

- 1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 278, the first engrossment, as follows:
- 1.2 Page 3, after line 6, insert:
- 1.3 **"Sec. 3. [144.999] RESEARCH GRANTS.**
- 1.4 (a) The commissioner of health shall establish a competitive grant program to award
- 1.5 grants to conduct research into heart disease, Parkinson's Disease, diabetes, and leukemia.
- 1.6 By June 1, 2016, and by each June 1 thereafter, the commissioner shall award grants to
- 1.7 conduct research into the prevention, treatment, causes, and cures of these diseases.
- 1.8 (b) By January 1, 2017, and each January 1 thereafter, any institutions receiving
- 1.9 grants under this section shall submit a progress report on the use of funds to the
- 1.10 commissioner. The report shall include:
- 1.11 (1) a list of research projects supported by the grant; and
- 1.12 (2) evidence of publications in peer-reviewed journals involving research supported
- 1.13 by projects funded by the grants.
- 1.14 (c) By January 15, 2017, and each January 15 thereafter, the commissioner shall
- 1.15 submit a report on the use of grant funds under this section to the chairs and ranking
- 1.16 minority members of the senate and house of representatives committees and divisions
- 1.17 having jurisdiction over health care policy and funding. The report shall include:
- 1.18 (1) a list of grants;
- 1.19 (2) a summary of projects undertaken under each grant and an explanation of
- 1.20 activities of those projects; and
- 1.21 (3) a review of the effectiveness of the projects contained in each grant."
- 1.22 Page 7, after line 28, insert:
- 1.23 "(e) \$1,500,000 for fiscal year 2016 and \$1,500,000 for fiscal year 2017 is
- 1.24 appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of health for purposes of making
- 1.25 grants under section 144.999."
- 1.26 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references
- 1.27 Amend the title accordingly