

**609.349 VOLUNTARY RELATIONSHIPS.** A person does not commit criminal sexual conduct under ~~Laws 1975, Chapter 374 sections 609.342, clauses (a) and (b), 609.343, clauses (a) and (b), 609.344, clauses (a), (b) and (d), and 609.345, clauses (a), (b) and (d),~~ if the actor and complainant were adults cohabiting in an ongoing voluntary sexual relationship at the time of the alleged offense, or if the complainant is the actor's legal spouse, unless the couple is living apart and one of them has filed for legal separation or dissolution of the marriage. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or restrain the prosecution for any other offense committed by any person against his legal spouse.

**Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.** Sections 1 and 2 are effective the day following final enactment and section 2 applies to all crimes committed on or after that date.

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**CHAPTER 545—H.F.No. 2019**

*An act relating to education; the maximum effort school aid law; changing the definition of "maximum effort debt service levy"; authorizing the sale of bonds for the maximum effort school loan fund; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 1978, Sections 124.38, Subdivision 7; 124.43, Subdivisions 1 and 2.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 124.38, Subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. "Maximum effort debt service levy" means the lesser of:

(1) A levy in a total dollar amount computed as ~~20~~ 15 mills on the adjusted assessed value; or

(2) A levy in whichever of the following amounts is applicable:

(a) In any school district which received a debt service or capital loan from the state before January 1, 1965, a levy in a total dollar amount computed as 4.10 mills on the market value in each year, unless the district applies or has applied for an additional loan subsequent to January 1, 1965, or issues or has issued bonds on the public market, other than bonds refunding state loans, subsequent to January 1, 1967;

(b) In any school district granted a debt service or capital loan between January 1, 1965, and July 1, 1969, a levy in a total dollar amount computed as 5-1/2 mills on the market value in each year, until and unless the district receives an additional loan;

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(c) In any school district granted a debt service or capital loan between July 1, 1969 and July 1, 1975, a levy in a total dollar amount computed as 6.3 mills on market value in each year until and unless the district has received an additional loan; or

(d) In any school district which has an outstanding capital loan, a levy in a total dollar amount equal to the sum of the amount of the required debt service levy and an amount which when levied annually will in the opinion of the commissioner be sufficient to retire the remaining interest and principal on any outstanding loans from the state within 30 years of the original date when the capital loan was granted; provided, that the school board in any district affected by the provisions of clause (2)(d) may elect instead to determine the amount of its levy according to the provisions of clause (1); provided further that if a district's capital loan is not paid within 30 years because it elects to determine the amount of its levy according to the provisions of clause (2)(d), the liability of the district for the amount of the difference between the amount it levied under clause (2)(d) and the amount it would have levied under clause (1), and for interest on the amount of that difference, shall not be satisfied and discharged pursuant to section 124.43, subdivision 4.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 124.43, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

124.43 CAPITAL LOANS. Subdivision 1. To the extent moneys are from time to time available hereunder, the committee is authorized, after review and recommendation by the state board of education, to effect capital loans to school districts. Proceeds of such loans shall be used only for sites for school buildings and for acquiring, bettering, furnishing, or equipping school buildings under contracts to be entered into within 12 months from and after the date on which each loan is granted. Applications with the accompanying data specified in subdivision 2 shall be filed between October 1 of any year and June 1 next following. No application shall be approved unless the state board of education certifies that the loan is needed to replace facilities dangerous to the health and safety of pupils, or to provide for pupils for whom no adequate facilities exist; that such facilities could not be made available by consolidating the district with an adjacent district without substantially lowering the fiscal capacity of that district or so increasing its area that it would no longer be viable; and that existing institutions or facilities within the area could not be acquired or leased to provide the needed facilities safely and at a lower cost. The state board shall make recommendations to the committee. No loan shall be approved for any district exceeding an amount computed as follows:

(1) The amount voted by the district under subdivision 2;

(2) Plus the aggregate principal amount of general obligation bonds of the district outstanding on the date of approval, not exceeding the limitation on net debt of the district in section 475.53, subdivision 4, or ~~30~~ 22.5 percent of the adjusted assessed value, whichever is less;

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(3) Less the maximum net debt permissible for the district on the date of approval, under the limitation in section 475.53, subdivision 4, or ~~30~~ 22.5 percent of the adjusted assessed value, whichever is less; and

