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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. **3515**

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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to agriculture; appropriating money for a grant to Farmers' Legal Action
1.3 Group.

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

1.5 Section 1. APPROPRIATION.

1.6 \$100,000 in fiscal year 2019 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner
1.7 of agriculture for a grant to the Farmers' Legal Action Group to provide legal services to
1.8 the Minnesota Farm Advocates program, legal aid organizations serving farmers, the Farm
1.9 Business Management program, farmers participating in farmer-lender mediations, and
1.10 farmers who contact Farmers' Legal Action Group directly, and to otherwise work to keep
1.11 Minnesota farmers on the land.