Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment and applies to annexations ordered on or after that date.

Presented to the governor March 13, 2002

Signed by the governor March 14, 2002, 3:07 p.m.

CHAPTER 237-H.F.No. 2987

An act relating to Cook county; authorizing the county to convey the Mineral Center cemetery to the Grand Portage Reservation.

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

Section 1. COOK COUNTY; CEMETERY CONVEYANCE.

Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, sections 306.02 and 306.243, subdivision 5, upon an agreement between the Cook county board and the Grand Portage Reservation Tribal Council, Cook county may convey the land and property of the Mineral Center cemetery to the Grand Portage Reservation.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE; NO LOCAL APPROVAL.

(a) Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.

(b) Section 1 does not require local approval because it enables a local government unit to exercise authority not granted by general law as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 645.023, subdivision 1, paragraph (a).

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CHAPTER 238-H.F.No. 3202

An act relating to the city of Delano; increasing its public utilities commission from three to five members.

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

Section 1. DELANO UTILITIES COMMISSION INCREASED TO FIVE MEMBERS.

(a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, sections 412.331 and 412.341, subdivision 1:

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(1) the public utilities commission of the city of Delano is increased from three to five members;

(2) the additional members have three-year terms except that the first appointee to the fourth seat has an initial term expiring April 1, 2004, and the first appointee to the fifth seat has an initial term expiring April 1, 2005; and

 $\frac{(3) \text{ no more than one city council member may serve on the commission at any time.}}{(3) \text{ no more than one city council member may serve on the commission at any time.}}$

(b) The provisions of sections 412.331 to 412.391 that do not conflict with paragraph (a) apply to the additional members to the same extent that they apply to the other members of the commission.

Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE; LOCAL APPROVAL.

Section 1 is effective the day after the governing body of the city of Delano and its chief clerical officer timely complete their compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivisions 2 and 3.

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CHAPTER 239-H.F.No. 2629

An act relating to professions; allowing retired individuals licensed by the board of architecture, engineering, land surveying, landscape architecture, geoscience, and interior design to use a retired professional designation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 326.02, subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2000, section 326.02, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **REGISTRATION MANDATORY.** In order to safeguard life, health, and property, and to promote the public welfare, any person in either public or private capacity practicing, or offering to practice, architecture, professional engineering, land surveying, landscape architecture, or professional geoscience, or using the title certified interior designer in this state, either as an individual, a copartner, or as agent of another, shall be licensed or certified as hereinafter provided. It shall be unlawful for any person to practice, or to offer to practice, in this state, architecture, professional engineering, land surveying, landscape architecture, or professional geoscience, or to use the title certified interior designer, or to solicit or to contract to furnish work within the terms of sections 326.02 to 326.15, or to use in connection with the person's name, or to otherwise assume, use or advertise any title or description tending to convey the impression that the person is an architect, professional engineer

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