

**SENATE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
NINETY-FIRST SESSION**

**S.F. No. 1877**

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Introduction and first reading  
Referred to State Government Finance and Policy and Elections

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to state government; constraining the amount that state employers can  
1.3 contract to pay employees based on the biennial appropriation to the agency;  
1.4 amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 179A.20, by adding a subdivision.

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

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 179A.20, is amended by adding a subdivision  
1.7 to read:

1.8 Subd. 2b. **Limited by appropriation.** A public employer must not contract to pay more  
1.9 to employees in compensation and benefits in a biennium than is permitted under an approved  
1.10 spending plan as provided in section 16A.14.