

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to traffic regulation; modifying speed limit when passing; amending  
1.3 Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 169.14, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 169.14, is amended by adding a  
1.6 subdivision to read:

1.7 Subd. 2a. **Increased speed limit when passing.** Notwithstanding subdivision 2, the  
1.8 speed limit is increased by ten miles per hour over the posted speed limit when the driver:

1.9 (1) is on a two-lane highway having one lane for each direction of travel;

1.10 (2) is on a highway with a posted speed limit that is equal to or higher than 55  
1.11 miles per hour;

1.12 (3) is overtaking and passing another vehicle proceeding in the same direction  
1.13 of travel; and

1.14 (4) meets the requirements in section 169.18.