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03/07/2011	424	Introduction and first reading Referred to Health and Human Services

1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to human services; expanding use of public assistance reporting

1.3information system; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 256.01,

1.4subdivision 18a.

1.5BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 256.01, subdivision 18a, is amended to

1.7read:

1.8Subd. 18a. **Public Assistance Reporting Information System.** (a) Effective

1.9October 1, 2009, the commissioner shall comply with the federal requirements in Public

1.10Law 110-379 in implementing the Public Assistance Reporting Information System

1.11(PARIS) to determine eligibility for all individuals applying for:

- 1.12(1) health care benefits under chapters 256B, 256D, and 256L; and
- 1.13(2) public benefits under chapters 119B, 256D, and 256I, and the supplemental
- 1.14nutrition assistance program.

1.15(b) The commissioner shall determine eligibility under paragraph (a) by performing

1.16data matches, including matching with medical assistance, cash, child care, and

1.17supplemental assistance programs operated by other states and matching with the federal

1.18Department of Veterans Affairs compensation and benefit information.

1.19**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2011.