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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy

- 1.1 A bill for an act
- 1.2 relating to public safety; clarifying the definition of mail theft; amending Minnesota
- 1.3 Statutes 2018, section 609.529, subdivision 1.
- 1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 609.529, subdivision 1, is amended to read:
- 1.6 Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) As used in this section, the following terms have the
- 1.7 meanings given them in this subdivision.
- 1.8 (b) "Mail" means a letter, postal card, package, bag, or other sealed article addressed to
- 1.9 another.
- 1.10 (c) "Mail depository" means a mail box, letter box, ~~or~~ mail receptacle, or other location
- 1.11 where mail is regularly left for delivery including but not limited to a porch, front step, or
- 1.12 building entryway; a post office or station of a post office; a mail route; or a postal service
- 1.13 vehicle.
- 1.14 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective August 1, 2019, and applies to crimes
- 1.15 committed on or after that date.