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H. F. No. **531**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to education; authorizing school districts to begin the school year before
1.3 Labor Day in the 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 school years.

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

1.5 Section 1. **SCHOOL START DATE FOR THE 2020-2021 AND 2021-2022 SCHOOL**
1.6 **YEARS ONLY.**

1.7 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 120A.40, or any other law to the contrary,
1.8 for the 2020-2021 school year only, school districts may begin the school year on August
1.9 31, and for the 2021-2022 school year only, school districts may begin the school year on
1.10 August 30.