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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 378

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law

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A bill for an act
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relating to government data practices; requiring release of certain private or
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confidential corrections and detention data; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022,
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section 13.85, subdivision 5.
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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 13.85, subdivision 5, is amended to read:
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Subd. 5. **Corrections and detention public benefit data.** The responsible authority or
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its designee of any agency that maintains corrections and detention data ~~may~~ shall release
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private or confidential corrections and detention data to any law enforcement agency, if
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necessary for law enforcement purposes, or to the victim of a criminal act where the data
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are necessary for the victim to assert the victim's legal right to restitution.
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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.