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Overview

Changes the appointment process and classification status for the state archaeologist.

Section

- 1 Appointment.** Provides that the commissioner of administration, rather than the executive council of the Minnesota Historical Society, shall appoint the state archaeologist.
Strikes language placing the position of the archaeologist in the unclassified service. (Unless specifically designated as unclassified, positions in the executive branch are in the classified state civil service).
- 2 Staff.** Strikes language placing archaeologist staff in the unclassified state service, meaning they would be in the classified service.
- 3 Position transfer.** Requires the commissioner of employee relations to allocate archaeologist positions to appropriate job classifications. Transfers the incumbents of the positions to the newly-classified positions.
- 4 Effective date.** Effective the day following final enactment.