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Amends the Peace Officer Discipline Procedures Act (the "Act"). Eliminates the statutory exemption from compliance with the Act that the legislature granted to the Minneapolis Civilian Police Review Authority. (The exemption has been in place since the law was enacted in 1991.)

Prohibits civilian review authorities from: (1) making binding findings of fact or determinations about police complaints, and (2) imposing discipline on peace officers. Civilian review authorities may make advisory recommendations about police misconduct complaints.