official character of the person whose name is signed to it. The signature in clause (a) or (b) can be written or in electronic format.

Presented to the governor May 8, 2003

Signed by the governor May 12, 2003, 11:58 a.m.

CHAPTER 30—H.F.No. 456

An act relating to historic districts; designating Victory Memorial Drive as a historic district; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 138.73, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 138.73, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 26. **VICTORY MEMORIAL DRIVE HISTORIC DISTRICT.** Victory Memorial Drive Historic District in Hennepin county is comprised of the drive extending from Lowry Avenue North on the south to Humboldt Avenue North on the east, and all property associated with the drive owned by the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board, including the Lincoln Statue area and the Flagpole Memorial area.

Presented to the governor May 8, 2003

Signed by the governor May 12, 2003, 12:03 p.m.

CHAPTER 31—H.F.No. 446

An act relating to child labor; exempting certain minors from minimum age restrictions for work as youth athletic program referees, umpires, or officials; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 181A.07, by adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 181A.07, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 4a. A minor at least 11 years of age and less than 14 years of age shall be exempt from the minimum age provisions of section 181A.04, subdivision 1, if employed as a youth athletic program referee, umpire, or official for an age bracket younger than the minor's own age if an adult representing the state or local athletic program is on the premises at which the athletic program event is occurring and a person responsible for the state or local athletic program possesses a written

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acknowledgment signed by the minor's parent or guardian consenting to the minor's employment as a referee, umpire, or official.

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Section 1 is effective the day following final enactment.

Presented to the governor May 8, 2003

Signed by the governor May 8, 2003, 10:10 a.m.

CHAPTER 32—S.F.No. 1071

An act relating to health; applying licensure regulations and requirements to the alkaline hydrolysis process; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 149A.02, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 149A.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 149A.02, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 1a. **ALKALINE HYDROLYSIS.** "Alkaline hydrolysis" means the reduction of a dead human body to essential elements through exposure to a combination of heat and alkaline hydrolysis and the repositioning or movement of the body during the process to facilitate reduction, the processing of the remains after removal from the alkaline hydrolysis chamber, placement of the processed remains in a remains container, and release of the remains to an appropriate party. Alkaline hydrolysis is a form of final disposition.

Sec. 2. **[149A.025] ALKALINE HYDROLYSIS.**

For purposes of this chapter, the disposal of a dead human body through the process of alkaline hydrolysis shall be subject to the same licensing requirements and regulations that apply to cremation, crematories, and cremated remains as described in this chapter. The licensing requirements and regulations of this chapter shall also apply to the entities where the process of alkaline hydrolysis occurs and to the remains that result from the alkaline hydrolysis process.

Presented to the governor May 8, 2003

Signed by the governor May 12, 2003, 2:45 p.m.

CHAPTER 33—H.F.No. 258

An act relating to agriculture; prohibiting registration of certain fertilizers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 18C.401, by adding a subdivision.

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