DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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Representative Underheim:

Please review this bill carefully to make sure that it achieves your intent. In particular, please note the following:

- 1. Is the \$500 amount okay?
- 2. The forfeiture amount is the same as the general forfeiture for a violation of ch. 196, stats., for which an amount is not otherwise specified. It is necessary to include a forfeiture in this bill because the general forfeiture only applies to public utilities, and this bill applies to telecommunications providers who may or may not be public utilities. Is the forfeiture okay?
- 3. I added a short delayed effective date to give people notice and time to make any changes to their business practices that are necessary to comply with the bill. Is the length of the delay (about 2 months) okay?

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