

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 2950 as follows:

1.2 Page 35, line 22, delete "256B.0636;"

1.3 Page 42, delete section 9

1.4 Page 43, lines 5 to 12, reinstate the stricken language

1.5 Page 43, after line 15, insert:

1.6 "Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 246.0135, is amended to read:

1.7 **246.0135 OPERATION OF REGIONAL TREATMENT CENTERS.**

1.8 (a) The commissioner of human services is prohibited from closing any regional
1.9 treatment center or state-operated nursing home or any program at any of the regional
1.10 treatment centers or state-operated nursing homes, without specific legislative
1.11 authorization. For persons with developmental disabilities who move from one regional
1.12 treatment center to another regional treatment center, the provisions of section 256B.092,
1.13 subdivision 10, must be followed for both the discharge from one regional treatment
1.14 center and admission to another regional treatment center, except that the move is not
1.15 subject to the consensus requirement of section 256B.092, subdivision 10, paragraph (b).

1.16 (b) Prior to closing or downsizing a regional treatment center, the commissioner
1.17 of human services shall be responsible for assuring that community-based alternatives
1.18 developed in response are adequate to meet the program needs identified by each county
1.19 within the catchment area and do not require additional local county property tax
1.20 expenditures.

1.21 (c) The nonfederal share of the cost of alternative treatment or care developed
1.22 as the result of the closure of a regional treatment center, including costs associated
1.23 with fulfillment of responsibilities under chapter 253B shall be paid from state funds
1.24 appropriated for purposes specified in section 246.013.

1.25 ~~(d) Counties in the catchment area of a regional treatment center which has been~~
1.26 ~~closed or downsized may not at any time be required to pay a greater cost of care for~~

2.1 ~~alternative care and treatment than the county share set by the commissioner for the cost~~
 2.2 ~~of care provided by regional treatment centers.~~

2.3 (e) The commissioner may not divert state funds used for providing for care or
 2.4 treatment of persons residing in a regional treatment center for purposes unrelated to the
 2.5 care and treatment of such persons.

2.6 Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 246.325, is amended to read:

2.7 **246.325 GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE.**

2.8 The cemetery located on the grounds of the Cambridge State Hospital shall be
 2.9 known as the Garden of Remembrance. ~~The commissioner of human services shall~~
 2.10 ~~approve the wording and design for a sign at the cemetery indicating its name. The~~
 2.11 ~~commissioner may approve a temporary sign before the permanent sign is completed and~~
 2.12 ~~installed. All costs related to the sign must be paid with nonstate funds."~~

2.13 Page 50, line 21, after the second semicolon, insert "245.652;"

2.14 Page 50, line 22, after the first semicolon, insert "245.821;" and after the third
 2.15 semicolon, insert "246.012;" and delete "246.0135"

2.16 Page 50, delete line 23

2.17 Page 50, line 24, delete everything before "253B.22;" and insert "251.045; 252.05;
 2.18 252.07; 252.09;"

2.19 Page 50, line 27, delete "246.0141;"

2.20 Page 53, after line 29 insert:

2.21 "Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2013 Supplement, section 517.04, is amended to read:

2.22 **517.04 PERSONS AUTHORIZED TO PERFORM CIVIL MARRIAGES.**

2.23 Civil marriages may be solemnized throughout the state by an individual who has
 2.24 attained the age of 21 years and is a judge of a court of record, a retired judge of a court
 2.25 of record, a court administrator, a retired court administrator with the approval of the
 2.26 chief judge of the judicial district, a former court commissioner who is employed by the
 2.27 court system or is acting pursuant to an order of the chief judge of the commissioner's
 2.28 judicial district, ~~the residential school administrators of the Minnesota State Academy~~
 2.29 ~~for the Deaf and the Minnesota State Academy for the Blind,~~ a licensed or ordained
 2.30 minister of any religious denomination, or by any mode recognized in section 517.18. For
 2.31 purposes of this section, a court of record includes the Office of Administrative Hearings
 2.32 under section 14.48.

2.33 Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 595.06, is amended to read:

3.1 **595.06 CAPACITY OF WITNESS.**

3.2 When ~~an infant, or~~ a person ~~apparently of weak intellect,~~ is produced as a witness,
3.3 the court may examine the ~~infant or witness~~ person to ascertain capacity, and whether the
3.4 person understands the nature and obligations of an oath, and the court may inquire of any
3.5 person what peculiar ceremonies the person deems most obligatory in taking an oath."

3.6 Page 54, line 4, after "sections" insert "256B.31;" and after "5b;" insert "256C.05;"

3.7 Page 54, line 10, delete "9549.0058; 9549.0059;"

3.8 Renumber the sections in sequence

3.9 Amend the title accordingly