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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education Finance and Policy

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A bill for an act

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relating to higher education; requiring various activities at Minnesota State

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Colleges and Universities to assist students undecided on a major course of

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study; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 136F.

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

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Section 1. **[136F.34] UNDECIDED STUDENTS.**

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The board shall adopt policies to address the educational needs of students

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undecided on a major course of study. For undecided students, the board must develop

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curricula that provide for the greatest number of possible academic paths with the smallest

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number of courses that do not count towards any given educational program. The board

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must provide individual counseling to undecided students that provides information on

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job placement rates of an institution's graduates in jobs related to the graduate's major

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field of study and information on compensation earned by graduates in those jobs for the

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five years following graduation.