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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. **4146**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to consumer protection; requiring that used motor vehicle transactions be
1.3 conducted in a single language; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section
1.4 325F.662, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 325F.662, is amended by adding a subdivision
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 8b. **Single-language transactions.** When engaging in a transaction to sell a used
1.9 motor vehicle, the dealer and the consumer must conduct the transaction in a single language.
1.10 The dealer and the consumer must agree on the language used before commencing a
1.11 discussion or negotiation that may lead to a sale or transaction. Before executing a contract,
1.12 the dealer must ensure the consumer understands the terms of the contract.