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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. **2574**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to natural resources; appropriating money to Department of Natural
1.3 Resources for grants to Minnesota Aquatic Invasive Species Research Center at
1.4 the University of Minnesota.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **APPROPRIATIONS; MINNESOTA AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES**
1.7 **RESEARCH CENTER.**

1.8 \$2,000,000 in fiscal year 2020 and \$2,000,000 in fiscal year 2021 are appropriated from
1.9 the general fund to the commissioner of natural resources for grants to the Minnesota Aquatic
1.10 Invasive Species Research Center at the University of Minnesota to prioritize, support, and
1.11 develop research-based solutions that can reduce the impacts of aquatic invasive species in
1.12 Minnesota by preventing spread, controlling populations, and managing ecosystems, and
1.13 to advance knowledge to inspire action by others.