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## Bill Summary

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### Overview

This bill instructs the Revisor to publish a table in Minnesota Statutes that cross-references laws imposing collateral sanctions in a manner that provides quick access to users.

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#### **1 Collateral Sanctions Cross-References; Publishing a Table.**

**Subd. 1. Definition.** Defines "collateral sanction" as a legal penalty, disability, or disadvantage that is imposed on a person upon conviction of a crime. A collateral sanction is not a direct consequence of a crime (*e.g.*, fine, restitution, or incarceration) or a requirement imposed by the sentencing court or official (*e.g.*, DNA analysis, fingerprinting, or assessment).

**Subd. 2. Revisor Instruction.** Instructs the Revisor to publish a table in the Minnesota Statutes that contains cross-references to Minnesota laws that impose collateral sanctions, including sanctions relating to employment, driving, public safety, property rights, and civil rights.

**Subd. 3. Cautionary Language.** Requires the Revisor to use appropriate cautionary language that notifies users that the cross-reference table is for reference only and

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does not have any substantive legal effect.

**Subd. 4. Consultation with Legislators and Legislative Staff.** States that the Revisor shall consult with legislators and legislative staff to identify collateral sanctions.