

Subd. 8. SALARIES FOR CERTAIN HEADS OF STATE AGENCIES. The proposal by the governor to increase the salaries of certain heads of state agencies, approved by the legislative coordinating commission subcommittee on employee relations on September 26, 1997, is ratified.

Subd. 9. COMMISSIONER'S PLAN. The commissioner's plan for unrepresented employees, approved by the legislative coordinating commission subcommittee on employee relations on December 19, 1997, is ratified.

Subd. 10. UNREPRESENTED, UNCLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES; HIGHER EDUCATION SERVICES OFFICE. The amendment to the plan for unrepresented, unclassified employees of the higher education services office, approved by the legislative coordinating commission subcommittee on employee relations on December 19, 1997, is ratified.

Subd. 11. DIRECTOR; HIGHER EDUCATION SERVICES OFFICE. The salary of the director of the higher education services office is \$79,000, effective after July 1, 1997, and upon approval by the higher education services council.

Subd. 12. MANAGERIAL PLAN. The plan for managerial employees, as modified and approved by the legislative coordinating commission subcommittee on employee relations on January 29, 1998, is ratified.

**Sec. 6. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Sections 3 and 5 are effective the day following final enactment.

Presented to the governor March 30, 1998

Signed by the governor April 2, 1998, 11:05 a.m.

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**CHAPTER 352—S.F.No. 2148**

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**CHAPTER 353—S.F.No. 3397**

*An act relating to commerce; eliminating retroactive application of air carrier franchise exemption to pending litigation; amending Laws 1997, chapter 222, section 61.*

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

Section 1. Laws 1997, chapter 222, section 61, is amended to read:

**Sec. 61. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 32, paragraph (h), is effective the day following final enactment and shall apply to all agreements or arrangements regardless of the date they were entered into or renewed provided, however, that section 32, paragraph (h), shall not apply to any agreements or arrangements subject to litigation pending on the date of enactment wherein

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such agreements or arrangements are alleged to constitute a franchise within the meaning of Minnesota Statutes, section 80C.01, subdivision 4. The nonapplicability of section 32, paragraph (h), to those agreements or arrangements subject to litigation pending on the date of enactment shall not evidence any intent nor be construed to mean that they would or would not otherwise constitute a franchise within the meaning of Minnesota Statutes, section 80C.01, subdivision 4.

Sections 4, 6, 7, 42, 43, 46, 48, and 57 are effective the day following final enactment.

Sections 53 and 54 are effective the day following final enactment and apply to causes of action arising from incidents occurring on or after that date.

**Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act is effective retroactively to May 31, 1997.

Presented to the governor March 31, 1998

Signed by the governor April 2, 1998, 11:10 a.m.

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**CHAPTER 354—H.F.No. 3332**

*An act relating to adoption; changing provisions in the fathers' adoption registry; modifying conditions for open adoption agreements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, sections 259.52, subdivisions 1, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12, and by adding a subdivision; and 259.58.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1997 Supplement, section 259.52, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **ESTABLISHMENT OF REGISTRY; PURPOSE; FEES.** (a) The commissioner of health shall establish a putative fathers' adoption registry for the purpose of determining the identity and location of a putative father interested in a minor child who is, or is expected to be, the subject of an adoption proceeding, in order to provide notice of the adoption proceeding to the putative father who is not otherwise entitled to notice under section 259.49, subdivision 1, paragraph (a) or (b), clauses (1) to (7). The commissioner of health may establish informational material and public service announcements necessary to implement this section. Any limitation on a putative father's right to assert an interest in the child as provided in this section applies only in adoption proceedings and only to those putative fathers not entitled to notice and consent under sections 259.24 and 259.49, subdivision 1, paragraph (a) or (b), clauses (1) to (7). The commissioner of health has no independent obligation to gather or update the information to be maintained on the registry. It is the registrant's responsibility to update his personal information on the registry.

(b) The putative fathers' adoption registry must contain the following information:

(1) with respect to the putative father, the:

(i) name, including any other names by which the putative father may be known and that he may provide to the registry;

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