## HOUSE RESEARCH =

## Bill Summary =

FILE NUMBER: H.F. 660 DATE: March 8, 2011

**Version:** First unofficial engrossment

**Authors:** McDonald

**Subject:** Sex Offender Sentencing

**Analyst:** Jeff Diebel

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.

This bill creates a presumptive mandatory minimum sentence of three years for certain repeat sex offenders. A person who is convicted for criminal sexual conduct 1-5 within 15 years of a prior sex offense conviction will receive the 3-year sentence unless a longer mandatory minimum sentence applies. A court may stay execution of the sentence only if it finds the offender amenable to inpatient sex offender treatment and imposes local jail time and a requirement of completing inpatient treatment as conditions of the offender's probation.