

Subd. 4. The annual fee for each such permit or renewal thereof shall be as follows:

(1) If the advertising area of the advertising device does not exceed 50 square feet, the fee shall be \$20.

(2) If the advertising area exceeds 50 square feet but does not exceed 300 square feet, the fee shall be \$40.

(3) If the advertising area exceeds 300 square feet, the fee shall be \$80.

(4) No fee shall be charged for a permit for official signs and notices as they are defined in section 173.02, except that a fee may be charged for a star city sign erected under section 4.

Sec. 4. [173.085] STAR CITY SIGNS.

Subdivision 1. AUTHORITY TO ERECT. (a) A lesser populated statutory or home rule charter city of Minnesota that has received instruction and expertise from the department of energy and economic development on attracting and retaining businesses for the city and subsequently has been designated and annually recertified as a star city for economic development by that department may erect star city signs upon payment of a fee required under section 3 to the department of transportation. One sign may be erected at each approach to the city within the right-of-way of an interstate or other highway that passes inside the city limits.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (a), a lesser populated statutory or home rule charter city that has an official sign in an adjacent area of an approach of an interstate highway passing through or near the city as of the effective date of this section may replace that sign with a star city sign upon payment of a fee required under section 3 to the department of transportation.

Subd. 2. SIGN STANDARDS. The department of transportation shall design and manufacture the star city sign to specifications not contrary to other federal and state highway sign standards and substantially similar to those star city signs approved for display on state highways as of the effective date of this section.

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CHAPTER 26 — S.F.No. 679

*An act relating to natural resources; providing for annual timber harvest public informational meetings; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 90.041, subdivision 4.*

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

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 90.041, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. In May of Each year, the commissioner shall hold a public meeting in each forest area to inform the public of the manner in which the cutting list for that area for the next fiscal year is proposed to be allocated between informal, intermediate and regular auction sales. The public shall be afforded an opportunity to provide written and oral comments concerning the proposed allocation.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 1 is effective the day after enactment.

Approved April 19, 1985

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#### CHAPTER 27 — H.F.No. 85

*An act relating to the town of Santiago; authorizing the establishment of a detached banking facility.*

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

Section 1. **TOWN OF SANTIAGO; DETACHED BANKING FACILITY.**

With the prior approval of the commissioner of commerce, any bank doing business within 25 miles of the town of Santiago may establish and maintain not more than one detached facility in the town of Santiago. A bank desiring to establish a detached facility must follow the approval procedure prescribed in Minnesota Statutes, section 47.54. The establishment of a detached facility pursuant to this act is subject to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, sections 47.51 to 47.57, except insofar as inconsistent with this section.

Sec. 2. **LOCAL APPROVAL.**

Section 1 takes effect the day after compliance by the town board of the town of Santiago with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivision 3.

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#### CHAPTER 28 — H.F.No. 422

*An act relating to the city of West Saint Paul; changing the municipal election day and extending the terms of certain elected officials.*

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