(4) Less any amount by which the amount voted exceeds the total cost of the facilities for which the loan is granted, as estimated in accordance with subdivision 4, provided that the loan may be approved in an amount computed as provided in clauses (1) to (3), subject to subsequent reduction in accordance with this clause.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 124.43, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. The school board of any district desiring a loan shall adopt a resolution stating the amount proposed to be borrowed, the purpose for which the debt is to be incurred, and an estimate of the dates when the facilities for which the loan is requested will be contracted for and completed. The question of authorizing the borrowing of funds for the facilities shall ~~then~~ be submitted to the voters of the district at a regular or special election. The question submitted shall state the ~~entire total~~ amount to be borrowed ~~and that application will be made for a loan from the maximum effort school loan fund of such amount as may be available and allowable to the district and the remainder will be borrowed on bonds sold at a public sale within the limitations prescribed by law from all sources.~~ A majority of those voting on the question shall be sufficient to authorize the district to effect the state loan and also to issue the bonds on public sale in accordance with chapter 475. Applications for loans shall be accompanied by (a) a copy of such resolution, (b) a certificate by the clerk showing the vote at the election, (c) a certificate by the clerk and treasurer showing the then outstanding indebtedness of the district, and (d) a certificate by the county auditor of each county in which a portion of the district lies showing the information in his official records which is required to be used in computing the debt limit of the district under section 475.53, subdivision 4. The clerk's and treasurer's certificate shall show, as to each outstanding bond issue, the amount originally issued, the purpose for which issued, the date of issue, the amount remaining unpaid as of the date of the resolution, and the interest rates and due dates and amounts of principal thereon. Applications shall be in such form and accompanied by such additional data as the committee and state board of education shall prescribe, which may include a statement from the state department of education as to the district's need of the proposed schoolhouses in comparison with needs of other districts. When an application is received, the committee shall obtain from the commissioner of revenue, and from the public service commission when required, the information in their official records which is required to be used in computing the debt limit of the district under section 475.53, subdivision 4.

Sec. 4. [124.476] BOND ISSUE, MAXIMUM EFFORT SCHOOL LOANS; 1980. For the purpose of providing moneys to be loaned to school districts as agencies and political subdivisions of the state for the acquisition and betterment of public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, in the manner provided by the maximum effort school aid law, the commissioner of

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finance is directed to issue and sell school loan bonds of the state of Minnesota in the maximum amount of \$20,000,000, in addition to the bonds heretofore authorized for this purpose, which amount is appropriated to the maximum effort school loan fund and shall be expended under the direction of the equalization aid review committee for the making of debt service loans and capital loans to school districts as provided in sections 124.36 to 124.47. These bonds shall be issued and sold and provision for their payment shall be made in accordance with section 124.46, and an amount sufficient to pay interest on the bonds to and including July 1 in the second year after the date of issue shall be credited from the bond proceeds to the school loan bond account in the state bond fund. Any expenses incidental to the sale, printing, execution, and delivery of the bonds, including, but without limitation, actual and necessary travel and subsistence expenses of state officers and employees for those purposes, shall be paid from the maximum effort school loan fund, and the amounts necessary for the expenses are appropriated from it.

Sec. 5. Sections 1 to 4 are effective on the day following final enactment.

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#### CHAPTER 546—H.F.No. 2035

*An act relating to historic sites and monuments; adding property to Split Rock Lighthouse historic site; reestablishing Traverse des Sioux historic site as a state monument; authorizing a memorial to Minnesota's war dead in Arlington National Cemetery; memorializing Congress to pass H.R. 1918, a service pension for veterans of World War I and their surviving spouses; appropriating funds; amending Minnesota Statutes 1978, Sections 138.025, Subdivision 10; and 138.585, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 138.55, Subdivision 5.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 138.025, Subdivision 10, is amended to read:

Subd. 10. **SPLIT ROCK LIGHTHOUSE STATE PARK.** In accordance with the terms and provisions of this section, the Minnesota historical society shall administer and control the historic site within the Split Rock Lighthouse state park in Lake County and described as follows:

That part of Government lot 3, Section 33, and Government lot 1, Section 32, Township 55 North, Range 8 West, fourth principal meridian, Lake county, comprising the historic Split Rock Lighthouse tract as originally conveyed to the state of Minnesota by the federal government and containing 7.6 acres more or less; and the North 711 feet of the East 300 feet of Government Lot 1, Section 32, Township 55 North, Range 8 West, and the South 711 feet of the North 2,031 feet of Government Lot 3, Section 33, Township 55 North, Range 8 West, containing approximately 17.4 acres, more or less.

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