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1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to natural resources; requiring report on ways to ensure sustainability of

1.3groundwater and surface water.

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

1.5Section 1. **REPORT ON WAYS TO ENSURE SUSTAINABILITY OF**

1.6**MINNESOTA'S GROUNDWATER AND SURFACE WATER.**

1.7No later than February 1, 2021, the commissioner of natural resources must report to

1.8the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and senate

1.9committees and divisions with jurisdiction over environment and natural resources policy

1.10on methods to ensure that Minnesota's groundwater and surface water supplies are sustainable

1.11in the future. The recommendations must include any statutory, regulatory, or policy changes

1.12needed to ensure that the state's water will not be transferred out of state in an unsustainable

1.13manner.