

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 858 as follows:

1.2 Page 2, after line 27, insert:

1.3 "**Sec. 5. UNMANNED AIRCRAFT REGISTRATION TAX REFUND;**
1.4 **APPROPRIATION.**

1.5 (a) The commissioner of transportation shall refund the tax paid for the most recent
1.6 registration period on an unmanned aircraft system under Minnesota Statutes, sections
1.7 360.531 to 360.67, to a person who:

1.8 (1) registers and pays the specified fee for the unmanned aircraft system under Minnesota
1.9 Statutes, section 360.55, subdivision 9, for the same registration period or an overlapping
1.10 registration period; or

1.11 (2) is exempt from payment of the tax under Minnesota Statutes, sections 360.531 to
1.12 360.67, and the fee under Minnesota Statutes, section 360.55, subdivision 9, as provided
1.13 under this act.

1.14 (b) An amount necessary for any refunds under paragraph (a) is appropriated in fiscal
1.15 year 2018 from the state airports fund to the commissioner of transportation, for the purposes
1.16 of providing refunds."