

SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
EIGHTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE **S.F. No. 1843**

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DATE	D-PG	OFFICIAL STATUS
02/15/2012	3816	Introduction and first reading Referred to Environment and Natural Resources
02/23/2012	3915a	Comm report: To pass as amended and re-refer to Finance
03/14/2012	4371	Comm report: To pass
	4409	Second reading
03/22/2012	4680	Special Order Laid on table
	4686	Taken from table
	4686	Third reading Passed See SF1830, Art.1, Sec.13

A bill for an act

relating to natural resources; providing for continued operation of state parks and recreation areas when biennial appropriations have not been enacted; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 85.055, subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 85.055, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Fee deposit and appropriation; continued operation. (a) The fees collected under this section shall be deposited in the natural resources fund and credited to the state parks account. Money in the account, except for the electronic licensing system commission established by the commissioner under section 84.027, subdivision 15, is available for appropriation to the commissioner to operate and maintain the state park system.

(b) State parks and recreation areas shall remain open for camping and other recreational activities, regardless of whether all or any part of the biennial appropriation law for the state parks and recreation areas has been enacted. The amount necessary for operations of state parks and recreation areas when the biennial appropriation law has not been enacted is appropriated from the state parks account in the natural resources fund. If, by July 1 of an odd-numbered year, legislation has not been enacted to appropriate money to the commissioner of management and budget for central accounting, procurement, payroll, and human resources functions, amounts necessary to operate those functions for the purpose of this paragraph are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of management and budget. As necessary, the commissioner may transfer a portion of this appropriation to other state agencies to support carrying out these functions. Any subsequent appropriation to the commissioner of management and budget for a biennium

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- 2.1 in which this paragraph has been applied supersedes and replaces the funding authorized
- 2.2 in this paragraph.