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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Agriculture and Rural Development Finance and Policy

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to agriculture; requiring rulemaking for dogs in retail food establishments.

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

1.4 Section 1. **RULEMAKING; DOGS IN RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS.**

1.5 (a) The commissioner of agriculture must amend Minnesota Rules, part 4626.1585, item
1.6 B, by adding an additional subitem to read "(6) dogs in retail food establishments where
1.7 the only food sold is packaged and nonperishable."

1.8 (b) The commissioner may use the good-cause exemption under Minnesota Statutes,
1.9 section 14.388, subdivision 1, clause (3), to adopt rules under this section, and Minnesota
1.10 Statutes, section 14.386, does not apply except as provided under Minnesota Statutes, section
1.11 14.388.