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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to finance; temporarily prohibiting the Pollution Control Agency from
1.3 establishing or holding stakeholder groups or meetings.

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

1.5 Section 1. **STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS.**

1.6 The commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency shall not establish a new
1.7 stakeholder group or conduct meetings of stakeholder groups until after June 30, 2009.
1.8 For the purposes of this section, a "stakeholder group" is a group of industry or other
1.9 stakeholders convened by the Pollution Control Agency resulting in increased costs to
1.10 the agency. This section does not apply to stakeholder groups or meetings expressly
1.11 required by law.