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Bill Summary

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Overview

Minnesota Statutes, section 145.4131, requires physicians and facilities performing abortions to report certain abortion data to the commissioner of health, who compiles the information and publishes an annual public report. This bill adds to the information a physician or facility performing an abortion must report to the commissioner, requiring a report of the location of the woman obtaining the abortion if the woman is not at the same location as the physician performing the abortion.

Section

Forms. Amends § 145.4131, subd. 1. Requires a physician or facility performing an abortion to include in abortion data reports submitted to the commissioner of health, the location of the woman obtaining the abortion, if the woman is not at the same location as the physician performing the abortion.