CHAPTER 276

COLLECTION, ACCOUNTING, DISTRIBUTION

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Notice of rates; property tax statements.

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276.04 NOTICE OF RATES; PROPERTY TAX STATEMENTS.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.1996]

- Subd. 2. Contents of tax statements. (a) The treasurer shall provide for the printing of the tax statements. The commissioner of revenue shall prescribe the form of the property tax statement and its contents. The statement must contain a tabulated statement of the dollar amount due to each taxing authority and the amount of the state determined school tax from the parcel of real property for which a particular tax statement is prepared. The dollar amounts attributable to the county, the state determined school tax, the voter approved school tax, the other local school tax, the township or municipality, and the total of the metropolitan special taxing districts as defined in section 275.065, subdivision 3, paragraph (i), must be separately stated. The amounts due all other special taxing districts, if any, may be aggregated. The amount of the tax on homesteads qualifying under the senior citizens' property tax deferral program under chapter 290B is the total amount of property tax before subtraction of the deferred property tax amount. The amount of the tax on contamination value imposed under sections 270.91 to 270.98, if any, must also be separately stated. The dollar amounts, including the dollar amount of any special assessments, may be rounded to the nearest even whole dollar. For purposes of this section whole odd-numbered dollars may be adjusted to the next higher even-numbered dollar. The amount of market value excluded under section 273.11, subdivision 16, if any, must also be listed on the tax statement. The statement shall include the following sentences, printed in upper case letters in boldface print: "EVEN THOUGH THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DOES NOT RECEIVE ANY PROPERTY TAX REVENUES, IT SETS THE AMOUNT OF THE STATE-DETERMINED SCHOOL TAX LEVY. THE STATE OF MINNESOTA REDUCES YOUR PROPERTY TAX BY PAYING CREDITS AND REIMBURSEMENTS TO LOCAL UNITS OF GOVERNMENT."
- (b) The property tax statements for manufactured homes and sectional structures taxed as personal property shall contain the same information that is required on the tax statements for real property.
- (c) Real and personal property tax statements must contain the following information in the order given in this paragraph. The information must contain the current year tax information in the right column with the corresponding information for the previous year in a column on the left:
 - (1) the property's estimated market value under section 273.11, subdivision 1;
- (2) the property's taxable market value after reductions under section 273.11, subdivisions 1a and 16;
- (3) the property's gross tax, calculated by adding the property's total property tax to the sum of the aids enumerated in clause (4);
 - (4) a total of the following aids:
 - (i) education aids payable under chapters 124 and 124A;
 - (ii) local government aids for cities, towns, and counties under chapter 477A;
 - (iii) disparity reduction aid under section 273.1398; and
 - (iv) homestead and agricultural credit aid under section 273.1398;
- (5) for homestead residential and agricultural properties, the education homestead credit under section 273.1382;
- (6) any credits received under sections 273.119; 273.123; 273.135; 273.1391; 273.1398, subdivision 4; 469.171; and 473H.10, except that the amount of credit received under section 273.135 must be separately stated and identified as "taconite tax relief";

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- (7) any deferred property tax amount under the senior citizens' property tax deferral program under chapter 290B, as well as the total deferred amount plus accrued interest; and
 - (8) the net tax payable in the manner required in paragraph (a).
- (d) If the county uses envelopes for mailing property tax statements and if the county agrees, a taxing district may include a notice with the property tax statement notifying tax-payers when the taxing district will begin its budget deliberations for the current year, and encouraging taxpayers to attend the hearings. If the county allows notices to be included in the envelope containing the property tax statement, and if more than one taxing district relative to a given property decides to include a notice with the tax statement, the county treasurer or auditor must coordinate the process and may combine the information on a single announcement.

The commissioner of revenue shall certify to the county auditor the actual or estimated aids enumerated in clause (4) that local governments will receive in the following year. The commissioner must certify this amount by January 1 of each year.

[For text of subds 3 and 4, see M.S.1996]

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