

**Subject** Continuing Education for Professions Regulated by the Department of Commerce

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### Overview

This bill makes technical changes and changes related to the use of distance learning for continuing education courses taken by professions regulated by the Department of Commerce.

### Summary

Section	Description
1	<b>Live course.</b> Defines “live course.”
2	<b>On-demand course.</b> Defines “on-demand course.”
3	<b>Proctor.</b> Lists the requirements a proctor must meet.
4	<b>Professional designation.</b> Defines “professional designation.”
5	<b>[45.301] On-demand continuing education; requirements.</b> <b>Subd. 1. On-demand course requirements.</b> Lists the technological and structural requirements for an on-demand course. <b>Subd. 2. Final examination.</b> Requires that the final examination be encrypted online or a monitored paper examination.
6	<b>Approval.</b> Makes changes to the requirements a person must meet to be approved by the commissioner as a course coordinator.

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7	<b>Responsibilities.</b> Makes technical correction.
8	<b>Revisor instruction.</b> Requires the revisor to change the term “self-study course” to “on-demand course” and change the term “classroom course” to “live course” where these terms are used in chapter 45.
9	<b>Repealer.</b> Repeals section 45.25, subdivisions 2a and 14.



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