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1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to higher education; requiring the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota
1.3 State Colleges and Universities to develop a plan for timely degree completion
1.4 for certain transfer students.

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

1.6 Section 1. **MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES**
1.7 **BACCALAUREATE DEGREE COMPLETION PLAN.**

1.8 The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities shall develop
1.9 a plan to implement multi-campus articulation agreements that lead to baccalaureate degree
1.10 completion upon earning the number of credits required for the degree minus 60 credits at
1.11 a system university after transfer to the system university by a student with an associate in
1.12 arts degree, associate of science degree, or an associate of fine arts (AFA) degree from
1.13 a system college. The board shall report on this plan to the legislative committees with
1.14 primary jurisdiction over higher education finance and policy by March 15, 2015.