

1.5 Section 1. **HELP AMERICA VOTE ACT TRANSFERS AND APPROPRIATIONS;**
 1.6 **SECRETARY OF STATE.**

1.7 (a) \$6,595,610 is appropriated in fiscal year 2019 from the HAVA account established
 1.8 in Minnesota Statutes, section 5.30, to the secretary of state for the purposes of improving
 1.9 the administration and security of elections as authorized by federal law, including but not
 1.10 limited to any of the following activities:

1.11 (1) modernizing, securing, and updating the statewide voter registration system and for
 1.12 cybersecurity upgrades as authorized by federal law;

1.13 (2) improving accessibility;

1.14 (3) preparing training materials and training local election officials;

1.15 (4) implementing security improvements for election systems; and

1.16 (5) funding other activities to improve the security of elections.

1.17 (b) Any amount earned in interest on the amount appropriated under paragraph (a) is
 1.18 appropriated from the HAVA account to the secretary of state for purposes of improving
 1.19 the administration and security of elections as authorized by federal law.

1.20 (c) The appropriations under paragraphs (a) and (b) are onetime and available until
 1.21 March 23, 2023.

2.1 (d) \$167,000 expended by the secretary of state in fiscal years 2018 and 2019 for
 2.2 increasing secure access to the statewide voter registration system is deemed: (1) to be
 2.3 money used for carrying out the purposes authorized under the Omnibus Appropriations
 2.4 Act of 2018, Public Law 115-1410, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002, Public Law
 2.5 107-252, section 101; and (2) to be credited toward any match required by those laws.

2.6 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

2.7 Sec. 3. **SECRETARY OF STATE; HELP AMERICA VOTE ACT**
 2.8 **APPROPRIATION.**

2.9 (a) \$1,534,000 in fiscal year 2019 is appropriated from the account established in
 2.10 Minnesota Statutes, section 5.30, pursuant to the Help America Vote Act, to the secretary
 2.11 of state for the purposes of modernizing, securing, and updating the statewide voter
 2.12 registration system and for cybersecurity upgrades as authorized by federal law. This is a
 2.13 onetime appropriation and is available until March 23, 2023.

2.14 (b) \$163,000 is transferred in fiscal year 2019 from the general fund to the Help America
 2.15 Vote Act account and is credited towards the state match requirement of the Omnibus
 2.16 Appropriations Act of 2018, Public Law 115-1410, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002,
 2.17 Public Law 107-252, section 101.

2.18 (c) \$167,000 expended by the secretary of state in fiscal years 2018 and 2019 for
 2.19 increasing secure access to the statewide voter registration system is deemed: (1) to be
 2.20 money used for carrying out the purposes authorized under the Omnibus Appropriations
 2.21 Act of 2018, Public Law 115-1410, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002, Public Law
 2.22 107-252, section 101; and (2) to be credited toward any match required by those laws.

2.23 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

1.7 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 201.022, is amended by adding a subdivision
 1.8 to read:

1.9 Subd. 4. **Voter records updated due to voting report.** Within two weeks of completion
 1.10 of entering election day registrants into the statewide voter registration system pursuant to
 1.11 section 201.121, subdivision 1, the county auditor must use the statewide voter registration
 1.12 system to produce a report that identifies each voter whose record indicates that it was

- 1.13 updated due to voting. The county auditor must investigate each record that is challenged
1.14 for a reason related to eligibility to determine if the voter appears to have been ineligible
1.15 to vote. If the county auditor determines that a voter appears to have been ineligible to vote
1.16 and either registered to vote or voted in the previous election, the county auditor must notify
1.17 the law enforcement agency or the county attorney as provided in section 201.275.
- 1.18 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 201.022, is amended by adding a subdivision to
1.19 read:
- 1.20 Subd. 5. **Inactive voter report.** The secretary of state must develop a report within the
1.21 statewide voter registration system that provides information on inactive voters who
1.22 registered on election day and were possibly ineligible. For elections on or after June 1,
1.23 2019, within two weeks of completion of entering election day registrants into the statewide
2.1 voter registration system pursuant to section 201.121, subdivision 1, the county auditor
2.2 must use the statewide voter registration system to produce the report. The county auditor
2.3 must investigate each record to determine if the voter appears to have been ineligible to
2.4 vote. If the county auditor determines that a voter appears to have been ineligible to vote
2.5 and registered to vote in the previous election, the county auditor must notify the law
2.6 enforcement agency or the county attorney as provided in section 201.275.