

**SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
NINETIETH SESSION**

S.F. No. 1243

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DATE	D-PG	OFFICIAL STATUS
02/22/2017	695	Introduction and first reading
		Referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy
03/09/2017		Comm report: To pass as amended
		Second reading

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to life insurance; limitation on payments to beneficiaries of persons

1.3 furthering terrorism; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 61A.09, by adding

1.4 a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 61A.09, is amended by adding a subdivision

1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 5. **Limitation on payment due to furtherance of terrorism.** (a) For purposes

1.9 of this subdivision, "further terrorism" has the meaning given in section 609.714.

1.10 (b) Notwithstanding section 61A.03, subdivision 1, paragraph (c), a policy of group life

1.11 insurance issued for delivery in this state may limit payment to a beneficiary to the amount

1.12 of premiums that have been paid to the insurer under the policy if the insured's death occurs

1.13 directly or indirectly as a result of the insured's furtherance of terrorism.

1.14 (c) Conviction of a crime in violation of section 609.714 is not necessary for any court

1.15 of competent jurisdiction to determine by a preponderance of evidence whether a terrorist

1.16 act has occurred for the purpose of this section.