

## CHAPTER 907—S. F. No. 727

*An act relating to tuition charge for state college students who are under the guardianship of the commissioner of public welfare or who were under the guardianship of the commissioner of public welfare when they reached the age of 21; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 136.11, Subdivision 1.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 136.11, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

**136.11 Education; state colleges; tuition; fees; activities funds.** Subdivision 1. **Tuition.** There shall be a charge for tuition to students in state colleges. The board shall fix rates of tuition for the various instructional programs. The board may waive tuition for persons *who are* under the guardianship of the commissioner of public welfare, *provided that those persons* are qualified for admission to the state colleges, ~~provided~~ and that those persons contribute toward their expenses by gainful employment if they are physically able to work. *The board may continue to waive tuition for persons who were under the guardianship of the commissioner of public welfare when they reached the age of 21, provided that those persons are qualified for admission to the state colleges, that those persons were enrolled in a state college at the time they reached the age of 21, and that those persons contribute toward their expenses by gainful employment if they are physically able to work.*

Nonresident students shall pay an additional tuition fee to be determined by the board. Resident status shall be determined at the time of each registration according to the permanent residence of the student's parents or guardian for minor students and according to the permanent residence of the student if he is of legal voting age.

Any student who registers for a term of instruction later than the stipulated date for such registration may be charged a late registration fee according to the rules to be established by the board.

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## CHAPTER 908—S. F. No. 798

[Coded]

*An act relating to welfare; providing disregard of earned income*

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*for old age assistance recipients; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 256.15, by adding a subdivision.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 256.15, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

*Subd. 4. Welfare; old age assistance; disregard of earned income. In determining need and in fixing the amount of assistance, there shall be taken into consideration all income and resources of the applicant or recipient, however, of the first \$80 per month of income which is earned the county agency shall disregard not more than the first \$20 thereof plus one-half of the remainder, as well as expenses reasonably attributable to the earning of any such income.*

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CHAPTER 909—S. F. No. 1362

[Coded]

*An act relating to the reimbursement of political subdivisions of the state for the costs of relief and related services provided to persons of Indian blood.*

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

Section 1. [245.76] **Indian relief; reimbursement of political subdivisions.** [Subdivision 1.] The care and relief of persons of Indian blood is declared to be a matter of special state concern and responsibility. To effectuate this responsibility, the commissioner of public welfare shall reimburse counties, cities, towns or any other political subdivision for up to 75 percent of the costs of relief and related services provided to persons of Indian blood to the extent that state and federal moneys are available for this purpose.

Sec. 2. [245.76] [Subd. 2.] For the purposes of this act: (a) An Indian is a person who has at least one-quarter Indian blood or a person listed on the rolls of the United States bureau of Indian affairs as an Indian and who is not residing on the Red Lake Indian Reservation; (b) The term "relief" includes but is not limited to direct relief to persons in their own homes, medical care, hospital care, burial, maintenance of children not under state guardianship and state wards not otherwise provided for. It shall not include uni-

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