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Section

Repealer. Repeals the Minnesota Radon Licensing Act, section 144.4961, effective the day 1 following final enactment.

Section 144.4961:

- authorizes the commissioner of health to adopt rules relating to indoor radon in dwellings and other buildings;
- requires radon mitigation systems installed on or after January 1, 2018, to have a radon mitigation tag issued by the commissioner of health;
- effective January 1, 2018, requires a license for a person or firm that detects the presence of radon indoors, performs laboratory analysis, or performs radon mitigation;
- establishes licensing fees;
- allows the commissioner to enforce this section using tools in the Health Enforcement Consolidation Act;
- allows local units of government to require permits for and inspect radon mitigation systems; and
- exempts newly constructed homes, before a certificate of occupancy is issued.