

A bill for an act
relating to state government finance; making reductions to executive branch
agencies and the legislature.

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

Section 1. **FISCAL YEAR 2011 REDUCTIONS.**

(a) By March 31, 2011, the commissioner of management and budget must allocate a reduction of \$200,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011, to general fund appropriations made to executive branch agencies as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.011, subdivision 12a. Reductions in fiscal year 2011 appropriations cancel to the general fund. Executive branch agencies must cooperate with the commissioner of management and budget in developing and implementing these reductions.

(b) The commissioner may not reduce appropriations for general education programs under Minnesota Statutes, section 126C.10, and special education programs under Minnesota Statutes, sections 125A.76 and 125A.79. The commissioner may not further reduce appropriations to the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities or to the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota below the reduction in Laws 2010, First Special Session chapter 1, article 5, sections 4 and 5. In allocating the reductions the commissioner must consider appropriation amounts carried forward from fiscal year 2010 into fiscal year 2011. The commissioner must report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the senate Finance Committee and the house of representatives Ways and Means Committee regarding the amount of reductions in spending by each agency and program under this section.

(c) Reductions in this section apply to fiscal year 2011 only.

2.1 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

2.2 Sec. 2. **REDUCTIONS, LEGISLATURE, CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS.**

2.3 Subdivision 1. **Reductions.** Appropriations for fiscal year 2011 made in Laws 2009,
2.4 chapter 101, article 1, are reduced by the amount listed in this section. Reductions in
2.5 this section apply to fiscal year 2011 only.

2.6 Subd. 2. **Senate.** \$.....

2.7 Subd. 3. **House of representatives.** \$.....

2.8 Subd. 4. **Governor and lieutenant governor.** \$.....

2.9 Subd. 5. **State auditor.** \$.....

2.10 Subd. 6. **Attorney general.** \$.....

2.11 Subd. 7. **Secretary of state.** \$.....

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