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1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to human services; increasing the medical assistance excess income

1.3standard for persons who are elderly, blind, or have disabilities; amending

1.4Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 256B.056, subdivision 5c.

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

1.6Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 256B.056, subdivision 5c, is amended to read:

1.7Subd. 5c. **Excess income standard.** (a) The excess income standard for parents and

1.8caretaker relatives, pregnant women, infants, and children ages two through 20 is the standard

1.9specified in subdivision 4, paragraph (b).

1.10(b) The excess income standard for a person whose eligibility is based on blindness,

1.11disability, or age of 65 or more years ~~shall equal 81 percent of the federal poverty guidelines~~

1.12is the standard specified in subdivision 4, paragraph (a).

1.13**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2019.