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# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SIXTH  
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HOUSE FILE No. **2879**

February 11, 2010

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor

February 25, 2010

Committee Recommendation and Adoption of Report:

To Pass as Amended and re-referred to the Committee on Civil Justice

March 8, 2010

Committee Recommendation and Adoption of Report:

To Pass as Amended

Read Second Time

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to insurance; allowing certain minors to contract for automobile  
1.3 insurance; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 65B.

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

1.5 Section 1. **[65B.136] MINORS.**

1.6 A minor authorized under section 168.101 to own a private passenger vehicle,  
1.7 as defined in section 65B.001, subdivision 3, may contract to buy a plan of reparation  
1.8 security, as defined in section 65B.43, subdivision 15, on that vehicle, as a contract that is  
1.9 fully binding on the minor on the same basis as if the minor were an adult. This section  
1.10 does not require an insurer to issue coverage to a minor or limit an insurer's underwriting  
1.11 discretion in regard to any aspect of the coverage.

1.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.