Sec. 2. JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

A joint legislative committee on agricultural land preservation and conservation shall be established by July 1, 1979, and shall expire by June 30, 1984 1994, unless extended by legislative action. The committee shall be composed of eight members of the house of representatives from the transportation, agriculture, environment and natural resources, local and urban affairs, and tax committees appointed by the speaker and the chairman of the committee on rules and legislative administration; and eight members of the senate from the transportation, agriculture and natural resources, local government, tax, and governmental operations committees appointed by the subcommittee on committees. The committee shall elect a chairman from among its members. The expenses of and per diem payments to committee members shall be paid from the legislative expense fund of their respective body upon approval of the chairman of the joint committee. Other expenses of the senate.

Sec. 13. APPROPRIATION,

The sum of \$10,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of agriculture to adopt rules under section 4.

Approved April 26, 1984

CHAPTER 570 - H.F.No. 560

An act relating to Cook County; permitting the sale of certain land.

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

Section 1. COOK COUNTY; LAND SALE,

Notwithstanding any contrary provision of Minnesota Statutes, section 282.018, Cook County may sell and the county and state shall provide a proper conveyance of the property described in this section. The sale shall be conducted in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, sections 282.01 to 282.132.

Government Lot 5, Except east 200 feet, Section 26, Township 62 North, Range 1 West.

Government Lot 2, Except north of road, Section 27, Township 62 North, Range 1 West.

Sec. 2. LOCAL APPROVAL.

Changes or additions are indicated by underline, deletions by strikeout.

<u>This act is effective the day after compliance with Minnesota Statutes,</u> section 645.021, subdivision 3, by the Cook county board of commissioners.

Approved April 26, 1984

CHAPTER 571 - H.F.No. 950

An act relating to state government; governing compensation of members of boards, councils, and committees who are public employees; providing for per diem compensation for attendance of commissioners of the Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority at meetings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1982, sections 15.059, subdivision 3; and 214.09, subdivision 3; proposing new law coded in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 121.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1982, section 15.059, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. COMPENSATION. Members of the advisory councils and committees shall be compensated at the rate of \$35 per day spent on council or committee activities, when authorized by the council or committee, plus expenses in the same manner and amount as authorized by the commissioner's plan adopted pursuant to section 43A.18, subdivision 2. If members who are state employees or employees of political subdivisions shall not receive the \$35 per day, and if the major part of their activities occur during normal working hours for which they are also compensated by the state or political subdivision, the employer shall deduct the \$35 from the employee's compensation for the day. In no other case shall a member who is an employee of the state or a political subdivision shall not suffer a loss in compensation or benefits from the state or political subdivision as a result of his service on the council or committee. Members who are full time state employees or full time employees of the political subdivisions of the state may receive the expenses provided for in this section unless the expenses are reimbursed by another source. A state employee who serves on an advisory council or committee as a representative of a specific state department or agency shall not receive the \$35 per day.

Sec. 2. [136C.075] COMPENSATION FOR PERFORMANCE EVAL-UATIONS BY STATE EMPLOYEES.

Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a state employee who is asked by the department of education to undertake a performance evaluation of an area vocational-technical school may be compensated at the rate provided for in section 15.059.

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