

**SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
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S.F. No. 437

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1.1 A bill for an act
 1.2 relating to telecommunications; education; appropriating money for
 1.3 telecommunications aid to libraries and schools.

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

1.5 Section 1. **TELECOMMUNICATIONS AID FOR LIBRARIES AND SCHOOLS;**
 1.6 **APPROPRIATIONS.**

1.7 (a) \$6,600,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2016 from the general fund to the
 1.8 commissioner of education for library telecommunications aid under Minnesota Statutes,
 1.9 section 134.355. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until expended.

1.10 (b) \$9,750,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2016 from the general fund to the
 1.11 commissioner of education for telecommunications/Internet access equity aid under
 1.12 Minnesota Statutes, section 125B.26. This is a onetime appropriation and is available
 1.13 until expended.