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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-FOURTH SESSION

H. F. No. **325**

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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to commerce; prohibiting the sale of flavored nitrous oxide; proposing
1.3 coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

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

1.5 Section 1. **325F.079** SALE OF FLAVORED NITROUS OXIDE.

1.6 Subdivision 1. Definitions. (a) For purposes of this section, the following terms have
1.7 the meanings given.

1.8 (b) "Flavored nitrous oxide" means a canister containing nitrous oxide that (1) imparts
1.9 a taste or smell, and (2) is sold by a retailer.

1.10 (c) "Retailer" means a person, whether located within Minnesota or otherwise, engaged
1.11 in the business of selling or offering for sale flavored nitrous oxide to a consumer in
1.12 Minnesota.

1.13 Subd. 2. Prohibition. A retailer is prohibited from selling or offering for sale flavored
1.14 nitrous oxide to a consumer in Minnesota.

1.15 Subd. 3. Violation. A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor.