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STATE OF MINNESOTA
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S.F. No. 24

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12/14/2020	9	Introduction and first reading Referred to Rules and Administration

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A bill for an act

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proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I, by adding a

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section; providing for gender equality under the law.

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

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Section 1. **CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED.**

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The following amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I, is proposed to the

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people. If the amendment is adopted, a new section will read as follows:

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Sec. 18. Equality under the law shall not be abridged or denied on account of gender.

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

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Sec. 2. **SUBMISSION TO VOTERS.**

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(a) The proposed amendment must be submitted to the people at the 2022 general election.

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If ratified, the amendment is effective January 1, 2023. The question submitted shall be:

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"Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to provide that equality under the law

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must not be abridged or denied on account of gender?

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Yes

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No"

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(b) The title required under Minnesota Statutes, section 204D.15, subdivision 1, for the

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question submitted to the people under paragraph (a) shall be: "Equal Rights Amendment."

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