

Presented to the governor April 19, 1989

Signed by the governor April 19, 1989, 8:58 p.m.

CHAPTER 44—S.F.No. 156

An act relating to gambling; authorizing the governor or the governor's representatives to negotiate a tribal-state compact pursuant to the Indian gaming regulatory act; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 3.

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

Section 1. [3.9221] INDIAN TRIBES; COMPACTS TO BE NEGOTIATED.

Subdivision 1. DEFINITION. For purposes of this section, "act" means the Indian gaming regulatory act, Public Law Number 100-497, and future amendments to it.

Subd. 2. NEGOTIATIONS AUTHORIZED. The governor or the governor's designated representatives shall, pursuant to section 11 of the act, negotiate in good faith a tribal-state compact regulating the conduct of class III gambling, as defined in section 4 of the act, on Indian lands of a tribe requesting negotiations. The agreement may include any provision authorized under section 11(d)(3)(C) of the act. The attorney general is the legal counsel for the governor or the governor's representatives in regard to negotiating a compact under this section.

Subd. 3. TIME LIMITS. (a) In the case of negotiations undertaken pursuant to a request for negotiations received before the effective date of this act, the authority granted under subdivision 2 to negotiate with an Indian tribe expires 180 days after the effective date of this act.

(b) In the case of negotiations undertaken pursuant to a request for negotiations received after the effective date of this act, the authority granted under subdivision 2 to negotiate with an Indian tribe expires 180 days after receipt of the request by the governor.

Subd. 4. TERMS OF COMPACT; RIGHTS OF PARTIES. A compact agreed to on behalf of the state under this section must contain:

(1) a provision recognizing the right of each party to the agreement, including the legislature by joint resolution, to request that the agreement be renegotiated or replaced by a new compact, and providing the terms under which either party, including the legislature, can request a renegotiation or the negotiation of a new compact; and

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(2) a provision that in the event of a request for a renegotiation or a new compact the existing compact will remain in effect until renegotiated or replaced.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.

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CHAPTER 45—S.F.No. 271

An act relating to game and fish; contents of firearms safety course for young hunters; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 97B.015, subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 97B.015, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **ESTABLISHMENT.** The commissioner shall make rules establishing a statewide course in the safe use of firearms and identification of wild mammals and birds. At least one course must be held within the boundary of each school district. The courses must be conducted by the commissioner in cooperation with other organizations. The courses must instruct youths in commonly accepted principles of safety in hunting and handling common hunting firearms and identification of various species of wild mammals and birds by sight and other unique characteristics.

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CHAPTER 46—S.F.No. 332

An act relating to game and fish; open season for walleyed pike on the Rainy River; amending Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 97C.403, subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1988, section 97C.403, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **OPEN SEASON.** The open season for walleye in the Rainy River is from ~~the third Saturday in~~ May 15 until April 14.

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