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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETIETH SESSION

H. F. No. 3643

03/12/2018 Authored by Baker and Poston The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to health; requiring the commissioner of health to provide grants for the
1.3 purchase and distribution of prescription drug deactivation and disposal products;
1.4 appropriating money.

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

1.6 Section 1. APPROPRIATION; PRESCRIPTION DRUG DEACTIVATION AND
1.7 DISPOSAL.

1.8 \$1,000,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of health, for the
1.9 biennium ending June 30, 2019, to provide grants to pharmacists and other prescription
1.10 drug dispensers, health care providers, local law enforcement, local health and human
1.11 services departments, and other entities to purchase omnidegradable, at-home prescription
1.12 drug deactivation and disposal products to assist individuals in the disposal of prescription
1.13 drugs in a safe, environmentally sound manner. Grant recipients must provide these
1.14 deactivation and disposal products free of charge to members of the public.