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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to public safety; addressing fire safety at petroleum refineries; proposing
1.3 coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299F.

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

1.5 Section 1. **[299F.3605] PETROLEUM REFINERIES.**

1.6 (a) As used in this section, "petroleum refinery" has the meaning given in section
1.7 115C.02, subdivision 10a.

1.8 (b) By January 1, 2022, each petroleum refinery operating in the state shall maintain or
1.9 contract for a full-time paid on-site fire department regularly charged with the responsibility
1.10 of providing fire protection to the refinery that is sufficiently trained, equipped, and staffed
1.11 to respond to fires at the refinery and to conduct inspections to prevent fires.