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156A.07 WATER WELL CONTRACTORS

. Subd. 5. When an applicant has successfully passed the examination for original license, he shall submit to the board a license application and a fee of \$50, upon the receipt of which the board may issue a license.

[1973 c 747 s 7]

Subd. 6. The license issued pursuant to this section is not transferable and expires on December 31 of each year. Application to renew the license shall be submitted by December 31, accompanied by a fee of \$50. A penalty fee of \$10 shall also be paid if the renewal application is submitted after December 31. If a water well contractor submits his renewal application after December 31, he shall not work as a water well contractor after December 31 until he has submitted such application, fee, and penalty fee.

[1973 c 747 s 8]

Subd. 7. The license issued pursuant to this section shall include the registration of one drilling machine. Each licensed water well contractor shall pay an annual fee of \$5 for the registration with the board of each additional drilling machine.

[1973 c 747 8 9]

Subd. 8. The board of health upon application therefor, and payment of the fees herein provided, may issue a license, without giving an examination, to any water well contractor who holds a similar license or certificate of registration in any state, territory, or possession of the United States, or any foreign country, if the requirements for licensing of water well contractors under which the applicant received a license or certificate of registration do not conflict with the provisions of sections 156A.01 to 156A.08, are of a standard not lower than that specified by the rules, regulations, and construction code adopted hereunder, and if equal reciprocal privileges are granted to licensees of this state.

[1973 c 747 s 10]

Subd. 9. No political subdivision shall require any water well contractor holding a water well contractors license issued pursuant to this section to pay any license or registration fee, provided, however, that any political subdivision shall be provided upon request with a list of licensed water well contractors

[1973 c 747 s 11]

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160.262 Recreational vehicle lanes

Subdivision 1. The legislature determines that it is in the interests of the public health, safety and welfare, to provide for the addition of bicycle and recreational vehicle lanes to proposed and existing public highways. The state planning agency shall conduct a study:

- (1) to propose model standards for the establishment of bicycle and recreational vehicle lanes on and along proposed and existing public highways, and
- (2) to determine methods, other than the use of bonds, for financing the bicycle and recreational vehicle lanes. The results of the study shall be forwarded to the commissioner of highways no later than July 1, 1974.

No later than January 1, 1975, the commissioner of highways shall promulgate, in the manner provided in Chapter 15, model standards for the establishment of recreational vehicle lanes on and along proposed and existing public highways. In the study undertaken by the state planning agency

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and in the promulgation of the model standards by the commissioner, the model standards shall include but not be limited to the following: (a) criteria for desirability of such a lane in any given location, (b) provision for maintenance of such lanes, and (c) the placement of such lanes in relation to roads. The model standards shall govern state trunk highways.

Subd. 2. Each county and municipality including towns having village powers may adopt the model standards to govern highways under its jurisdiction and may adapt them to local circumstances. Such local regulations shall be submitted to the commissioner of highways who shall approve them within 60 days after receipt if he finds that they meet the minimum standards established pursuant to this section. Approved local regulations shall qualify the submitting unit of government for state or state approved funding of recreational vehicle lane projects undertaken pursuant to such regulations.

Subd. 3. The following departments and agencies shall cooperate in providing the information and advice for the study by the state planning agency and the promulgation of model standards and amendments thereto by the commissioner of highways: the departments of agriculture, highways, economic development, natural resources, public service, the state planning agency, and the state soil and water conservation commission. The commissioner may cooperate with and enter into agreements with the United States government, any department of the state of Minnesota, any unit of local government and any public or private corporation in order to effect the purposes of this section.

[1973 c 620 s 1]

160.285 County participation

[For text of subd. 1, see M.S.1971]

Subd. 2. Any county participating shall erect such signs at its own expense as it deems necessary on those county state-aid highways, county highways and town roads designated in section 160.283, subdivision 2 provided that such signs shall be erected in a manner acceptable to the department of highways and shall not be erected closer than 500 feet from trunk highways forming a part of the interstate system as provided in section 173.16, subdivision 4, clause (4), or closer than 300 feet from other trunk highways as provided in section 173.16, subdivision 4, clause (4).

[1973 c 35 s 33]

[For text of subd. 3, see M.S.1971]

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161.1419 Mississippi river parkway commission

[For text of subd. 1, see M.S.1971]

Subd. 2. The commission shall be composed of ten members of which three shall be appointed by the governor, three shall be members of the senate to be appointed by the committee on committees, and three shall be members of the house of representatives to be appointed by the speaker. The tenth member shall be the secretary appointed pursuant to subdivi-