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A bill for an act

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relating to higher education; creating an enrollment fraud working group; requiring

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a report.

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

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Section 1. MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ENROLLMENT

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FRAUD WORKING GROUP.

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The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities must convene

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a working group to develop policies and procedures to prevent fraudulent enrollment in

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online courses for the purpose of gaining access to financial aid, campus information

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technology systems, and student support services. The board must submit a report to the

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chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over

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higher education by January 15, 2026. The working group must include representatives

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from:

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(1) the Minnesota State University Student Association;

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(2) the Minnesota State College Student Association;

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(3) the Minnesota State College Faculty;

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(4) the Inter Faculty Organization;

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(5) the Minnesota Association of Professional Employees;

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(6) the Minnesota State University Association of Administrative and Service Faculty;

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(7) others as deemed necessary by the working group.