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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-EIGHTH SESSION

H. F. No. 2445

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to solid waste; establishing textile waste diversion goal for the state;
1.3 amending Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 115A.551, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2012, section 115A.551, is amended by adding a
1.6 subdivision to read:

1.7 Subd. 1a. Textile waste diversion goal. It is a goal of this state that the following
1.8 percentages of textile waste be diverted from landfills via recycling by the end of the
1.9 year indicated:

- 1.10 (1) 20 percent by 2020;
- 1.11 (2) 40 percent by 2025; and
- 1.12 (3) 75 percent by 2030.

1.13 For the purposes of this subdivision, "textile waste" means discarded clothing,
1.14 shoes, and household textiles.