

ascertain and disclose to the person making such request, the current manufacturer's published list price less published trade discounts.

Failure to make such request by any person before reducing price on any commodity, article, goods, wares, or merchandise below cost shall be prima facie evidence of not acting in good faith within the meaning of this paragraph.

Sec. 2. REPEALER.

Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 325D.08, is repealed.

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 and 2 are effective the day following final enactment.

Presented to the governor April 18, 1995

Signed by the governor April 19, 1995, 2:18 p.m.

CHAPTER 74—S.F.No. 172

An act relating to motor vehicles; providing for issuance of manufacturer test plates; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.012, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 168; and 297B.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.012, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5a. VEHICLES USED FOR TESTING. Motor vehicles operated for testing under section 168.25 are not subject to registration taxes under this chapter.

Sec. 2. [168.25] VEHICLES USED FOR TESTING.

Subdivision 1. PLATES. The registrar shall, on request, issue to a first-stage manufacturer of motor vehicles one or more manufacturer test plates that display a general distinguishing number. The fee for each of the first four plates is \$40 per calendar year, of which \$25 must be paid to the registrar and the remaining \$15 is payable as sales tax on motor vehicles under section 297B.035. For each additional plate, the manufacturer shall pay the registrar a fee of \$10 and a tax on motor vehicles under section 297B.035 of \$15 per calendar year. The registrar shall deposit the tax in the state treasury to be credited under section 297B.09.

Subd. 2. PERMITTED USES. A motor vehicle owned by a first-stage manufacturer and bearing the number plate issued under subdivision 1 may be operated on public streets and highways by the manufacturer or an employee or agent of the manufacturer, for the purpose of conducting specialized cold weather testing, and for transportation to and from a bona fide cold weather testing station.

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Sec. 3. [297B.0351] MANUFACTURER'S TESTING VEHICLES.

Except as provided in section 168.25, a vehicle purchased by a first-stage motor vehicle manufacturer and licensed under that section is exempt from the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 to 3 are effective the day following final enactment.

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CHAPTER 75—S.F.No. 474

An act relating to insurance; Medicare-related coverage; regulating policy reinstatement; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 62A.04, subdivision 2; and 62D.12, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 62A.04, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **REQUIRED PROVISIONS.** Except as provided in subdivision 4 each such policy delivered or issued for delivery to any person in this state shall contain the provisions specified in this subdivision in the words in which the same appear in this section. The insurer may, at its option, substitute for one or more of such provisions corresponding provisions of different wording approved by the commissioner which are in each instance not less favorable in any respect to the insured or the beneficiary. Such provisions shall be preceded individually by the caption appearing in this subdivision or, at the option of the insurer, by such appropriate individual or group captions or subcaptions as the commissioner may approve.

(1) A provision as follows:

ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: This policy, including the endorsements and the attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of insurance. No change in this policy shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of the insurer and unless such approval be endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this policy or to waive any of its provisions.

(2) A provision as follows:

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