

of training or employment, make vendor payments on behalf of the relative specified or continue aid in the case of a child specified, if during the 60 day period the child or relative accepts counseling or other services which the county welfare department shall make available to the child or relative aimed at for the purpose of assisting the child or relative to participate in a program in accordance with the determination of the commissioner of ~~manpower~~ employment services.

Sec. 3. This act is in effect the day following its final enactment.

Approved April 11, 1974.

CHAPTER 499—H.F.No.2334

An act relating to child welfare; requiring agency placement prior to adoption; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 259.22.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 259.22, is amended to read:

259.22 CHILD WELFARE; ADOPTION; AGENCY PLACEMENT; PETITION. Subdivision 1. Any person who has resided in the state for one year or more may petition to adopt a child or an adult, and the same petitioner may petition for the adoption of two or more persons in one petition. The provisions as to length of residence in the state may be waived by the court whenever it appears to be for the best interest of the child.

Subd. 2. No petition for adoption shall be filed unless the child sought to be adopted has been placed by the commissioner of public welfare, his agent, or a licensed child-placing agency. The provisions of this subdivision shall not apply if

(a) the child is over 14 years of age;

(b) the child is sought to be adopted by a step-parent;

(c) the child is sought to be adopted by a relative related by blood or marriage within the third degree;

(d) the child has been lawfully placed under the laws of another state while the child and petitioner resided in that other state; or

(e) the court waives the requirement of placement in the best interests of the child or petitioners.

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Subd. 3. This act shall not apply to placements made prior to August 1, 1974. Any placement made prior to that date may be finalized by a petition for adoption.

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CHAPTER 500—H.F.No.2338

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An act relating to motor vehicle noise regulations; making it a petty misdemeanor to operate a motor vehicle in violation of noise regulations adopted by the pollution control agency; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Chapter 169, by adding a section; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 169.691 and 169.692.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Chapter 169, is amended by adding a section to read:

[169.693] MOTOR VEHICLES; NOISE LIMITS. It is unlawful to operate a motor vehicle in violation of motor vehicle noise regulations adopted by the pollution control agency.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 169.691 and 169.692, are repealed.

Sec. 3. This act takes effect on October 1, 1974.

Approved April 11, 1974.

CHAPTER 501—H.F.No.2349

An act relating to intoxicating liquor; authorizing the issuance of an additional license in Virginia and eliminating the prohibition of the sale of liquor in certain places; amending Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 340.14, Subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. **INTOXICATING LIQUORS; FORBIDDEN SALES.** Subdivision 1. The city of Virginia may issue one license for the on-sale of intoxicating liquor, which license shall be in addition to the number authorized by Minnesota Statutes, 1973 Supplement, Section 340.11, Subdivision 7.

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