

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to noxious weeds; allowing municipalities to adopt ordinances for the
1.3 control of buckthorn; amending Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 18.78, by
1.4 adding a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 18.78, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 4. **Control of buckthorn.** Notwithstanding any other provision in this chapter
1.9 for the control or eradication of noxious weeds, a municipality may adopt an ordinance to
1.10 control buckthorn on all public and private property within its geographic boundaries.