

demographer. For every election held in the municipality the clerk shall furnish copies of the appropriate precinct map to the election judges for each polling place.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 204A.06, Subdivision 2, is repealed.

Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective the day following final enactment.

Approved May 19, 1977.

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#### CHAPTER 150—S.F.No.919

*An act relating to highway traffic regulations; prescribing the width of vehicles; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 169.80, Subdivision 2.*

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

Section 1, Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 169.80, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

**Subd. 2. TRAFFIC REGULATIONS; VEHICLE WIDTH; OUTSIDE WIDTH.**

The total outside width of any vehicle or the load thereon shall not exceed eight feet except that the outside width of a farm tractor, or a vehicle owned by a political subdivision and used exclusively for the purpose of handling sewage sludge from sewage treatment facilities to farm fields, shall not exceed 12 feet, and except as otherwise provided in this section.

A vehicle owned by a political subdivision and used exclusively for the purpose of transporting sewage sludge to farm fields shall not be operated outside a 15 mile radius of the supply facilities, nor shall it be operated between the hours of sunset and sunrise, or at any other time when visibility is impaired by weather, smoke, fog or other conditions rendering persons and vehicles not clearly discernible on the highway at a distance of 500 feet.

The total outside width of a low bed trailer or equipment dolly, and the load thereon, used exclusively for transporting farm machinery and construction equipment shall not exceed nine feet in width except that any such low bed trailer or equipment dolly with a total outside width, including the load thereon, in excess of eight feet shall not be operated on any interstate highway without first having obtained a permit for such operation pursuant to section 169.86. The vehicle shall display 12 inch square red flags as markers at the front and rear of the left side of the vehicle.

The total outside width of a trackless trolley car or passenger motor bus, operated exclusively in any city, or contiguous cities in this state, shall not exceed nine feet; provided a passenger motor bus, not exceeding eight and one-half feet in width, may operate beyond the foregoing areas and within 20 miles of the boundaries of a city of the first class. A passenger motor bus, not exceeding eight and one-half feet in width, may

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operate between the separated facilities of a college or university if part of the facilities are located within one of the foregoing areas and part are located outside but not more than five miles from the area.

The total outside width of loads of forest products when loaded crossways shall not exceed 100 inches, provided the load is securely bound with a chain attached to front and rear of the loading platform of the vehicle so as to hold the load securely in place.

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CHAPTER 151—S.F.No.930

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*An act relating to unemployment compensation; providing for the assignment of veterans employment representatives; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 268.14, by adding a subdivision.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 268.14, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

**Subd. 5. UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION; VETERANS REPRESENTATIVES.** As may be determined by the commissioner, based on a demonstrated need for the service, there shall be assigned by the commissioner to the staff of each full functioning employment service office a veterans employment representative whose activities shall be devoted to discharging the duties prescribed of a veterans employment representative. The position of veterans employment representative shall be filled by one or more employees of the department of employment services who are veterans as defined in section 197.447.

Approved May 19, 1977.

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CHAPTER 152—S.F.No.963

*An act relating to public safety; permitting only owners of gas containers to fill them with industrial gases; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 299F.40.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 299F.40, is amended to read:

**299F.40 PUBLIC SAFETY; LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM AND INDUSTRIAL GAS CONTAINERS.** Subdivision 1. **PUBLIC POLICY.** It is the intent of the Minnesota

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