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State of Minnesota  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION

H. F. No. 2383

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to data practices; restricting the right of certain peace officers to access  
1.3 video evidence of incidents that result in an officer's discharge of a firearm;  
1.4 amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 13.82, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 13.82, is amended by adding a subdivision  
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 32. Access to video evidence; officer-involved shooting. (a)  
1.9 Notwithstanding section 13.04, subdivision 3, or any other law to the contrary, video  
1.10 evidence of a peace officer's response to an incident, if the incident results in the officer's  
1.11 discharge of a firearm, may not be made accessible to any peace officer involved in  
1.12 the response, unless the video evidence constitutes inactive investigative data under  
1.13 subdivision 7 or has been made accessible to the public under subdivision 15.

1.14 (b) This subdivision does not restrict the right of a peace officer to receive or access  
1.15 evidence pursuant to the rules of discovery in a civil or criminal proceeding.