## House Research

## -Act Summary-

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This act modifies the state's biodiesel use mandate law. With this act, when the biodiesel mandate level increases from 5 percent (B5) to 20 percent (B20) each April, fuel providers will have until April 15 to ramp up their diesel-biodiesel blends to the B20 level. During the transition period from April 1 to April 14, the mandated biodiesel content will be a minimum of 10 percent, or B10.

The act also indefinitely extends the existing exemption for Number 1 diesel fuel.

For more on the biodiesel mandate law, see the House Research publication *Biofuel Use Mandates* (2014) at www.house.leg.state.mn.us/hrd/pubs/ss/ssbiofuel.pdf.

Governor Mark Dayton signed this act into law on May 14, 2018.