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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 economic development; appropriating money for the Minnesota Film
1.3 and TV Board; amending Laws 2006, chapter 282, article 11, section 6.

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

1.5 Section 1. Laws 2006, chapter 282, article 11, section 6, is amended to read:

1.6 **Sec. 6. EXPLORE MINNESOTA TOURISM** § **1,700,000**

1.7 For a grant to the Minnesota Film and
1.8 TV Board for reimbursements of up to 15
1.9 percent of film production costs incurred in
1.10 Minnesota, under Minnesota Statutes, section
1.11 116U.26. This appropriation is available for
1.12 films that begin filming on or after May 1,
1.13 2006, and is available until ~~June 30, 2007~~
1.14 expended. This is a onetime appropriation.

1.15 **Sec. 2. APPROPRIATION.**

1.16 \$1,700,000 in fiscal year 2008 and \$1,700,000 in fiscal year 2009 are appropriated
1.17 to the director of Explore Minnesota Tourism for a grant to the Minnesota Film and TV
1.18 Board for the film jobs production program under Minnesota Statutes, section 116U.26.
1.19 These appropriations are available in either year of the biennium and are available until
1.20 expended.