. No. 997

An act relating to game and fish; residency requirement for obtaining a resident license; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 97.40, Subdivision 21.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 97.40, Subdivision 21, is amended to read:

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Subd. 21. Game and fish; licenses; residence. "Resident" means any citizen of the United States who has maintained a legal residence in the state of Minnesota for a period of six months 60 days immediately preceding the date of application for license, a domestic corporation, or a foreign corporation authorized to do business in the state which has conducted the business licensed at an established place within the state for a period of at least ten years.

Approved April 22, 1969.

CHAPTER 159-S. F. No. 1272

An act relating to the allotment of funds in the state treasury; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.16, Subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.162.

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

- Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.16, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:
- 16.16 State treasury; allotment and encumbrance. Subdivision 1. Allotment periods. For the purposes of the quarterly allotment system, each fiscal year shall be divided into four quarterly allotment periods, beginning, respectively, on the first days of July, October, January, and April; provided, that in any case where the quarterly allotment period is impracticable, the commissioner may prescribe a different period suited to the circumstances, not exceeding six 12 months nor extending beyond the end of the fiscal year.
 - Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 16.162, is repealed. Approved April 22, 1969.

CHAPTER 160—S. F. No. 1292

An act relating to taxes on and measured by net income; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 290.45, Subdivision 1.

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

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