

**SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

S.F. No. 1520

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DATE 02/09/2023 D-PG Introduction and first reading OFFICIAL STATUS Referred to Capital Investment

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for Como Zoo; authorizing
1.3 the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

1.5 Section 1. **ST. PAUL; COMO ZOO.**

1.6 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$22,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds
1.7 fund to the Metropolitan Council for a grant to the city of St. Paul for the predesign, design,
1.8 construction, furnishing, and redevelopment for visitor safety of energy-efficient animal
1.9 habitats, operating systems, and expanded visitor accessibility

1.10 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond
1.11 proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of
1.12 the state in an amount up to \$22,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
1.13 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
1.14 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

1.15 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.