

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to state government; modifying fiscal note requirements; amending
1.3 Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 3.98, subdivision 2.

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

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 3.98, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

1.6 Subd. 2. **Contents.** (a) The fiscal note, where possible, shall:

1.7 (1) cite the effect in dollar amounts;

1.8 (2) cite the direct net increase or decrease in the total number of public and private
1.9 sector jobs in the state;

1.10 (3) estimate the average annual wages of public and private sector jobs impacted;

1.11 ~~(2)~~ (4) cite the statutory provisions affected;

1.12 ~~(3)~~ (5) estimate the increase or decrease in revenues or expenditures;

1.13 (6) estimate the effect on federal funds and any federal requirements including, but
1.14 not limited to, maintenance of effort requirements;

1.15 ~~(4)~~ (7) include the costs which may be absorbed without additional funds;

1.16 ~~(5)~~ (8) include the assumptions used in determining the cost estimates; and

1.17 ~~(6)~~ (9) specify any long-range implication.

1.18 (b) The fiscal note may comment on technical or mechanical defects in the bill but
1.19 shall express no opinions concerning the merits of the proposal.

1.20 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for fiscal notes requested after
1.21 January 1, 2011.