

Subd. 4a. WATER PIPES. The board shall require that all schools in the district which have lead solder pipe joints shall flush their pipes and faucets to ensure that any potable water which may contain lead which exceeds the safe drinking water levels, as established by the state health department, be flushed out of the school's potable water system. Until the state department of health determines guidelines for frequency of flushing under this subdivision, at a minimum, each school with lead solder pipe joints shall flush its pipes carrying potable water at least once each year immediately prior to the commencement of the regular school year, or after any period in excess of two weeks during which the school building is not in use.

Sec. 2. [326.371] BAN ON LEAD IN PLUMBING.

Lead pipe, solders, and flux containing more than 0.2 percent lead shall not be used in any plumbing installation which conveys a potable water supply. A Minnesota seller of lead solder, except for a seller whose primary business is contracting in plumbing, heating, and air conditioning, shall not sell any solder containing 0.2 percent lead unless the seller displays a sign which states,

"Contains Lead

Minnesota law prohibits the use of this solder in any plumbing installation which is connected to a potable water supply."

Sec. 3. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH GUIDELINES.

By July 1, 1986, the state department of health shall determine guidelines for the necessity and frequency of flushing lead solder pipes carrying potable water under section 1.

Sec. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective the day following final enactment.

Approved May 31, 1985

CHAPTER 280 — H.F.No. 633

An act relating to traffic regulations; providing for a temporary definition of school bus; providing for book racks and "MN" designation on school buses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 169.44, by adding subdivisions.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 169.44, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

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Subd. 16. OVERHEAD BOOK RACKS. Types I and II school buses may be equipped with padded, permanent overhead book racks which do not hang over the center aisle of the bus. The commissioner of education shall implement this subdivision by rule promulgated before July 1, 1985.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 169.44, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 17. "MN" DESIGNATION IN BUS BODY SERIAL NUMBER. School bus bodies manufactured after January 1, 1986 and used on streets and highways in this state must bear the designation "MN" in the bus body identification number. The manufacturer of the school bus body certifies by the "MN" designation that the bus body has been manufactured to meet the minimum standards required of school bus bodies by law. A school bus body manufactured before January 2, 1986, that does not bear a current inspection sticker on the effective date of this section may not be used on streets and highways in the state after July 1, 1985, unless its manufacturer recertifies that the school bus body meets minimum standards required of school bus bodies by law. The commissioner of education shall implement this subdivision by rule promulgated before July 1, 1985.

Sec. 3. TEMPORARY DEFINITION OF SCHOOL BUS.

Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes 1984, section 169.01, subdivision 6 or 171.01, subdivision 21 to the contrary, the definition of school bus does not include a motor vehicle designed to carry fewer than 16 passengers and which does not, at any time, take on or let off passengers from the right-of-way of a public highway, street, or road.

Sec. 4. REPEALER.

Section 3 is repealed September 1, 1986.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 to 4 are effective the day following final enactment.

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CHAPTER 281 — H.F.No. 646

An act relating to public records; providing for fees of the county recorder and secretary of state; changing grounds for appeal from resolution of county board setting salaries or budgets for certain county officials; amending Minnesota Statutes 1984, sections 268.161, subdivision 1; 270.69, by adding a subdivision; 272.483; 336.9-407; 357.18, subdivision 1; 384.151, subdivision 7; 385.373, subdivision 7; 386.015, subdivision 7; 386.77; 387.20, subdivision 7; 388.18, subdivision 6; 485.018, subdivision 7; 505.08, subdivision 2; 508.47, subdivision 4; 508.82; 508A.11; 508A.47, subdivision 4; and 508A.82.

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