

Sec. 62. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 352B.02, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

352B.02 RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION. Subdivision 1. There is hereby established a highway patrolmen's retirement association, the membership of which shall consist of all persons defined in section 352B.01, subdivision 2. Each member shall pay a sum equal to eight percent of his monthly salary. Such amounts shall be deducted monthly by the department head, who shall cause the total amount of said monthly deductions to be paid to the state treasurer, and shall cause a detailed report of all monthly deductions to be made each month to the secretary of the association. In addition thereto, there shall be paid out of ~~state funds~~ money appropriated for this purpose, monthly, by the department heads, a sum equal to 12 percent of the salary upon which deductions were made, and a sum equal to ten percent of the salaries upon which deductions were made for the purpose of amortizing the actuarial deficit of the fund, the same to be credited to the highway patrolmen's retirement fund. All moneys received by said association shall be deposited by the state treasurer in the highway patrolmen's retirement fund. Out of said fund shall be paid the expenses of the association, and the benefits and annuities as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 63. **REPEALER.** Minnesota Statutes 1974, Sections 136.821; 161.241, Subdivision 5; 161.261, Subdivision 3; and 167.40; are repealed.

Sec. 64. **REPEALER.** Laws 1969, Chapter 157, Section 2; Laws 1973, Chapter 768, Section 23; and Laws 1975, Chapter 433, Section 20, are repealed.

Sec. 65. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This act is effective July 1, 1976.

Approved April 3, 1976.

CHAPTER 164—S.F.No.2318

An act relating to highways; providing for the construction and maintenance of acoustical barriers along the perimeter of certain trunk highways; amending Minnesota Statutes, 1975 Supplement, Section 161.125.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes, 1975 Supplement, Section 161.125, is amended to read:

161.125 HIGHWAYS; SOUND BARRIERS; SOUND ABATEMENT ALONG HIGHWAYS. Subdivision 1. The commissioner of highways

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shall cause to be constructed and maintained adequate and effective acoustical barriers or implement other sound abatement programs in or along the perimeter of any interstate highway within incorporated areas located within the metropolitan area whenever the noise level attributable to vehicular traffic at the abutting residential property line is in excess of the federal noise standards. The commissioner shall utilize available federal matching funds in constructing and maintaining the acoustical barriers.

Subd. 2. Beginning with the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, the commissioner shall annually expend an amount equal to one percent of an amount equal to 62 percent of the revenues derived from the tax imposed on gasoline used in producing and generating power for propelling motor vehicles used on the public highways of this state when federal funds are available, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of subdivision 1. In the event that funds derived from such one percent exceed the amount necessary to carry out the provisions of subdivision 1, the excess funds shall be utilized by the commissioner to construct and maintain adequate and effective acoustical barriers along other trunk highways in the metropolitan area where he deems them necessary to counteract vehicle noise.

Approved April 3, 1976.

CHAPTER 165—H.F.No.429

An act relating to labor; increasing the minimum wage; amending Minnesota Statutes 1974, Sections 177.24; and 177.28, Subdivision 3.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 177.24, is amended to read:

177.24 LABOR; INCREASE IN PAYMENT OF MINIMUM WAGES. Except as may otherwise be provided in sections 177.21 to 177.35, or by regulation issued pursuant thereto, every employer shall pay to each of his employees who is 18 years of age or older wages at a rate of not less than ~~\$1.80~~ \$2.10 an hour and shall pay to each of his employees who is under the age of 18 wages at a rate of not less than \$1.89 an hour .

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1974, Section 177.28, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. The commissioner shall establish regulations which define and govern sections 177.21 to 177.35 with respect to, salesmen who conduct no more than 20 percent of their sales on the premises of

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