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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-THIRD SESSION

H. F. No. 2672

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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to elections; establishing a complaint process for certain election law
1.3 violations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 200.04, subdivision 1.

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

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 200.04, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

1.6 Subdivision 1. Procedure. (a) The secretary of state shall must establish a procedure
1.7 for the review of complaints regarding the administration of Title III of the Help America
1.8 Vote Act of 2002, Public Law 107-252, including complaints about voting system standards,
1.9 computerized statewide registration lists and equipment, voter registration requirements,
1.10 and other features of state implementation of that act. The secretary of state shall must
1.11 provide a complaint form that requires the signature of the complainant, an affidavit and
1.12 notarization, and the attachment of any supporting documentation. The form must indicate
1.13 that any election judge, while serving, is deemed a notary public for purposes of Public Law
1.14 107-252, section 402.

1.15 (b) The secretary of state must establish a procedure for the review of complaints that
1.16 are not governed by paragraph (a). The secretary must provide a complaint form that requires
1.17 the signature of the complainant and the attachment of any supporting documentation.