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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A bill for an act

relating to libraries; appropriating money for online homework help services.

EIGHTY-EIGHTH SESSION

H. F. No.

1145

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

1.3	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
1.4	Section 1. APPROPRIATION.
1.5	Subdivision 1. Department of Education. The sums indicated in this section are
1.6	appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Education for the fiscal years
1.7	designated.
1.8	Subd. 2. Electronic library for Minnesota. For statewide licenses to online
1.9	databases and services selected in cooperation with the Minnesota Office of Higher
1.10	Education for school media centers, public libraries, state government agency libraries,
1.11	and public or private college or university libraries:
1.12	<u>\$ 1,650,000 2014</u>
1.13	<u>\$</u> <u>1,500,000</u> <u>2015</u>
1.14	\$750,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$600,000 in fiscal year 2015 is for free online
1.15	homework help services.
1.16	The base for fiscal years 2016 and later is \$1,500,000.
1.17	Any balance in the first year does not cancel but is available in the second year.

Section 1.