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A bill for an act

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relating to public safety; requiring the state fire marshal to make the fire code

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available to the general public; amending Minnesota Statutes 2012, section

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326B.02, subdivision 6.

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

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 326B.02, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

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Subd. 6. **State Fire Code rulemaking authority.** (a) The commissioner of labor

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and industry, consistent with the recommendations of the state fire marshal, shall adopt

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a State Fire Code and make amendments thereto in accordance with the Administrative

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Procedure Act in chapter 14. The code and its amendments shall conform insofar as

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practicable to model fire codes generally accepted and in use throughout the United States,

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with consideration given to existing statewide specialty codes presently in use in the state

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of Minnesota. Statewide specialty codes and model codes with necessary modifications

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may be adopted by reference in accordance with section 14.07, subdivision 4.

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(b) The state fire marshal must make paper copies of the state fire code, including

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amendments, available to the general public upon request. The fire marshal may charge

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a fee to a person requesting a copy of the fire code that does not exceed the cost to the

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state of providing the copy.