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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance

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A bill for an act
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relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Bottineau LRT
- 1.3

project; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.
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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.5

Section 1. **BOTTINEAU LRT.**
- 1.6

Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$18,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds
- 1.7

fund to the Metropolitan Council for a grant to the Hennepin County Regional Railroad
- 1.8

Authority for environmental analysis and project development, including predesign, for
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the Bottineau LRT project, also known as the Metro Blue Line extension.
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Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the
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bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue
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bonds of the state in an amount up to \$18,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with
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the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the
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Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.
- 1.15

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