A bill for an act

relating to state government; prohibiting state funding for public and private entities

enforcing COVID-19 vaccine mandates or passports.

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

Section 1. STATE FUNDING TO CERTAIN ENTITIES PROHIBITED.

Subdivision 1. Definitions. (a) For purposes of this act, the following terms have the meanings given.

(b) "Political subdivision" means a county, statutory or home rule charter city, town, soil and water conservation district, watershed district, the Metropolitan Council, or other local or regional unit of government in this state.

c) "Private organization" means a private entity organized for profit or as a nonprofit.

d) "Vaccine mandate" means a policy generally requiring employees to demonstrate proof of COVID-19 vaccination or submit to periodic COVID-19 testing.

e) "Vaccine passport" means electronic or physical proof that a customer, patron, employee, or other individual has received one or more doses of a COVID-19 vaccine, has tested negative for COVID-19, or is in post-transmission recovery from COVID-19.

Subd. 2. All funding prohibited. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, no money may be paid out of the state treasury to a political subdivision, college, university, or private organization enforcing a vaccine mandate or vaccine passport requirement.
2.1 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment and
2.2 applies to any aid, grant, loan, procurement contract, tax credit or incentive, or other financial
2.3 support or award issued on or after that date.