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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill creates a merged market and regulates merged market health plans.

Section

1 Merged market regulation.

Subd. 1. Definitions. Provides definitions for eligible employer, employer contribution, merged market, and merged market health plan.

Subd. 2. Purchase of plans in the merged market. Provides requirements relating to purchase of merged market health plans.

Subd. 3. Regulation. Provides the regulations that apply to merged market health plans.

2 Annual open enrollment periods. Provides requirements relating to enrollment in merged market health plan.

3 Small employer market. Clarifies that the small employer market does not include the merged market.