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1.1	A bill for an act
1.2	proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution; adding a section to
1.3	article XIII; recognizing marriage as only a union between one man and one
1.4	woman.
1.5	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
1.6	Section 1. CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED.
1.7	An amendment to the Minnesota Constitution is proposed to the people. If the
1.8	amendment is adopted, a section shall be added to article XIII, to read:
1.9	Sec. 13. Only a union of one man and one woman shall be valid or recognized as a
1.10	marriage in Minnesota.
1.11	Sec. 2. SUBMISSION TO VOTERS.
1.12	The proposed amendment must be submitted to the people at the 2012 general
1.13	election. The question submitted must be:
1.14	"Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to provide that only a union of one
1.15	man and one woman shall be valid or recognized as a marriage in Minnesota?
1.16	<u>Yes</u>
1.17	<u>No"</u>