

HOUSE RESEARCH

Bill Summary

FILE NUMBER: H.F. 954

DATE: April 4, 2003

Version: As introduced

Authors: Abrams and others

Subject: Sales tax exemption for public safety radio systems

Analyst: Pat Dalton, 651-296-7434; Joel Michael, 651-296-5057

This publication can be made available in alternative formats upon request. Please call 651-296-6753 (voice); or the Minnesota State Relay Service at 1-800-627-3529 (TTY) for assistance. Summaries are also available on our website at: www.house.mn/hrd.

Overview

This bill extends the expiration date for the sales tax exemption for public safety radio system purchases from August 1, 2003, to August 1, 2005.

Section

- 1 Public safety radio systems.** Extends by two years the period in which the sales tax exemption applies to public safety radio system purchases to August 1, 2005. This exemption applies to purchases in connection with constructing, operating, maintaining, and improving the backbone system of a region-wide public safety radio system. To qualify for this exemption, the system must consist of a shared infrastructure network, which is identified in a region-wide plan.

Effective date: Day following final enactment