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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-FIRST SESSION

H. F. No. **958**

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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 arts and culture; appropriating money for Bell Museum.

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

1.4 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; BELL MUSEUM.**

1.5 \$300,000 in fiscal year 2020 and \$300,000 in fiscal year 2021 are appropriated from the
1.6 arts and cultural heritage fund to the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota for
1.7 a grant to the Bell Museum, Minnesota's museum of natural history, to increase access to
1.8 Minnesota's history and cultural heritage by providing funding for:

1.9 (1) equal access programs to expand awareness and use of resources for people with
1.10 disabilities; and

1.11 (2) cultural equity programs to expand access to culturally and linguistically diverse
1.12 communities.