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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 1723

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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to legacy; appropriating money from arts and cultural heritage fund for
1.3 grant to Lao Assistance Center.

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

1.5 Section 1. APPROPRIATION; CULTURAL ARTS PROJECTS AND EXHIBITS.

1.6 \$150,000 in fiscal year 2022 and \$150,000 in fiscal year 2023 are appropriated from the
1.7 arts and cultural heritage fund to the Minnesota Humanities Center for a grant to the Lao
1.8 Assistance Center of Minnesota, in collaboration with The Urban Village and Siengkane
1.9 Lao MN, to work with Karen-American, Lao-American, and Thai-American artists to create
1.10 cultural arts projects and to preserve traditional performances for exhibitions.