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STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR ST. PAUL 55101

May 15, 1971

The Honorable Aubrey W. Dirlam Speaker of the House

Sir:

I am herewith returning without my approval House File No. 1500.

Exemptions to the usury laws, in my judgment, should be rare.

The law which is amended by this bill already exempts loans to corporations from the state's usury laws. Adding a broad exemption that includes individuals, even with a \$100,000 minimum on loans to be exempted, opens a door that I believe should remain closed.

Sincerely,
WENDELL R. ANDERSON
Governor