

S.F. No. 1286, 1st Engrossment – 2021 Lands Bill

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Section 1 [Reimbursement of DNR Costs – Utility Licenses] requires an applicant for a license to permitting the passage of utilities over state lands or waters to reimburse the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for certain costs associated with reviewing the application and issuing the license.

Section 2 [Reimbursement of DNR Costs – Easements to Governments] requires a state or federal applicant for an easement on state-owned land to reimburse the DNR for certain costs associated with reviewing the application and issuing the easement.

Section 3 [Reimbursement of DNR Costs – Road Easements to Private Parties] requires private persons who apply for road easements over state-owned land to reimburse the DNR for certain costs associated with reviewing the application and issuing the easement.

Section 4 [Riverlands State Forest] statutorily establishes Riverlands State Forest.

Section 5 [Reimbursement of DNR Costs – Leases of Forest Lands] requires applicants for leases of and permits on state forest lands to reimburse the DNR for certain costs associated with reviewing the application and issuing the lease.

Section 6 [Reimbursement of DNR Costs – Leases of Certain Lands] requires applicants for leases of state-owned land to remove sand, gravel, clay, rock, marl, peat, and black dirt; to store ore, waste materials from mines, or rock and tailings from ore milling plants; for roads or railroads; to compensate the permanent school fund according to section 92.122; or for other uses consistent with the interests of the state to reimburse the DNR for certain costs associated with reviewing the application and issuing the lease.

Section 7 [Consideration of Gifts of Land] allows the land exchange board to consider gifts of land when evaluating whether a proposed land exchange is in the best interests of the school trust.

Section 8 [Addition to State Park] adds land to the statutory boundaries of the Lake Vermillion-Soudan Underground Mine State Park in St. Louis County.

Section 9 [Deletion from State Park] removes land from the statutory boundaries of Minneopa State Park in Blue Earth County.

Section 10 [Riverlands State Forest Boundaries] establishes the statutory boundaries of Riverlands State Forest.

Section 11 [Private Sale of Tax-Forfeited Land; Aitkin County] authorizes private sale of tax-forfeited land in Aitkin County.

Section 12 [Goodhue County Land Transfers] authorizes sale of county-owned land that abuts Lake Byllesby to adjoining property owners.

Section 13 [Private Sale of Tax-Forfeited Land; Itasca County] authorizes private sale of tax-forfeited land in Itasca County.

Section 14 [Private Sale of Surplus Land Bordering Water; Roseau County] authorizes private sale of surplus land bordering public waters in Roseau County.

Section 15 [Private Sale of Tax-Forfeited Lands; St. Louis County] authorizes private sale of tax-forfeited lands in St. Louis County.

Section 16 [St. Louis County Land Lease] authorizes a lease for a water intake and treatment facility for a longer term than is otherwise allowed.

Section 17 [Private Sale of Tax-Forfeited Land; Beltrami County] authorizes private sale of tax-forfeited land in Beltrami County.

Section 18 [Private Sale of Surplus Land Bordering Public Water; Sherburne County] authorizes the sale of surplus land bordering public water in Sherburne County.