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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Transportation Finance and Policy Division

- 1.1 A bill for an act
- 1.2 relating to transportation; allowing Minneapolis to restrict engine braking along
- 1.3 a segment of Interstate Highway 94.
- 1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.5 Section 1. **ENGINE BRAKES; REGULATION BY MINNEAPOLIS.**
- 1.6 Notwithstanding any other law or charter provision, the governing body of the city of
- 1.7 Minneapolis may by ordinance restrict or prohibit the use of an engine brake on motor
- 1.8 vehicles along Legislative Route No. 392, also known as marked Interstate Highway 94, in
- 1.9 the westbound lanes beginning at LaSalle Avenue and extending west to the Lowry Tunnel.
- 1.10 Upon notification by the city of Minneapolis to the commissioner of transportation of the
- 1.11 city's adoption of the ordinance, the commissioner of transportation shall erect the appropriate
- 1.12 signs, with the cost of the signs to be paid by the city. For purposes of this section, "engine
- 1.13 brake" means any device that uses the engine and transmission to impede the forward motion
- 1.14 of the motor vehicle by compression of the engine.
- 1.15 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.