

(j) providing underwriting assistance in connection with professional liability insurance coverage applied for or obtained by dentists, or providing assistance to underwriters in evaluating claims against dentists;

(k) acting as a medical review agent under section 256B.04, subdivision 15, or 256D.03, subdivision 7, paragraph (b); or

(l) providing recommendations on the medical necessity of a health service, or the relevant prevailing community standard for a health service; or

(m) providing quality assurance as required by United States Code, title 42, sections 1396r(b)(1)(b) and 1395i-3(b)(1)(b) of the Social Security Act.

Presented to the governor April 2, 1992

Signed by the governor April 3, 1992, 2:50 p.m.

#### CHAPTER 401—S.F.No. 1298

*An act relating to cooperatives; providing for equal representation on the board from districts or units of certain cooperatives; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 308A.*

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

#### Section 1. [308A.313] APPORTIONMENT OF DIRECTORS AMONG DISTRICTS OR UNITS.

The bylaws of an electric cooperative that has 35,000 or more members and that nominates, elects, or otherwise selects directors on a district or local unit basis must provide that representation on the board be apportioned equally throughout the different districts or local units in proportion to the membership residing in or belonging to the districts or units. The number of members in any one district or unit may not vary by more than ten percent from the average number of members for the districts or units.

The bylaws must provide for a survey to take place at least once every ten years to determine whether the number of members in a district or local unit has changed. If the number of members in a district or local unit changes by 15 percent or more, the bylaws must provide for changes in the districts or local units so that representation on the board continues to be apportioned equally throughout the districts or units in proportion to the membership.

#### Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE AND APPLICATION.

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment. Each electric cooperative subject to section 1 shall survey the location of its members and shall redistrict, if required to do so under that section, within one year after its first annual meeting held after the effective date.

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**CHAPTER 402—S.F.No. 2208**

*An act relating to Olmsted county; permitting certain exemptions for the conveyance of certain county property.*

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

**Section 1. OLMSTED COUNTY; CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN PROPERTY.**

Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section 373.01, subdivision 1, Olmsted county may convey the county courthouse and adjacent parking lot by contract without reserving to the county all iron ore and other valuable minerals and without reserving rights to explore or mine the minerals. All other requirements contained in section 373.01 must be satisfied.

**Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act takes effect the day after the Olmsted county board complies with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivision 3.

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**CHAPTER 403—S.F.No. 2182**

*An act relating to retirement; Duluth teachers retirement fund association; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 354A; repealing Laws 1985, chapter 259, section 2; and Laws 1990, chapter 570, article 7, section 4.*

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

**Section 1. [354A.27] DULUTH TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND ASSOCIATION; LUMP SUM POSTRETIREMENT ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM.**

Subdivision 1. ELIGIBILITY. A person receiving a retirement annuity, disability benefit, or surviving spouse benefit or annuity from the Duluth teachers retirement fund association who has received the annuity or benefit for at least one year may be entitled to receive a lump sum postretirement adjustment

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