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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Health and Human Services

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1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to health; exempting certain contract terms for the Special Supplemental
1.3 Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children; amending Minnesota Statutes
1.4 2024, section 145.882, by adding subdivisions.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 145.882, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 9. **Contracting and procurement.** The commissioner is exempt from the contract
1.9 term limits in chapter 16C for issuance of benefits under the Special Supplemental Nutrition
1.10 Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) through an electronic benefit transfer
1.11 (EBT) system and related services and contracts. These contracts may have an initial term
1.12 of up to five years, with extensions not to exceed a ten-year total contract duration.

1.13 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 145.882, is amended by adding a subdivision to
1.14 read:

1.15 Subd. 10. **Management information systems; contracting and**
1.16 **procurement.** Notwithstanding chapter 16C, WIC is exempt from the contract term limits
1.17 for the management information systems used for issuance of supplemental nutrition benefits
1.18 and the WIC EBT systems used for processing the redemptions of supplemental nutrition
1.19 benefits. These contracts may have an initial term of up to five years, with extensions not
1.20 to exceed a ten-year total contract duration.