

whatsoever, the commissioner, on determining such action necessary to protect the public interest, may apply to the district court for the county in which the main office of such agency is located for appointment of a receiver to receive the assets of the collection agency licensee for the purpose of liquidating or rehabilitating its business and or for such other relief as the nature of the case and the interest of the claimants may require. The reasonable and necessary expenses of the receivership shall constitute the first claim on the bond.

Sec. 10. EFFECTIVE DATE.

Sections 1 to 9 are effective January 1, 2005.

Presented to the governor May 14, 2004

Signed by the governor May 18, 2004, 3:55 p.m.

CHAPTER 209—H.F.No. 1691

An act relating to highways; modifying provisions relating to local government road construction and improvement contracts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 160.17, subdivision 3; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 160.17, subdivision 4.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 160.17, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **FINAL PAYMENT.** A county or town board shall not make final payment shall not be made on any road construction or improvement contract for road work by any county or town board, the amount for which sealed bids are required under section 471.345, until the engineer or person in charge of the work has certified to the county board or the town board, as the case may be, that the work has been done and performed according to contract and the certificate shall have been filed in the office of the county auditor or town clerk.

Sec. 2. REPEALER.

Minnesota Statutes 2002, section 160.17, subdivision 4, is repealed.

Presented to the governor May 14, 2004

Signed by the governor May 18, 2004, 4:05 p.m.

CHAPTER 210—H.F.No. 1941

An act relating to Anoka County; authorizing the county to establish a Personnel Board of Appeals.

New language is indicated by underline, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.