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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on K-12 Education Policy and Oversight

March 25, 2009

Committee Recommendation and Adoption of Report:

To Pass as Amended

Read Second Time

1.1 A bill for an act  
 1.2 relating to education; requiring school districts that offer cardiopulmonary  
 1.3 resuscitation or automatic external defibrillator instruction to use instruction  
 1.4 developed by the American Heart Association, the American Red Cross, or uses  
 1.5 nationally recognized, evidence-based guidelines; proposing coding for new law  
 1.6 in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 120B.

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

1.8 Section 1. **[120B.236] CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION**

1.9 **INSTRUCTION.**

1.10 School districts are encouraged to include cardiopulmonary resuscitation and  
 1.11 automatic external defibrillator instruction as part of their curriculum and may seek the  
 1.12 cooperation of trained local law enforcement officials or emergency medical technicians  
 1.13 in providing the instruction. Schools offering cardiopulmonary resuscitation or automatic  
 1.14 external defibrillator instruction must use cardiopulmonary resuscitation or automatic  
 1.15 external defibrillator training that has been developed:

1.16 (1) by the American Heart Association or the American Red Cross and incorporate  
 1.17 psychomotor skills to support the instruction; or

1.18 (2) using nationally recognized, evidence-based guidelines for cardiopulmonary  
 1.19 resuscitation and incorporates psychomotor skills to support the instruction.