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

Section 1. JUVENILE PROSTITUTION LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAIN-ING STUDY.

The commissioner of public safety and executive director of the peace officer standards and training board will study and make recommendations on training for peace officers to combat juvenile prostitution. The commissioner and executive director shall study ways to train peace officers in policies and procedures aimed at combating juvenile prostitution, including a means to provide peace officers with the knowledge and skills to recognize individuals who sexually exploit youth, techniques that can be used to increase charging and prosecution of individuals who promote and solicit prostitution, and procedures for effectively communicating with the victims of juvenile prostitution.

By September 15, 2000, the commissioner and executive director shall report to the legislature on its recommendations. $\underline{}$

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 609.322, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. INDIVIDUALS UNDER AGE 16 18. Whoever, while acting other than as a prostitute or patron, intentionally does any of the following may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than 20 years or to payment of a fine of not more than \$40,000, or both:

- (1) solicits or induces an individual under the age of $\frac{16}{18}$ years to practice prostitution;
 - (2) promotes the prostitution of an individual under the age of 16 18 years; or
- (3) receives profit, knowing or having reason to know that it is derived from the prostitution, or the promotion of the prostitution, of an individual under the age of 16 18 years.

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective July 1, 2000. Section 2 is effective August 1, 2000, and applies to crimes committed on or after that date.

Presented to the governor April 17, 2000

Signed by the governor April 20, 2000, 10:22 a.m.

CHAPTER 432—S.F.No. 2456

An act relating to local government; authorizing Wright county to convey certain county ditches to the cities of St. Michael and Albertville.

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

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Section 1. WRIGHT COUNTY; CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN COUNTY DITCHES TO THE CITIES OF ST. MICHAEL AND ALBERTVILLE.

The county of Wright may, by one or more resolutions of its board of commissioners, convey to the cities of St. Michael and Albertville all of its rights, title, and interests in all or any portion of county ditches numbered 9 and 21.

Sec. 2. PROCEDURES AND CONDITIONS OF CONVEYANCE.

The conveyance or conveyances will be effective as of the date of such a county board resolution, if the cities of St. Michael and Albertville, by resolution of their city councils:

- $\frac{\text{(1) have agreed to accept the conveyance to the city of a specific ditch or portion}}{\text{thereof;}}$
- (2) have agreed to assume as of the effective date, all of the rights, title, and interests of the county; and
- (3) have agreed to assume responsibility, under the city's municipal authority, for management of surface water within the area served by the ditch or portion of a ditch so conveyed.

Sec. 3. EFFECT OF CONVEYANCE.

- (a) Upon the effective date of a conveyance authorized under this act, with respect to any ditch or portion of a ditch so conveyed:
- (1) the cities of St. Michael and Albertville shall hold all of the county of Wright's property rights, title, and interests in any ditch or portion of a ditch so conveyed;
- (2) Wright county shall have no further responsibility for the ditch or portion of a ditch so conveyed;
- (3) the ditch or portion of a ditch so conveyed shall no longer be subject to Minnesota Statutes, chapter 103E, except that any existing drainage liens shall remain in full force and effect until paid or satisfied; and
- (4) the cities of St. Michael and Albertville shall manage surface water within the area served by the ditch or portion of a ditch so conveyed pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, chapters 412 and 444, or other applicable law governing management of surface water by cities.
- (b) The county and the cities may enter into any agreement or issue any document necessary to carry out the purposes of this act.

Sec. 4. EFFECT ON REMAINING DITCHES.

This act has no effect upon any ditch or portion of a ditch that is not the subject of an agreement as described in section 2.

Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 to 4 are effective the day after the last of the county board of Wright county, the city councils of St. Michael and Albertville, and the chief clerical officer of

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each timely completes compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivisions 2 and 3.

Presented to the governor April 20, 2000

Signed by the governor April 24, 2000, 1:51 p.m.

CHAPTER 433—S.F.No. 2785

An act relating to motor vehicles; exempting certain utility-owned vehicles and recycling vehicles from certain weight restrictions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1998, sections 169.825, by adding a subdivision; and 169.87, by adding subdivisions.

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

- Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 169.825, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:
- Subd. 17. APPLICATION TO UTILITY VEHICLE. This section does not apply to a utility vehicle that does not exceed a weight of 20,000 pounds per axle and is owned by:
 - (1) a public utility, as defined in section 216B.02;
- (2) a municipality or municipal utility that operates that vehicle for its municipal electric, gas, or water system; and
 - (3) a cooperative electric association organized under chapter 308A.
- Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 169.87, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:
- Subd. 5. UTILITY VEHICLES. Weight restrictions imposed by the commissioner under subdivision 1 do not apply to a two-axle or three-axle utility vehicle that does not exceed a weight of 20,000 pounds per single axle and 36,000 pounds gross vehicle weight for a two-axle vehicle or 48,000 pounds gross vehicle weight for a three-axle vehicle, if the vehicle is owned by:
 - (1) a public utility as defined in section 216B.02;
- (2) a municipality or municipal utility that operates the vehicle for its municipal electric, gas, or water system; or
 - (3) a cooperative electric association organized under chapter 308A.

The exemption in this subdivision applies only when the vehicle is performing service restoration or other work necessary to prevent an imminent loss of service.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 169.87, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

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