

**SENATE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
NINETIETH SESSION**

**S.F. No. 208**

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Introduction and first reading  
Referred to Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to solid waste; prohibiting incentives for specified methods of collection  
1.3 or recycling; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 115A.94, by adding a  
1.4 subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 115A.94, is amended by adding a subdivision  
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 2a. **Incentives prohibited.** The commissioner must not offer or deny a benefit,  
1.9 monetary or otherwise, to induce a local unit of government to implement a specified method  
1.10 of solid waste collection or recycling. A county must not offer or deny any benefit, monetary  
1.11 or otherwise, to induce a city or town to implement a specified method of solid waste  
1.12 collection or recycling.