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02/08/2021	275	Introduction and first reading Referred to Education Finance and Policy

1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to early childhood programs; appropriating money for the ParentChild+

1.3program.

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

1.5Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; PARENTCHILD+ PROGRAM.**

1.6Subdivision 1. **Department of Education.** The sums indicated in this section are

1.7appropriated from the general fund to the Department of Education in the fiscal years

1.8designated.

1.9Subd. 2. **ParentChild+ program.** For a grant to the ParentChild+ program:

1.10\$1,500,000.....2022

1.11\$1,500,000.....2023

1.12The ParentChild+ program must use the grant to implement its evidence-based and

1.13research-validated early childhood literacy and school readiness program for children ages

1.1416 months to four years. The program must be implemented at existing ParentChild+ program

1.15locations, including Cass County, Hennepin County, and Rice County, and the cities of

1.16Rochester and St. Cloud, or at any new rural, suburban, or urban locations.