

1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 2685, as amended by the delete-everything  
1.2 amendment (H2685DE1), as follows:

1.3 Page 22, after line 29, insert:

1.4 "Sec. 29. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 169.86, subdivision 3b, is amended to read:

1.5 Subd. 3b. **Escort vehicles.** The commissioner or local authority shall specify in  
1.6 the permit:

1.7 (1) the minimum number of escort vehicles required to escort the overdimensional  
1.8 load; and

1.9 (2) whether the operators of the escort vehicles must be certified licensed peace  
1.10 officers, ~~or~~ may be overdimensional load escort drivers who hold a current certificate under  
1.11 section 299D.085, or may be civilian escort drivers as provided under section 299D.085.

1.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective on the effective date of this  
1.13 subdivision under Laws 2010, chapter 311, section 4."

1.14 Page 28, after line 3, insert:

1.15 "Sec. 37. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 299D.085, subdivision 1, is amended to  
1.16 read:

1.17 Subdivision 1. **Definition.** For purposes of this section, the following terms have  
1.18 the meanings given them:

1.19 (1) "civilian escort driver" means an individual who is at least 18 years of age,  
1.20 holds a valid driver's license for the type of vehicle being operated, and does not hold an  
1.21 overdimensional load escort driver certificate under this section; and

1.22 (2) "overdimensional load" is a vehicle or combination of vehicles of a size or  
1.23 weight of vehicle or load exceeding the maximum specified in chapter 169, or otherwise  
1.24 not in conformity with the provisions of chapter 169.

1.25 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective on the effective date of this  
1.26 subdivision under Laws 2010, chapter 311, section 4.

2.1 Sec. 38. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 299D.085, is amended by adding a  
2.2 subdivision to read:

2.3 Subd. 2a. **Civilian escort driver.** (a) A civilian escort driver who meets those  
2.4 requirements established as of January 1, 2012, to provide overdimensional load escorts  
2.5 under Minnesota Statutes and under policies and regulations of the Department of  
2.6 Public Safety and the Department of Transportation, is exempt from the requirements of  
2.7 subdivisions 2, 3, and 5.

2.8 (b) A civilian escort driver may not operate under this subdivision if the  
2.9 overdimensional load:

2.10 (1) extends over the centerline of a roadway; or

2.11 (2) is routed to travel the wrong way on a road.

2.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective on the effective date Minnesota  
2.13 Statutes, section 299D.085, subdivisions 1 to 4, under Laws 2010, chapter 311, section 4."

2.14 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

2.15 Amend the title accordingly