

## CHAPTER 391—H. F. No. 503

[Coded as Section 614.66]

*An act relating to the use of white painted canes by the blind; amending Laws 1945, Chapter 369.*

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

Section 1. Laws 1945, Chapter 369, is amended to read:

[614.66] Section 1. **Blind persons carrying white canes.** Subdivision 1. **Limit on carrying.** It shall be unlawful for any person to carry a white painted cane unless said person is a blind person.

Sec. 2. Subd. 2. **Blind persons have right of way.** Any person operating a motor vehicle in this state shall bring such motor vehicle to a stop and give the right of way at any intersection of any street, avenue, alley or other public highway to a blind person carrying a white painted cane when such blind person enters said intersection by holding out his white cane *with the arm extended.*

Sec. 3. Subd. 3. **Violation and penalty.** Any person violating any provision of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Approved April 12, 1949.

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CHAPTER 392—H. F. No. 623

*An act to amend Section 219.96 Minnesota Statutes 1945 relative to carrying of tools on railroad cars.*

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

219.96. Section 1. **Fire extinguishers and tools.** Every company operating a railroad in the state shall keep, at each end of each passenger and sleeping car, run or operated by it, therein, fire extinguishers of good and approved construction, in good condition for use and in a safe and convenient position, and in each car one saw and one axe to be kept inside of