CHAPTER 240—S. F. No. 709

An act relating to drainage systems within watershed district; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 112.65.

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

Section 1.   Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 112.65, is amended to read:

112.65   **Drainage systems within district.**   Subdivision 1.   *The managers of a district shall take over when directed by the district court or county board any judicial or county drainage system within the district, together with the right to repair, maintain and improve the same. Such transfer may be initiated by the district court or county board, or such transfer may be initiated by a petition from any person having an interest in the drainage system or by the managers. No such transfer shall be made until the district court or county board has held a hearing thereon. Due notice of the proposed transfer together with the time, and place of hearing shall be given by two weeks published notice in a legal newspaper of general circulation in the area involved. All interested persons may appear and be heard. In all proceedings for the repair, maintenance, or improvement the managers shall conform to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, Chapter 106.*

Subd. 2.   *Construction of all new drainage systems or improvements of existing drainage systems within the district shall be initiated by filing a petition with the managers of the district.*

Approved April 15, 1959.

CHAPTER 241—S. F. No. 711

An act relating to hearing before watershed district managers; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 112.54.

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

Section 1.   Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 112.54, is amended to read:

112.54   **Hearing before managers; appeal.**   At the time and place specified in the notice, the managers shall hear all parties interested for and against the granting of the petition and confirming the reports, and may order and direct the modification of the plans and specifications within the scope