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Bill Summary

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Overview

House File 1447 updates statutory requirements for handling fresh eggs. The principal change is to reduce the maintenance temperature from a maximum of +50F. degrees to +45F. degrees.

Section

- 1 **Equipment.** Equipment for handling and storing eggs must be capable of maintaining a temperature of 45 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 2 **Egg temperature.** Eggs held in storage must be maintained at a temperature not exceeding 45 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 3 **Vehicle temperature.** A vehicle used to transport eggs must maintain a temperature not exceeding 45 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 4 **Uniformity with federal law; shell eggs.** Updates the specific reference to federal regulations on the handling of shell eggs that the state of Minnesota adopts by reference, subject to amendment by the commissioner.