

national guard, plates issued pursuant to this subdivision may be transferred to another motor vehicle owned or jointly owned by that person upon payment of a fee of \$5.

All fees collected under the provisions of this subdivision shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the highway user tax distribution fund.

The registrar may adopt rules under the Administrative Procedure Act to govern the issuance and use of the special plates authorized by this subdivision.

#### Sec. 2. APPROPRIATION.

There is appropriated from the highway user tax distribution fund to the commissioner of public safety the sum of \$25,000 for the purpose of providing the special plates authorized in section 1. No increase in complement is authorized by this act. This appropriation is available for expenditure until December 31, 1984.

#### Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective January 2, 1984; except that the special plates may be designed and orders may be placed for the manufacture of the special plates at any time after final enactment.

Approved June 14, 1983

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### CHAPTER 319 — H.F.No. 380

*An act relating to negligence; regulating the liability of good samaritans; creating a duty to assist in certain circumstances; making it a petty misdemeanor to refuse to assist; amending Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 604.05.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 604.05, is amended to read:  
604.05 GOOD SAMARITAN LAW.

Subdivision 1. DUTY TO ASSIST. Any person at the scene of an emergency who knows that another person is exposed to or has suffered grave physical harm shall, to the extent that he can do so without danger or peril to himself or others, give reasonable assistance to the exposed person. Reasonable assistance may include obtaining or attempting to obtain aid from law enforcement or medical personnel. Any person who violates this section is guilty of a petty misdemeanor.

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**Subd. 2. GENERAL IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY.** Any person, including a public or private nonprofit volunteer firefighter, volunteer police officer, volunteer ambulance attendant, and volunteer first provider of emergency medical services, who in good faith and in the exercise of reasonable care without compensation or the expectation of compensation renders emergency care at the scene of an emergency or during transit to a location where professional medical care can be rendered, is not liable for any civil damages as a result of acts or omissions by that person in rendering the emergency care unless that person acts in a willful and wanton or reckless manner in providing the care. Any person rendering emergency care during the course of regular employment, and receiving compensation or expecting to receive compensation for rendering such care, shall be excluded from the protection of this section.

For the purposes of this section, the scene of an emergency shall be those areas not within the confines of a hospital or other institution which has hospital facilities, or an office of a person licensed to practice one or more of the healing arts pursuant to chapters 147, 148, 150A, or 153.

For the purposes of this section, compensation does not include nominal payments, reimbursement for expenses, or pension benefits.

**Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 1, subdivision 1, is effective August 1, 1983. Section 1, subdivision 2, is effective the day following final enactment for causes of action arising on and after that date.

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**CHAPTER 320 — H.F.No. 409**

*An act relating to liquor; restrictions upon joint purchases and volume discounts at wholesale; extending the date for requiring dram shop insurance; requiring an assigned risk plan and specifying rulemaking authority of the commissioner of insurance in regard thereto; amending Minnesota Statutes 1982, sections 340.11, subdivision 21, and by adding a subdivision; 340.353, subdivision 8; 340.408; and 340.983; and Laws 1982, chapter 528, section 9.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 340.11, subdivision 21, is amended to read:

Subd. 21. **LIABILITY INSURANCE.** Every person licensed to sell at retail intoxicating liquor or nonintoxicating malt liquor at on-sale or off-sale shall, after ~~March 1~~ August 1, 1983, demonstrate proof of financial responsibility

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