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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to human services; modifying supplemental nutrition assistance program
1.3 asset limitations; instructing the revisor to update terminology; amending Minnesota
1.4 Statutes 2016, section 256D.0515.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256D.0515, is amended to read:

1.7 **256D.0515 INCOME AND ASSET LIMITATIONS FOR ~~FOOD STAMP~~**
1.8 **SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) HOUSEHOLDS.**

1.9 All ~~food stamp~~ supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) households must be
1.10 determined eligible for the benefit discussed under section 256.029. ~~Food stamp~~ SNAP
1.11 households must demonstrate that:

1.12 (1) their gross income is equal to or less than 165 percent of the federal poverty guidelines
1.13 for the same family size; and

1.14 (2) they meet the federal financial resource requirements under United States Code, title
1.15 7, section 2014(g), except that one licensed vehicle per household shall be excluded from
1.16 financial resource limits.

1.17 Sec. 2. **REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION.**

1.18 In Minnesota Statutes and Minnesota Rules, the revisor of statutes shall change the terms
1.19 "food support," "food stamp," and "food stamps" to "supplemental nutrition assistance
1.20 program" or "SNAP" when appropriate. The revisor shall make any necessary technical and
1.21 grammatical changes to preserve the meaning of the text.