

(k) **AUTOMATIC GARAGE DOOR OPENING SYSTEMS.** The code must require all residential buildings as defined in section 325F.82 to comply with the provisions of sections 325F.82 and 325F.83.

(l) **EXIT SIGN ILLUMINATION.** For a new building on which construction is begun on or after October 1, 1993, or an existing building on which remodeling affecting 50 percent or more of the enclosed space is begun on or after October 1, 1993, the code must prohibit the use of internally illuminated exit signs whose electrical consumption during nonemergency operation exceeds 20 watts of resistive power. All other requirements in the code for exit signs must be complied with.

(m) **RESIDENTIAL WORK.** By January 1, 1996, the commissioner of administration shall develop building code provisions in accordance with the directives and provisions developed under section 144.874, subdivision 11a.

(n) **EXTERIOR WOOD DECKS, PATIOS, AND BALCONIES.** The code must permit the decking surface and upper portions of exterior wood decks, patios, and balconies to be constructed of (1) heartwood from species of wood having natural resistance to decay or termites, including redwood and cedars, (2) grades of lumber which contain sapwood from species of wood having natural resistance to decay or termites, including redwood and cedars, or (3) treated wood. The species and grades of wood products used to construct the decking surface and upper portions of exterior decks, patios, and balconies must be made available to the building official on request before final construction approval.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective March 20, 1995.

Presented to the governor April 27, 1995

Signed by the governor April 28, 1995, 3:00 p.m.

CHAPTER 101—H.F.No. 1153

An act relating to transportation; authorizing cities, counties, and transit commissions and authorities outside the metropolitan area to provide certain paratransit outside their service areas; requiring such service to be under contract; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 174.24, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 174.24, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

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Subd. 6. SERVICE CONTRACTS. (a) Any legislatively established public transit commission or authority, county, or statutory or home rule charter city that (1) is located outside the metropolitan area, and (2) provides financial assistance to or operates public transit, may provide paratransit as a complement to fixed route service as required in United States Code, title 42, section 12143, as amended through December 31, 1994, outside its jurisdictional boundaries.

(b) Service described in paragraph (a) may be provided only if (1) the commission, authority, county, or city enters into a contract for the service with a political subdivision, individual, or private entity for the service, and (2) the contract requires full or partial payment to the commission, authority, county, or city for the cost of the service.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.

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CHAPTER 102—H.F.No. 838

An act relating to Olmsted county; authorizing the county to create a nonprofit corporation to own and operate a hospital and medical center; providing the county board with related powers and duties.

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

Section 1. OLMSTED COUNTY: NONPROFIT CORPORATION FOR MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL SERVICES; DEFINITIONS.

Subdivision 1. APPLICATION. The definitions in this section apply to sections 1 to 6.

Subd. 2. COUNTY. "County" means Olmsted county.

Subd. 3. HOSPITAL. "Hospital" means the hospital owned and operated by Olmsted county under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 376, on the effective date of this act.

Subd. 4. NONPROFIT CORPORATION. "Nonprofit corporation" means a corporation created under the laws of Minnesota and entitled to the status of nonprofit under the laws of Minnesota and of the United States and having as its purpose the operation of hospital and medical facilities.

Sec. 2. CREATION OF CORPORATION.

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