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A bill for an act

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relating to public safety; prohibiting the sale and possession of firearms designed

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to look like a mobile communications device; proposing coding for new law in

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Minnesota Statutes, chapter 624.

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

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Section 1. **[624.7159] REPLICIA CELLULAR PHONE FIREARMS.**

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(a) A person who sells or possesses a firearm that is designed to resemble and

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reasonably appears to be a cellular phone is guilty of a misdemeanor.

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(b) For purposes of this section, "firearm" means any weapon that is designed to or

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may readily be converted to expel any projectile by the action of an explosive.