

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 198 as follows:

1.2 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

1.3 "Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; DULUTH AIRPORT AUTHORITY.**

1.4 \$2,000,000 in fiscal year 2027 is appropriated from the state airports fund to the
1.5 commissioner of transportation for a grant to the Duluth Airport Authority to design,
1.6 construct, furnish, and equip a new air traffic control tower at the Duluth International
1.7 Airport, including associated site preparation, building demolition, and utility and stormwater
1.8 retention system improvements. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.98,
1.9 subdivision 14, the commissioner of transportation must not use any amount of this
1.10 appropriation for administrative costs. This appropriation must be spent according to
1.11 Minnesota Statutes, section 360.305, subdivision 4. This appropriation is in addition to the
1.12 appropriation under Laws 2025, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 2,
1.13 subdivision 2, paragraph (a), clause (1). The base for airport development and assistance
1.14 in fiscal year 2028 is increased by \$2,000,000. The base in fiscal year 2029 is \$0. This
1.15 appropriation is available until June 30, 2029."

1.16 Amend the title accordingly