

Subject MNLARS and deputy registrar funding
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Overview

This bill makes appropriations for: (1) the Minnesota Licensing and Registration System (MNLARS); and (2) reimbursement aid to deputy registrars, specifying a formula to distribute the aid. \$11.734 million is provided for each of the two purposes, with the funds coming from the general fund in fiscal year 2019.

Summary

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1	<p>Minnesota Licensing and Registration System (MNLARS) appropriation.</p> <p>Appropriates \$11.734 million from the general fund to the Department of Public Safety for work on MNLARS. The appropriation is for fiscal year 2019, effective the day following enactment. It is not subject to the MNLARS Steering Committee review and sign-off requirements from 2018 supplemental funding legislation.</p>
2	<p>Deputy registrar reimbursements.</p> <p>Appropriates \$11.734 million from the general fund to the Department of Management and Budget for aid to deputy registrars. The appropriation is for fiscal year 2019, effective the day following enactment.</p> <p>The provision specifies the calculation method for aid distribution, excludes transactions and offices operated by Driver and Vehicle Services, and directs Minnesota Management and Budget to distribute the aid by June 30, 2019.</p> <p>The distribution of aid is largely based on proportional shares of transactions handled by the deputy registrars, measured based on instances of filing fees collected:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 10 percent of the aid is distributed equally across the office locations.▪ 45 percent of the aid is distributed based on each deputy registrar's proportional share of transactions over most of fiscal year 2018 and part of fiscal year 2019.▪ 45 percent of the aid is distributed based on each deputy registrar's proportional share of transactions over fiscal years 2015-2017. An average

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	share is used for deputy registrars that have not been in operation over that entire time period.



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