

Sec. 10. The provisions of this act are effective immediately upon its enactment.

Approved May 31, 1969.

CHAPTER 887—S. F. No. 564

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to wild animals; prohibiting the chasing or killing of wild animals with any motor propelled vehicle; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Sections 100.26, Subdivision 1; and 100.29, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 100.26, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

100.26 Wild animals; chasing; motor propelled vehicle.
Subdivision 1. Weasel, wild cat, lynx, wolves, foxes, bears, gophers, porcupines, badgers, and all other quadrupeds for which no closed season or other protection is accorded by chapters 97 to 102, are unprotected animals and may be taken either in the daytime or at night, and in any manner, except with the aid of artificial lights, and possessed, bought, sold or transported in any quantity, provided that for the safety of humans and domestic stock, poison may not be used in the taking thereof, except in the manner authorized by Minnesota Statutes 1961, Sections 18.021 to 18.035, and acts amendatory thereof, and steel traps may not be used in the taking of bear, except when and in the manner prescribed by the commissioner. The taking of bear may be prohibited by order of the commissioner in such areas of the state and during such periods as he may deem necessary. Raccoon are unprotected animals on May 21, 1965, and all of the provisions of this subdivision are applicable to such animals except that they may be taken with the aid of artificial lights in the manner provided by law under section 100.29, subdivision 10. *It shall be unlawful to intentionally drive, chase, run over or kill with any motor propelled vehicle any unprotected animals.*

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 100.29, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 29. It shall be unlawful to use any motor propelled ve-

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hicle to intentionally drive, chase, run over, kill, or otherwise take any unprotected wild animal.

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CHAPTER 888—S. F. No. 572

[Coded]

An act relating to the public employees retirement association; providing for certain members to obtain credit for certain time.

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

Section 1. **[353.86] Public employees retirement association; service credit for certain employees.** Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 353, and any act amendatory thereof, to the contrary, any person who has been a contributing member of the public employees retirement association since October, 1957, and who prior thereto had been and is now continuously employed by a governmental subdivision since 1944, and who in 1958 bought back ten years of allowable service based on the failure of the governmental subdivision to make and remit deductions from his pay, may on or before September 1, 1969, obtain additional credit for allowable service for not more than one year of prior service, by paying to the public employees retirement fund the aggregate amount of employee's contributions and the governmental subdivision shall pay the employer's contributions which would have been paid had such payments been made when due, together with interest thereon at the rate of four percent per annum compounded annually. If such payments and all other payments which may thereafter become due are made, the member is deemed to be a member on June 30, 1957, and to have had ten years of allowable service on June 30, 1957, for purposes of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 353, and any act amendatory thereof. The member is entitled to all privileges, benefits, and rights, including options, to which any member with a like period of continuous service is entitled.

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