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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to redistricting; adopting a legislative districting plan for use in 2012
1.3 and thereafter; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, sections 2.031, subdivision
1.4 1; 2.91, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2010, sections 2.031,
1.5 subdivision 2; 2.444; 2.484.

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

1.7 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 2.031, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

1.8 Subdivision 1. **Legislative districts.** (a) The representatives in the senate and house
1.9 of representatives are apportioned throughout the state in 67 senate districts and 134 house
1.10 of representatives districts. Each senate district is entitled to elect one senator and each
1.11 house of representatives district is entitled to elect one representative.

1.12 (b) Legislative redistricting plan L...., on file with the Geographic Information
1.13 Systems Office of the Legislative Coordinating Commission and published on its Web site
1.14 on, 2011, describes the legislative districts within this state. Each senate district is
1.15 composed of the two house districts, A and B, of the same number.

1.16 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 2.91, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

1.17 Subdivision 1. **Distribution.** Upon enactment of a redistricting plan for the
1.18 legislature or for Congress, the Legislative Coordinating Commission shall deposit the
1.19 plan with the secretary of state. The secretary of state shall provide copies of the relevant
1.20 portions of the redistricting plan to each county auditor, who shall provide a copy of the
1.21 relevant portions of the plan to each municipal clerk within the county. The secretary of
1.22 state, with the cooperation of the commissioner of administration, shall make copies of the
1.23 plan file, maps, and tables available to the public for the cost of publication. ~~The revisor of~~
1.24 ~~statutes shall code a metes and bounds description of the districts in Minnesota Statutes.~~

2.1 Sec. 3. **REPEALER.**

2.2 Minnesota Statutes 2010, sections 2.031, subdivision 2; 2.444; and 2.484, are
2.3 repealed.

2.4 Sec. 4. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2.5 This act is effective for the state primary election in 2012 and thereafter.

2.031 APPORTIONMENT.

Subd. 2. **Definition.** The terms "county," "town," "township," "city," "ward," "precinct," "census tract," "block," and "unorganized territory" when used in a description of a legislative district in section 2.444 or 2.484, mean a geographical area established as such by law and as it existed for purposes of the 2000 federal census.

2.444 FORTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

Subdivision 1. **Senate district.** Senate District 41 consists of that district as described in the order of the Minnesota Special Redistricting Panel in *Zachman v. Kiffmeyer*, No. CO-01-160 (March 19, 2002).

Subd. 2. **House of representatives district.** Notwithstanding the order of the Minnesota Special Redistricting Panel in *Zachman v. Kiffmeyer*, No. CO-01-160 (March 19, 2002), Senate District 41, as described in that order, is divided into two house of representatives districts as follows:

(a) House of Representatives District 41A consists of that portion of the city of Edina lying north of a line described as follows: commencing at the intersection of the western boundary of the city of Edina with Valley View Road, easterly along Valley View Road to the service road east of U.S. 169, southerly along the service road to Braemar Boulevard, easterly and northerly along Braemar Boulevard to Valley View Road, northeasterly along Valley View Road to Antrim Road, southerly along Antrim Road to West 70th Street, easterly along West 70th Street to France Avenue, southerly along France Avenue to Parklawn Avenue, easterly along Parklawn Avenue to York Avenue, northerly along York Avenue to the southern boundary of Independent School District No. 273, Edina, and easterly along the southern boundary of Independent School District No. 273 to the eastern boundary of the city of Edina.

(b) House of Representatives District 41B consists of that portion of Senate District 41 not included in House of Representatives District 41A.

2.484 FORTY-FIFTH DISTRICT.

Subdivision 1. **Senate district.** Senate District 45 consists of that district as described in the order of the Minnesota Special Redistricting Panel in *Zachman v. Kiffmeyer*, No. CO-01-160 (March 19, 2002).

Subd. 2. **House of representatives districts.** Notwithstanding the order of the Minnesota Special Redistricting Panel in *Zachman v. Kiffmeyer*, No. CO-01-160 (March 19, 2002), Senate District 45, as described in that order, is divided into two house of representatives districts as follows:

(a) House of Representatives District 45A consists of House of Representatives District 45A as described in that order, except for the portion of that House of Representatives District 45A described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center lines of 35th Avenue North and Nevada Avenue North, then south along the center line of Nevada Avenue North to the center line of 34th Avenue North, then west along the center line of 34th Avenue North to the center line of Winpark Drive, then north along the center line of Winpark Drive to the center line of 35th Avenue North, then west along the center line of 35th Avenue North to the center line of Winnetka Avenue North, then north along the center line of Winnetka Avenue North to the north municipal boundary line of Crystal, then west along that municipal boundary line to the west municipal boundary line of Crystal, then south along that municipal boundary line to the center line of 33rd Avenue North, then east along the center line of 33rd Avenue North to the center line of Wisconsin Avenue North, then north along the center line of Wisconsin Avenue North to the center line of 35th Avenue North, then east along the center line of 35th Avenue North to the center line of Utah Avenue North, then south along the center line of Utah Avenue North to the center line of 33rd Place North, then east along the center line of 33rd Place North to the center line of Winnetka Avenue North, then south along the center line of Winnetka Avenue North to the center line of 32nd Avenue North, then east along the center line of 32nd Avenue North to the center line of Nevada Avenue, then north along the center line of Nevada Avenue to the center line of Valley Place, then east along the center line of Valley Place to the center line of Louisiana Avenue North, then north along the center line of Louisiana Avenue North to the center line of 35th Avenue North, then west along the center line of 35th Avenue North to the center line of Nevada Avenue North, which was the place of beginning.

APPENDIX

Repealed Minnesota Statutes: 11-2714

(b) House of Representatives District 45B consists of that portion of Senate District 45 not included in House of Representatives District 45A.