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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETIETH SESSION

H. F. No. **1541**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to the legislature; requiring compliance with certain accessibility standards;  
1.3 proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 3.

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

1.5 Section 1. **[3.182] ACCESSIBILITY STANDARDS.**

1.6 Each house must comply with the accessibility standards developed by the chief  
1.7 information officer of the Office of MN.IT Services under section 16E.03, subdivision 9.

1.8 The committee in each house with jurisdiction over its rules:

1.9 (1) may modify these standards to prevent an undue burden, as defined in section 16E.015,  
1.10 subdivision 4; and

1.11 (2) must develop a process for granting exemptions to these standards.