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H. F. No. 259

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy

- 1.1A bill for an act
- 1.2relating to public safety; providing protection to children and vulnerable adults
- 1.3from exposure to fentanyl; imposing criminal penalties for violation; amending
- 1.4Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 152.137, subdivision 2.
- 1.5BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.6Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 152.137, subdivision 2, is amended to read:
- 1.7Subd. 2. **Prohibited conduct.** (a) No person may knowingly engage in any of the
- 1.8following activities in the presence of a child or vulnerable adult; in the residence of a child
- 1.9or a vulnerable adult; in a building, structure, conveyance, or outdoor location where a child
- 1.10or vulnerable adult might reasonably be expected to be present; in a room offered to the
- 1.11public for overnight accommodation; or in any multiple unit residential building:
- 1.12(1) manufacturing or attempting to manufacture methamphetamine;
- 1.13(2) storing any chemical substance;
- 1.14(3) storing any methamphetamine waste products; or
- 1.15(4) storing any methamphetamine paraphernalia.
- 1.16(b) No person may knowingly cause or permit a child or vulnerable adult to inhale, be
- 1.17exposed to, have contact with, or ingest methamphetamine, a chemical substance, or
- 1.18methamphetamine paraphernalia.
- 1.19(c) No person may knowingly cause or permit a child or vulnerable adult to inhale, be
- 1.20exposed to, have contact with, or ingest fentanyl.