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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to transportation; amending requirements on caretaker information
1.3 maintained in the record of a driver's license or Minnesota identification card
1.4 holder; amending Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 171.12, subdivision
1.5 5c.

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

1.7 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2023 Supplement, section 171.12, subdivision 5c, is amended
1.8 to read:

1.9 Subd. 5c. **Caretaker information.** (a) Upon request by an applicant for a driver's license,
1.10 instruction permit, or Minnesota identification card under section 171.06, subdivision 3,
1.11 the commissioner must maintain electronic records of names and contact information for
1.12 ~~up to three~~ individuals receiving exclusive care from the applicant. The request must be
1.13 made on a form prescribed by the commissioner. The commissioner must make the form
1.14 available on the department's website. The form must include a notice as described in section
1.15 13.04, subdivision 2.

1.16 (b) A person who has provided caretaker information under this subdivision may change,
1.17 add, or delete the information at any time. Notwithstanding sections 171.06, subdivision 2;
1.18 and 171.061, the commissioner or a driver's license agent must not charge a fee for a
1.19 transaction described in this paragraph.

1.20 (c) Caretaker data are classified as private data on individuals, as defined in section
1.21 13.02, subdivision 12, except that the commissioner may share caretaker information with
1.22 law enforcement agencies to notify the cared-for individuals regarding an emergency.

1.23 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.