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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 1934

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to workforce development; appropriating money for robotics teams and
1.3 STEM internships.

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

1.5 Section 1. APPROPRIATION.

1.6 \$3,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner
1.7 of employment and economic development for a grant to FIRST in Upper Midwest to
1.8 support competitive robotics teams and prepare youth for careers in science, technology,
1.9 engineering, and math (STEM) fields. Of this amount, \$2,000,000 is for creating internships
1.10 for high school students to work at private companies in STEM fields, including the payment
1.11 of student stipends.