

## CHAPTER 332—S.F.No. 1319

*An act relating to motor vehicles; removing liability of motor vehicle lessors for unpaid citations for traffic violations committed by operators of leased or rented motor vehicles; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 168.*

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

Section 1. **[168.2701] LIABILITY OF LESSORS FOR UNPAID TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS.**

When a motor vehicle lessor, licensed under section 168.27, subdivision 2, 3, or 4, is issued a traffic violation citation for a violation committed by a lessee while operating the leased or rented vehicle, the lessor shall convey to the issuing authority within 15 days of the lessor receiving knowledge of the traffic violation, information to the extent available, including the driver's full name, home address, local address, if any, license number, employer's name and address, post office box, and form of payment. Upon compliance with this section, the lessor is not liable for the amount of fine, penalty assessment, late payment penalty, or cost of warrants issued in connection with the violation. However, action on the part of the issuing authority relieving the lessor of liability does not absolve the person incurring the violation of responsibility for the infraction.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.

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CHAPTER 333—S.F.No. 1701

*An act relating to town powers; authorizing the establishment of a perpetual care program for certain cemeteries; amending Minnesota Statutes 1985 Supplement, section 365.10.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1985 Supplement, section 365.10, is amended to read:

**365.10 TOWN MEETINGS, POWERS.**

The electors of each town have power, at their annual town meeting:

(1) to determine the locations of pounds, and number of poundmasters, and to discontinue any such pounds;

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