

## CHAPTER 12

## DIVISION OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

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**12.03 DEFINITIONS.***[For text of subs 1 to 8, see M.S.1980]*

Subd. 9. "Political subdivision" means a county, city, town, or a metropolitan airports commission organized and existing under sections 473.601 to 473.679.

*[For text of subs 10 and 11, see M.S.1980]***History:** *1Sp1981 c 4 art 1 s 2***12.14 ASSESSMENT FOR NUCLEAR SAFETY PREPAREDNESS ACT.**

Any person, firm, corporation or association in the business of owning or operating a nuclear fission electrical generating plant located in Minnesota, shall pay an assessment of \$250,000 per plant to cover the initial cost of upgrading nuclear power plant emergency response plans and other programs necessary to deal with incidents resulting from the operation of nuclear fission electrical generating plants. This assessment shall be paid to the state for deposit in the general fund within 90 days of April 25, 1980. Thereafter, an assessment of \$75,000 per plant shall be paid annually on July 1 of each year, beginning with July 1, 1981, to cover ongoing costs related to the emergency response plan.

**History:** *1981 c 357 s 24***12.25 LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Director; responsibility.** Each political subdivision of this state shall establish a local organization for civil defense in accordance with the state civil defense plan and program, but no town shall establish a local organization for civil defense without approval of the state director. Each local organization for civil defense shall have a director who shall be appointed forthwith in a city by the mayor thereof, in a town by the town board, and for a public corporation organized and existing under sections 473.601 to 473.679 by its governing body who shall have direct responsibility for the organization, administration, and operation of such local organization for civil defense, subject to the direction and control of such governing body.

*[For text of subs 2 to 5, see M.S.1980]***History:** *1Sp1981 c 4 art 1 s 3*