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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 956

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Regional Governance Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to public safety; prohibiting police officers from issuing speeding tickets
1.3 for speeds under 55 miles per hour on marked Interstate Highway 35E in St. Paul;
1.4 amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 169.14, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 169.14, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 5g. Interstate Highway 35E. (a) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a police
1.9 officer must not issue any citation or warning to a driver for a violation of the speed limit
1.10 of 45 miles per hour on marked Interstate Highway 35E in the city of St. Paul, from its
1.11 intersection with West Seventh Street to its intersection with marked Interstate Highway
1.12 94, unless the violation consisted of a speed greater than ten miles per hour in excess of the
1.13 speed limit.

1.14 (b) This subdivision does not apply to (1) a violation that occurs in a commercial motor
1.15 vehicle, or (2) a violation committed by a holder of a class A, B, or C commercial driver's
1.16 license, regardless of whether the violation was committed in a commercial motor vehicle.