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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to health; appropriating money for transition services for deaf,  
1.3 hard-of-hearing, and deaf-blind students.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; TRANSITION SERVICES.**

1.6 \$720,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of health for the  
1.7 biennium beginning July 1, 2007, for the purpose of providing interpreters for a regional  
1.8 transition program that specializes in providing culturally appropriate transition services  
1.9 that lead to employment for deaf, hard-of-hearing and deaf-blind students.