

married couple, filing jointly, may take a similar credit of not more than \$50. No credit shall be allowed under this subdivision for a contribution to any candidate, other than a candidate for elective judicial office, who has not signed an agreement to limit his campaign expenditures as provided in section 10A.32, subdivision 3b. The commissioner of revenue shall provide in the tax instruction booklet language understandable to a person of average intelligence which states that the taxpayer may only claim a credit against his tax due for contributions to candidates for (a) judicial office or (b) statewide or legislative office who have agreed to limit their expenditures. For purposes of this subdivision, "candidate" means a candidate as defined in section 10A.01, subdivision 5 other than a county court, probate court or county municipal court judgeship. The department of revenue shall provide on the first page of the Minnesota tax form an appropriate provision for the credit provided by this subdivision.

This credit shall be allowed only if the contribution is verified in the manner the commissioner of revenue shall prescribe.

Approved May 3, 1979.

CHAPTER 60—S.F.No.361

An act relating to highway traffic regulations; regulating speed limits within school zones; prescribing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 169.14, Subdivision 5a.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 169.14, Subdivision 5a, is amended to read:

Subd. 5a. **SPEED ZONING IN SCHOOL ZONES.** Local authorities may establish a school speed limit within a school zone of a public or nonpublic school upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation as prescribed by the commissioner of transportation. The establishment of a school speed limit on any trunk highway shall be with the consent of the commissioner of transportation. Such school speed limits shall be in effect when children are present, going to or leaving school during opening or closing hours or during school recess periods. The school speed limit shall not be lower than 20 ~~15~~ miles per hour and shall not be more than 45 ~~20~~ miles per hour below the established speed limit on an affected street or highway if the established speed limit is 40 miles per hour or greater.

The school speed limit shall be effective upon the erection of appropriate signs designating the speed and indicating the beginning and end of the reduced speed zone. Any speed in excess of such posted school speed limit is unlawful. All such signs shall be erected by the local authorities on those streets and highways under their respective jurisdictions and by the commissioner of transportation on trunk highways.

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For the purpose of this subdivision, "school zone" means that section of a street or highway which abuts the grounds of a school where children have access to the street or highway from the school property or where an established school crossing is located provided the school advance sign prescribed by the manual on uniform traffic control devices adopted by the commissioner of transportation pursuant to section 169.06 is in place. All signs erected by local authorities to designate speed limits in school zones shall conform to the manual on uniform control devices.

Approved May 3, 1979.

CHAPTER 61—S.F.No.384

An act relating to elections; providing additional compensation for election judges who travel to pick up election supplies or deliver ballots; authorizing town boards to fix the compensation of town election judges; amending Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 204A.23.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 204A.23, is amended to read:

204A.23 COMPENSATION. The compensation for services performed under the Minnesota election law shall be as follows:

(a) To presidential electors, \$10 for each day's attendance at the capitol, and an amount for each mile necessarily traveled in going to and returning from St. Paul, equal to the amount allowed for state employees in accordance with regulation under section 471.665, subdivision 1;

(b) To persons carrying, other than county, city or township employees during their normal work day, appointed or designated by the county auditor to carry ballots to or from, and returns to, the county auditor's office, \$2 a sum not less than the prevailing Minnesota minimum wage for each hour necessarily spent and an amount for each mile of necessary travel, equal to the amount allowed for state employees in accordance with regulation under section 471.665, subdivision 1;

(c) To members of county canvassing boards, \$5 for each eight hours of service as members of the canvassing board and seven and one-half cents for each mile of necessary travel each day; provided that in counties now or hereafter having a population of 600,000 or more the members of the county canvassing boards in those counties shall be paid \$12 for each eight hours of service as members of the canvassing board, and mileage;

(d) The compensation for election judges in home rule charter and statutory cities shall be fixed by the governing body of the municipality and in the case of city, The compensation of election judges in unorganized territory shall be fixed by the county board; except that The compensation for election judges in the case of townships towns shall be fixed at the annual town meeting by the town board . An election judge who

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