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S.F. No. 3564 – Modifying the Bloomington Housing and Redevelopment Authority

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SF 3564 amends special legislation, passed in 1971, which gave the city of Bloomington the authority to establish a housing and redevelopment authority consisting of five members. In 1987, the legislature passed housing and redevelopment legislation in chapter 469, allowing cities to have up to seven commissioners on the housing and redevelopment authority. This legislation frees the city of Bloomington from the restriction on the number of commissioners it may have on the authority, and properly positions the city under the 469 chapter of law. As required in statute, the modification to the special law is not effective until it is approved by the city council and filed with the secretary of state. This bill also strikes an erroneous reference to South St Paul in the headnote in Section 1.