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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Transportation Finance and Policy

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to public safety; requiring drivers' licenses and identification cards to be
1.3 printed in the state; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020,
1.4 section 171.02, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 171.02, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 6. **Manufactured in state.** The commissioner must ensure that all drivers' licenses,
1.9 instruction permits, and identification cards are manufactured in Minnesota.

1.10 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2022, and applies to licenses,
1.11 permits, and cards printed on or after that date.

1.12 Sec. 2. **TRANSITION; APPROPRIATION.**

1.13 (a) The commissioner may enter into a contract with a vendor or may purchase equipment
1.14 to comply with the requirements of section 1.

1.15 (b) \$..... in fiscal year 2022 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner
1.16 of public safety to comply with the requirements in section 1 and paragraph (a) of this
1.17 section.