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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 1443

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to state government; excluding certain income and assets from counting  
1.3 toward income and asset limits for certain programs.

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

1.5 Section 1. **DIRECTION TO COMMISSIONERS; INCOME AND ASSET**  
1.6 **EXCLUSION.**

1.7 (a) The commissioner of human services shall not count conditional cash transfers  
1.8 made to families participating in a family independence demonstration as income or  
1.9 assets for purposes of determining or redetermining eligibility for child care assistance  
1.10 programs under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 119B; general assistance under Minnesota  
1.11 Statutes, chapter 256D; group residential housing under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256I;  
1.12 the Minnesota family investment program, work benefit program, or diversionary work  
1.13 program under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256J; or the MinnesotaCare program under  
1.14 Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256L, for a period of three years beginning on the date a  
1.15 family independence demonstration begins.

1.16 (b) The commissioner of commerce shall not count conditional cash transfers made  
1.17 to families participating in a family independence demonstration as income or assets for  
1.18 purposes of determining or redetermining eligibility for energy assistance programs under  
1.19 Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216C, for a period of three years beginning on the date a  
1.20 family independence demonstration begins.

1.21 (c) The commissioner of the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency shall not count  
1.22 conditional cash transfers made to families participating in a family independence  
1.23 demonstration as income or assets for purposes of determining or redetermining eligibility

- 2.1 for housing assistance programs under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462A, for a period of
- 2.2 three years beginning on the date a family independence demonstration begins.