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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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**H. F. No. 3121**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy Division

- 1.1 A bill for an act
- 1.2 relating to public safety; providing supervision guidelines for electronic monitoring
- 1.3 of violent offenders; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter
- 1.4 244.
- 1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.6 Section 1. **[244.35] ELECTRONIC MONITORING SUPERVISION.**
- 1.7 (a) A state or local agency that provides the electronic monitoring of a violent offender
- 1.8 ordered by the commissioner or the court must include with the electronic monitoring, at a
- 1.9 minimum:
- 1.10 (1) constant supervision of the offender using surveillance equipment and a monitoring
- 1.11 device that can transmit information 24 hours a day; and
- 1.12 (2) adequate staff available 24 hours a day to respond if the offender violates a condition
- 1.13 of the electronic monitoring.
- 1.14 (b) If the electronic monitoring of the violent offender is provided by a private contractor,
- 1.15 the contractor shall comply with the requirements under paragraph (a) and notify the state
- 1.16 or local agency with supervisory authority over the offender within one hour of the offender
- 1.17 violating a condition of the electronic monitoring. The state or local agency may require a
- 1.18 shorter time period for the contractor to provide notice of a violation.
- 1.19 (c) For the purposes of this section, "violent offender" means a person convicted of a
- 1.20 crime of violence as defined under section 624.712, subdivision 5.
- 1.21 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2020, and applies to the
- 1.22 electronic monitoring of violent offenders on or after that date.