

**CHAPTER 171—H.F.No. 1829**

*An act relating to public safety; authorizing county attorneys and assistant county attorneys to carry firearms on duty under the terms of a permit to carry; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 388.051, by adding a subdivision.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 388.051, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 4. **Firearms exemption.** Notwithstanding section 626.84, subdivision 2, a county attorney, or an assistant county attorney appointed under section 388.10, who lawfully possesses a permit to carry a pistol issued in accordance with section 624.714 may possess and carry a firearm while on duty, unless restricted by the county attorney.

**EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Presented to the governor April 5, 2012

Signed by the governor April 9, 2012, 01:09 p.m.