

the municipality in the performance of their duty as municipal officials.

Approved March 29, 1973.

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**CHAPTER 58—H.F.No.30**

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*An act relating to public service corporations and pipeline companies; regulating and limiting the easements over private property acquired by such corporations and companies.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. **[300.045] PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATIONS; EASEMENTS OVER PRIVATE PROPERTY, LIMITATIONS.** Public service corporations, including pipeline companies, when acquiring easements over private property by purchase, gift or eminent domain proceedings, shall definitely and specifically describe the easement being acquired, and shall not acquire an easement greater than the minimum necessary for the safe conduct of their business; provided that the foregoing shall not apply to a temporary easement for construction.

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**CHAPTER 59—H.F.No.54**

*An act relating to drivers' licenses; prescribing fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 171.06, Subdivision 2.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 171.06, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **DRIVERS LICENSES; FEES.** (a) The fee for an instruction permit to obtain a Class C license shall be \$2. The fee

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for a nonqualification certificate shall be ~~\$2~~ \$3. The fee for a Class C license shall be \$5. The fee for a Class B license shall be \$10. The fee for a Class A license shall be \$15. The fees paid for a Class B and Class A license shall include any previous fees paid for a lower class license issued within the preceding twelve months;

(b) The fee for a duplicate license of any class shall be ~~\$1~~ \$1.50.

~~The fee for a license or certificate bearing a colored photograph thereon shall be increased by \$1.~~

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### CHAPTER 60—H.F.No.80

*An act relating to juries; abolishing excuse from grand or petit jury service for women; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 628.49.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 628.49, is amended to read:

**628.49 JURIES; EXCUSING WOMEN FROM SERVICE.** The court shall not excuse from service upon either grand or petit jury any person duly drawn and summoned, except upon the ground that he is either physically or mentally unable or unfit, in the opinion of the court, to attend or serve as a juror, or by reason of serious sickness of some immediate member of his family, or there is a showing and the court believes that extraordinary hardship will result if one summoned is not excused; provided, in counties having more than two terms of court a year the court may, for other sufficient causes, excuse a juror from service at the term of court or period of service for which he was so drawn and summoned until a later term or period during the same year, and in such case such juror shall report for service and serve at such later term or period with the same force and effect as though he had been regularly drawn and summoned for such later term or period. The name of each person excused, with the ground thereof, shall be entered by the clerk among the proceedings of the court, preserved, and open to inspection by all parties. ~~Any woman drawn upon either a grand or a petit jury may, in the discretion of the court, be excused from such jury service upon request.~~

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