

a joint powers agreement in accordance with ~~the 1974 edition~~ of Minnesota Statutes, Section 471.59, may levy an ad valorem tax not to exceed two mills on each dollar of assessed valuation of all taxable property within the district for a period not to exceed ten consecutive years. This levy shall be in excess of any levy authorized by ~~the 1974 edition~~ of Minnesota Statutes, Section 112.61. The proceeds of one-half of this levy shall be credited to the district's administrative fund and shall be used for the construction and maintenance of projects of common benefit to the district. The proceeds of the remaining one-half of this levy shall be credited to the construction fund of the lower Red River watershed management board and shall be used for the construction and maintenance of projects of common benefit to more than one member district.

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**CHAPTER 475 — S.F.No. 1644**

*An act relating to securities; removing the exemption from filing fees for an agent who is a primary officer, partner, or director of a licensed broker-dealer; amending Minnesota Statutes 1981 Supplement, Section 80A.28, Subdivision 2.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1981 Supplement, Section 80A.28, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Every applicant for an initial or renewal license shall pay a filing fee of \$200 in the case of a broker-dealer, \$50 in the case of an agent, and \$100 in the case of an investment adviser. ~~The licensing of an agent who is a primary officer, partner, or director of a licensed broker-dealer shall not be subject to the filing fees of this subdivision.~~ When an application is denied or withdrawn, the filing fee shall be retained. A licensed agent who has terminated employment with one broker-dealer shall, before beginning employment with another broker-dealer, pay a transfer fee of \$20.

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**CHAPTER 476 — S.F.No. 1605**

*An act relating to public welfare; requiring audits of nursing home cost reports; amending Minnesota Statutes 1980, Sections 256B.27, Subdivision 2a; and 256B.35, Subdivision 4.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 256B.27, Subdivision 2a, is amended to read:

Subd. 2a. The commissioner shall audit cost reports of each nursing home qualifying as a vendor of medical assistance at least once every three years. Each year the commissioner shall provide for the onsite audit of the cost reports of nursing homes participating as vendors of medical assistance. The commissioner shall select for audit at least five percent of these nursing homes at random and at least 20 percent from the remaining nursing homes, using factors including, but not limited to: change in ownership; frequent changes in administration in excess of normal turnover rates; complaints to the commissioner of health about care, safety, or rights; where previous inspections or reinspections under section 144A.10 have resulted in correction orders related to care, safety, or rights; or where persons involved in ownership or administration of the facility have been indicted for alleged criminal activity.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 256B.35, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. The commissioner of public welfare shall conduct field audits at the same time as cost report audits required under section 256B.27, subdivision 2a, and at any other time but at least once every ~~three~~ four years, without notice, to determine whether this section was complied with and that the funds provided residents for their personal needs were actually expended for that purpose.

**Sec. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act is effective the day following its final enactment.

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**CHAPTER 477 — S.F.No. 2048**

*An act relating to state parks; restating the boundaries of Tower Soudan state park; authorizing conveyance of certain park lands.*

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

Section 1. [85.012] [Subd. 57.] **TOWER SOUDAN STATE PARK BOUNDARIES.**

Notwithstanding any other law, Tower Soudan state park, previously established, shall consist of the following described lands, and the commissioner of natural resources is authorized to acquire by gift or purchase, lands within these described lands not acquired by the state on the effective date of this act:

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