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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-THIRD SESSION

H. F. No. 1896

02/16/2023 Authored by Hudson, Bennett, Murphy, Knudsen and Mekeland The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to state government; prohibiting enforcement of government vaccine
1.3 mandates; allowing proof of presence of natural antibodies as an alternative to
1.4 vaccination; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

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

1.6 Section 1. [144.066] GOVERNMENT MANDATES PROHIBITED: RECOVERY
1.7 FROM INFECTION AS PROOF OF IMMUNIZATION.

1.8 (a) To ensure the sovereignty of states' rights guaranteed by the Tenth Amendment to
1.9 the United States Constitution and to protect the fundamental individual liberties and privacies
1.10 of all persons against an abusive federal government, no government entity or its
1.11 subdivisions, agents, designees, or assigns shall have the authority to enforce or attempt to
1.12 enforce any mandatory vaccines, vaccine passports, vaccine passes, or vaccine credentials
1.13 in this state, whether by federal act, law, executive order, administrative order, court order,
1.14 rule, regulation, statute, or ordinance.

1.15 (b) If any employer conducting business in Minnesota or employing any Minnesota
1.16 resident chooses to require vaccinations against any infection, the employer must allow
1.17 proof of presence of natural antibodies as an alternative to the vaccine. For the purposes of
1.18 this section, "employer" has the meaning given under section 177.23, subdivision 6.

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