

HOUSE RESEARCH

Bill Summary

FILE NUMBER: H. F. 558

DATE: March 12, 2001

Version: As Introduced

Authors: Swenson and Others

Subject: Funding for Johne's Disease Testing

Analyst: Sam Rankin, 651-296-5047

This publication can be made available in alternative formats upon request. Please call 651-296-6753 (voice); or the Minnesota State Relay Service at 1-800-627-3529 (TTY) for assistance. Summaries are also available on our website at: www.house.mn/hrd.

Section

- 1 **Cattle herd testing; appropriation.** Appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund to the board of animal health for expanding the program for reducing the prevalence of bovine paratuberculosis (Johne's disease) and for identifying test-negative herds as a source for disease-free replacement cattle.