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03/10/2011	482	Introduction and first reading Referred to Transportation

1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to transportation; requiring commissioner of transportation to make a

1.3decision on alternative route for State Highway 53.

1.4BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5Section 1. **ALTERNATIVE ROUTE ELECTION FOR HIGHWAY 53.**

1.6By March 15, 2015, the commissioner of transportation, in consultation with the

1.7commissioner of natural resources and Cleveland Cliffs Mining Company or its successor,

1.8shall designate a route for that portion of marked Trunk Highway 53 in St. Louis County

1.9near the city of Virginia by electing either the route designated as "Alt. M-1" or the route

1.10designated as "Alt. M-2." Construction must begin no later than June 1, 2015.