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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 437

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements at
1.3 the Bloomington Ice Garden; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

1.5 Section 1. BLOOMINGTON; ICE GARDEN.

1.6 Subdivision 1. Appropriation. \$15,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds
1.7 fund to the commissioner of employment and economic development for a grant to the city
1.8 of Bloomington to predesign, design, construct, engineer, furnish, and equip capital
1.9 improvements and renovations to the Bloomington Ice Garden. This appropriation includes
1.10 money for replacement of R22 refrigeration systems; electrical, mechanical, and
1.11 dehumidification system improvements; replacement of rink floors and dasher boards;
1.12 accessibility improvements compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act; a dryland
1.13 training area; and new and remodeled locker rooms, concourses, restrooms, concessions,
1.14 and administrative offices.

1.15 Subd. 2. Bond sale. To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond
1.16 proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of
1.17 the state in an amount up to \$15,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
1.18 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
1.19 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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