

**SENATE**  
**STATE OF MINNESOTA**  
**NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

**S.F. No. 1772**

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DATE	D-PG	OFFICIAL STATUS
02/16/2023	862	Introduction and first reading Referred to Transportation
02/20/2023	929	Withdrawn and re-referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection
03/13/2023		Comm report: To pass as amended and re-refer to State and Local Government and Veterans

- 1.1 A bill for an act
- 1.2 relating to insurance; modifying provisions governing automobile self-insurance;
- 1.3 amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 65B.48, subdivision 3.
- 1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 65B.48, subdivision 3, is amended to read:
- 1.6 Subd. 3. **Self-insurance.** (a) Self-insurance, subject to approval of the commissioner,
- 1.7 is effected by filing with the commissioner in satisfactory form:
- 1.8 (1) a continuing undertaking by the owner or other appropriate person to pay tort liabilities
- 1.9 or basic economic loss benefits, or both, and to perform all other obligations imposed by
- 1.10 sections 65B.41 to 65B.71;
- 1.11 (2) evidence that appropriate provision exists for prompt administration of all claims,
- 1.12 benefits, and obligations provided by sections 65B.41 to 65B.71;
- 1.13 (3) evidence that reliable financial arrangements, deposits, or commitments exist
- 1.14 providing assurance, substantially equivalent to that afforded by a policy of insurance
- 1.15 complying with sections 65B.41 to 65B.71, for payment of tort liabilities, basic economic
- 1.16 loss benefits, and all other obligations imposed by sections 65B.41 to 65B.71; and
- 1.17 (4) a nonrefundable initial application fee of \$2,500 and a renewal fee of \$1,200 for
- 1.18 political subdivisions and \$1,500 for nonpolitical entities every three years.
- 1.19 (b) The commissioner is prohibited from canceling or denying self-insurance authority
- 1.20 to a cooperative organized under chapter 308A or 308B that submits a negative net funds
- 1.21 flow statement, provided the cooperative has working capital in an amount that is a multiple
- 1.22 of three times the amount of the self-insured authority the applicant retains.