

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 473.519, is amended to read:

473.519 FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1972; SYSTEM OF CHARGES.

Each local government unit shall adopt a system of charges for the use and availability of the metropolitan disposal system which will assure that each recipient of waste treatment services within or served by the unit will pay its proportionate share of the current costs allocated to the unit by the council under section 473.517, as required by the federal Water Pollution Control Act amendments of 1972, and any regulations issued pursuant thereto. Each system of charges shall be adopted as soon as possible and shall be submitted to the council. The council shall review each system of charges to determine whether it complies with the federal law and regulations. If it determines that a system of charges does not comply, the adopting unit shall be notified and shall change its system to comply, and shall submit the changes to the council for review. All subsequent changes in a system of charges proposed by a local government unit shall also be submitted to the council for review.

Sec. 4. APPLICATION.

This act applies in the counties of Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, and Washington.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment. Sections 2 and 3 are effective January 1, 1998, for allocation of costs on and after that date.

Presented to the governor May 17, 1997

Signed by the governor May 19, 1997, 7:30 p.m.

CHAPTER 182—S.F.No. 242

An act relating to human rights; suspending a deadline during mediation in certain cases; amending Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 363.06, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1996, section 363.06, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3b. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The running of the 12-month period during which the commissioner must make a determination of probable cause to credit allegations is suspended during a period of time specified by the commissioner during which the parties are involved in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution that has been sanctioned by the commissioner.

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