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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. **2316**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Policy and Finance

03/07/2012 By motion, recalled and re-referred to Environment, Energy and Natural Resources Policy and Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to highway construction; requiring a special slurry disposal provision
1.3 in certain highway construction, improvement, or repair contracts; proposing
1.4 coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 161.

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

1.6 Section 1. [161.367] CONCRETE DIAMOND GRINDING AND SAW SLURRY.

1.7 In any contract that includes concrete diamond grinding or concrete sawing
1.8 associated with the construction, improvement, or repair of a road, the commissioner
1.9 of transportation shall include a special provision relating to resulting concrete slurry.
1.10 The special provision must include language requiring removal of slurry by vacuuming;
1.11 requiring deposit of slurry along the in-slope of the roadway for diamond grinding;
1.12 prohibiting the contractor from allowing slurry to flow across lanes of traffic or into gutters
1.13 or other closed drainage facilities; and specifying that slurry shall not be placed closer
1.14 than 100 feet from natural streams and lakes, or three feet from water-filled ditches.