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Overview

This bill requires that, by August 2020, 15% of courses offered at state colleges and universities must use textbooks costing \$40 or less.

Section

- 1 Affordable textbooks.** Requires that, by August 31, 2020, 15% of all MnState courses must use textbooks costing \$40 or less. "Textbooks" include other educational resources intended to be used in place of a traditional textbook.
- 2 Course schedule and materials list.** Requires course schedules for MnState institutions to include information regarding required and recommended course materials.