

1.1 **Senator Marty from the Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred**

1.2 **S.F. No. 3:** A bill for an act relating to elections; modifying provisions related to voter
1.3 registration; absentee voting; requiring voting instructions and sample ballots to be
1.4 multilingual and interpreters to be provided in certain situations; regulating intimidation,
1.5 deceptive practices, and interference with voter registration and voting; campaign finance;
1.6 expanding the definition of express advocacy; providing penalties; requiring reports;
1.7 amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 10A.01, subdivision 16a; 10A.27, subdivision
1.8 11; 13.607, by adding a subdivision; 171.06, subdivision 3; 201.054, subdivisions 1, 2;
1.9 201.061, by adding a subdivision; 201.071, subdivision 1, as amended; 201.091, subdivision
1.10 4; 201.161; 201.162; 203B.04, subdivisions 1, 5; 203B.06, subdivisions 1, 3; 203B.12, by
1.11 adding subdivisions; 203B.121, subdivision 2; 211B.15, subdivisions 1, 7b, by adding
1.12 subdivisions; 211B.32, subdivision 1; Laws 2023, chapter 12, section 9; proposing coding
1.13 for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 204B; 211B.

1.14 Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

1.15 Page 27, after line 6, insert:

1.16 **"ARTICLE 4**

1.17 **APPROPRIATIONS**

1.18 Section 1. **APPROPRIATIONS.**

1.19 (a) \$709,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$152,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from
1.20 the general fund to the secretary of state to implement the provisions of this act. The base
1.21 for this appropriation is \$470,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$152,000 in fiscal year 2027.

1.22 (b) \$100,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$100,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from
1.23 the general fund to the attorney general to enforce the voter intimidation and interference
1.24 provisions of this act.

1.25 (c) \$45,000 in fiscal year 2024 is appropriated from the driver services operating account
1.26 under Minnesota Statutes, section 299A.705, to the commissioner of public safety to update
1.27 application forms for driver's licenses, identification cards, and instruction permits to comply
1.28 with the provisions of this act."

1.29 Amend the title as follows:

1.30 Page 1, line 6, after "reports;" insert " appropriating money;"

1.31 Amend the title numbers accordingly

1.32 And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

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(Committee Chair)

2.1 April 4, 2023.....

2.2 (Date of Committee recommendation)