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85.015 State trails.

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Subd. 13. Arrowhead Region Trails, in Cook, Lake, St. Louis, Koochiching and Itasca counties.

(a) (1) The Taconite Trail shall originate at Ely in St. Louis county and extend southwesterly to Tower in St. Louis county, thence westerly to McCarthy Beach state park in St. Louis county, thence southerly crossing state trunk highway number 169 at O'Brien creek between Keewatin and Nashwauk in Itasca county, thence southwesterly to Blackberry in Itasca county and there terminate;

(2) The Northshore Trail shall originate in Duluth in St. Louis county and extend northeasterly to Two Harbors in Lake county, thence northeasterly to Grand Marais in Cook county, thence northeasterly to the international boundary in the vicinity of the north shore of Lake Superior, and there terminate;

(3) The Grand Marais to International Falls Trail shall originate in Grand Marais in Cook county and extend northwesterly, outside of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area, to Ely in St. Louis county, thence southwesterly along the route of the Taconite Trail to Tower in St. Louis county, thence northwesterly through the Pelican Lake area in St. Louis county to International Falls in Koochiching county, and there terminate.

(b) The trails shall be developed primarily for riding and hiking.

(c) In addition to the authority granted in subdivision 1, lands and interests in lands for the Arrowhead Region Trails may be acquired by eminent domain. Before acquiring any land or interest in land by eminent domain the commissioner of administration shall obtain the approval of the governor. The governor shall consult with the legislative advisory committee before granting his approval. Recommendations of the legislative advisory committee shall be advisory only. Failure or refusal of the committee to make a recommendation shall be deemed a negative recommendation.

[1975 c 113 s 1]

85.021 Acquisition of land, Minnesota valley trail.

Subdivision 1. Acquisition of entire tract. Whenever the commissioner of administration determines that it is necessary to acquire any interest in a part of a tract or parcel of real estate for purposes of the Minnesota valley trail, he may acquire in fee the whole or any additional parts of the tract or parcel that he deems to be in the best interests of the state.

Subd. 2. Conveyance of excess. Within one year after acquiring excess real estate pursuant to subdivision 1, the commissioner of administration shall notify the governor that the excess real estate is available for sale. The commissioner shall then publish notice of sale for three successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the territory from which bids are likely to be received. After receipt of sealed bids, and upon recommendation of the commissioner of administration, the governor shall convey the excess real estate by quitclaim deed in a form approved by the attorney general in the name of the state to the highest responsible bidder. The deed may contain restrictive clauses limiting the use of the real estate in the interest of preserving the integrity of the trail when the commissioner finds that the restrictions are reasonably necessary.

Subd. 3. Leasing. The commissioner may lease for the term between the acquisition and sale thereof and for a fair rental rate and upon terms and conditions that he deems proper, any excess real estate acquired under the provisions of this section and any real estate acquired in fee for natural resources purposes and not presently needed therefor. All rents received from the leases shall be paid into the state treasury.

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[1975 c 144 s 2]

85.20 Violations of rules; littering; penalties.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.1974]

Subd. 2. [Repealed, 1975 c 353 s 41]

Subd. 3. [Repealed, 1975 c 353 s 41]

Subd. 4. [Repealed, 1975 c 353 s 41]

Subd. 5. [Repealed, 1975 c 353 s 41]

Subd. 6. Littering; penalty. No person shall drain, throw, or deposit upon the lands and waters within a state park any substance that would mar the appearance, create a stench, destroy the cleanliness or safety of the land, or would be likely to injure any animal, vehicle, or person traveling upon those lands and waters. The operator of a vehicle or watercraft, except a school bus or a vehicle transporting passengers for hire and regulated by the interstate commerce commission, shall not permit articles to be thrown or discarded from the vehicle upon any lands or waters within a state park. A person violating the provisions of this subdivision shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Any person sentenced under this subdivision shall in lieu of the sentence imposed be permitted, under terms established by the court, to work under the direction of the department of natural resources at clearing rubbish, trash, and debris from any state park. The court may for any violation of this subdivision order the offender to perform such work under terms established by the court with the option of a jail sentence being imposed.

[1975 c 168 s 1]

85.32 Canoe and boating routes.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.1974]

Subd. 2. Camp sites, rest areas, river accesses and portages, land acquisition. The commissioner may, in cooperation with local units of government as provided in subdivision 1, acquire land by purchase, grant, gift, devise, exchange, lease or easement for camp sites, rest areas, river accesses and portages and develop and maintain such areas along such routes on the rivers designated in subdivision 1, providing that such parcel of land acquired shall not exceed 20 acres unless the acquisition of such parcel of land would require a survey in which case the commissioner may acquire a previously surveyed parcel of land not to exceed a quarter-quarter section of land, or unless specifically authorized by the legislature.

Subd. 3. Dedication, application of statute. Areas acquired by easement or lease or areas designated and marked under this section shall not be subject to the provisions of section 160.06.

[1975 c 37 s 1,2]