

vided in this section of Minnesota Statutes; ~~nor shall any person provided, however, that the carcass of a domestic animal that has died or has been killed otherwise than by being slaughtered for human or animal consumption, or parts thereof, may, be transported along any public road for a medical or scientific purpose provided that the carcass of any such domestic animal so transported shall be enclosed in a leak proof container to prevent spillage or the dripping of liquid waste. The livestock sanitary board may adopt rules and regulations relative to the transportation of the carcass of any such domestic animal for a medical or scientific purpose, and further provided that a carcass situated on a public thoroughfare may be transported for burial or other disposition in accordance with this section. No person shall negligently or wilfully permit diseased animals owned or controlled by him to escape his control or to run at large. Every violation of any provision of this section shall be a misdemeanor.~~

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 35.82, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

*Subd. 4. The term domestic animal as used in this section does not include any species of domestic animal which in common practice is maintained in the home of the owner whether or not the particular domestic animal was so housed at any time prior to its death. Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to limit the authority of local governmental units to regulate the disposition of carcasses of domestic animals excluded from the provisions of this section by this subdivision.*

Approved March 6, 1969.

### CHAPTER 33—H. F. No. 3

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to the conveyance of certain lands by the state to the city of Northfield; amending Laws 1967, Chapter 105, Section 2.*

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

Section 1. Laws 1967, Chapter 105, Section 2, is amended to read:

Sec. 2. **Conveyance of state lands; city of Northfield.** The city of Northfield shall use ~~said Block 35~~; and that part of ~~Lots 1, 2,~~

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3, and 4 of Block 36, described in section 1 for public purposes and the balance of the lands described in section 1 for park any public purposes the city council determines are best for the community. In the event the city fails to use or abandons the use of the lands for such purposes the same shall revert to the state of Minnesota.

Sec. 2. *In the event any deed of conveyance has been executed and delivered to the city of Northfield in accordance with Laws 1967, Chapter 105, and the same contains any restrictions as to use of the land contrary to section 1 of this act, the governor may execute an instrument in a form approved by the attorney general modifying such restrictions so as to conform to this act.*

Approved March 7, 1969.

#### CHAPTER 34—S. F. No. 563

[Coded]

*An act relating to the Minnesota state institutions for mentally ill and mentally retarded; establishing work activity programs in state hospitals.*

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

Section 1. **[246.56] Mentally ill; work activity programs; pre-vocational training for mentally ill or retarded patients; administration.** Subdivision 1. The commissioner of public welfare is hereby authorized to establish, subject to the approval of the commissioner of education, within the state institutions for the mentally ill and mentally retarded, work activity programs for the manufacture, processing and repairing of goods, wares, and merchandise for the purpose of providing therapeutic work activities for patients and residents.

Subd. 2. The work activity programs authorized herein shall be planned and designed exclusively to provide therapeutic activities for handicapped workers whose physical or mental impairment is so severe as to make productive capacity inconsequential. The activities within this program shall conform to the rules and regulations relating to work activity centers promulgated by the United States Department of Labor. To accomplish the foregoing purpose the commissioner of public welfare shall have the power and authority to:

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