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H. F. No. 969

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to public safety; corrections; requiring persons placed on intensive  
1.3 supervised release from prison to be placed on electronic monitoring immediately  
1.4 upon release; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 244.15, subdivision 6.

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

1.6 Sec. 1. TITLE.

1.7 This act shall be known as "Colton's Law."

1.8 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 244.15, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

1.9 Subd. 6. **Electronic surveillance.** During any phase, the offender may be placed  
1.10 on electronic surveillance if the intensive supervision agent so directs. If electronic  
1.11 surveillance is directed during phase I, the commissioner must activate electronic  
1.12 surveillance prior to releasing the offender from confinement or the intensive supervision  
1.13 agent must directly supervise the offender until electronic surveillance is activated.