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	8941	Third reading Passed
05/22/2023		Returned from House with amendment Senate concurred and repassed bill Third reading

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to legislative enactments; correcting miscellaneous oversights,

1.3 inconsistencies, ambiguities, unintended results, and technical errors; amending

1.4 Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 268.057, subdivision 7; Laws 2023, chapter 13,

1.5 article 1, section 7; Laws 2023, chapter 33, section 18; Laws 2023, chapter 37,

1.6 article 2, section 8, subdivision 2; article 6, section 14; Laws 2023, chapter 52,

1.7 article 2, section 3, subdivision 8; article 6, section 10, subdivision 2; 2023 H.F.

1.8 1830, articles 2, section 16, if enacted; 7, section 10, if enacted; 2023 H.F. 2310,

1.9 article 4, if enacted; 2023 H.F. No. 2497, article 1, if enacted.

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

1.11 Section 1. [CORR23-01] Laws 2023, chapter 13, article 1, section 7, is amended to read:

1.12 Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 171.06, is amended by adding a subdivision to

1.13 read:

1.14 Subd. 11. **Noncompliant license or identification card; secondary documents.** (a)

1.15 For purposes of a noncompliant driver's license or identification card, a secondary document

1.16 under Minnesota Rules, part 7410.0400, subpart 3, or successor rules, includes:

1.17 (1) a second primary document listed under subdivision 10, paragraph (a);

1.18 (2) a notice of action on or proof of submission of a completed Application for Asylum

1.19 and for Withholding of Removal issued by the United States Department of Homeland

1.20 Security, Form I-589;

1.21 (3) a Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant Student Status issued by the United

1.22 States Department of Homeland Security, Form I-20;

- 2.1 (4) a Certificate of Eligibility for Exchange Visitor Status issued by the United States
2.2 Department of State, Form DS-2019;
- 2.3 (5) a Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival approval notice issued by the United States
2.4 Department of Homeland Security;
- 2.5 (6) an employment authorization document issued by the United States Department of
2.6 Homeland Security, Form I-688, Form I-688A, Form I-688B, or Form I-766;
- 2.7 (7) a document issued by the ~~Social Security Administration~~ Internal Revenue Service
2.8 with an individual taxpayer identification number;
- 2.9 (8) a Social Security card;
- 2.10 (9) a Supplemental Security Income award statement issued no more than 12 months
2.11 before the application;
- 2.12 (10) an unexpired Selective Service card;
- 2.13 (11) military orders that are still in effect at the time of application;
- 2.14 (12) a Minnesota unemployment insurance benefit statement issued no more than 90
2.15 days before the application;
- 2.16 (13) a valid identification card for health benefits or an assistance or social services
2.17 program;
- 2.18 (14) a Minnesota vehicle certificate of title issued no more than 12 months before the
2.19 application;
- 2.20 (15) mortgage documents for the applicant's residence;
- 2.21 (16) a filed property deed or title for the applicant's residence;
- 2.22 (17) a Minnesota property tax statement for the current or prior calendar year, or a
2.23 proposed Minnesota property tax notice for the current year, that shows the applicant's
2.24 principal residential address both on the mailing portion and the portion stating what property
2.25 is being taxed;
- 2.26 (18) a certified copy of a divorce decree or dissolution of marriage that specifies the
2.27 applicant's name or name change, issued by a court; and
- 2.28 (19) any of the following documents issued by a foreign jurisdiction:
- 2.29 (i) a driver's license that is current or has been expired for five years or less;

3.1 (ii) a high school, college, or university student identification card with a certified
3.2 transcript from the school;

3.3 (iii) an official high school, college, or university transcript that includes the applicant's
3.4 date of birth and a photograph of the applicant at the age the record was issued;

3.5 (iv) a federal electoral card issued on or after January 1, 1991, that contains the applicant's
3.6 photograph;

3.7 (v) a certified copy of the applicant's certificate of marriage; and

3.8 (vi) a certified copy of a court order or judgment from a court of competent jurisdiction
3.9 that contains the applicant's name and date of birth.

3.10 (b) Submission of more than one secondary document is not required under this
3.11 subdivision.

3.12 Sec. 2. [CORR23-03A] Laws 2023, chapter 37, article 6, section 14, is amended to read:

3.13 Sec. 14. **WORKGROUP ON EXPEDITING RENTAL ASSISTANCE.**

3.14 Subdivision 1. **Creation; duties.** A workgroup is created to study how to expedite both
3.15 the processing of applications for rental assistance and for emergency rental assistance and
3.16 the distribution of rental assistance funds to landlords, in order to identify what processes,
3.17 procedures, and technological or personnel resources would be necessary to enable the state
3.18 or county agencies responsible for administering government rental assistance funds,
3.19 including the family homelessness prevention and assistance program, the emergency
3.20 assistance program, and emergency general assistance, to meet the following goals:

3.21 (1) within two weeks of receiving a completed application for rental assistance, make
3.22 and issue a determination on the application; and

3.23 (2) within 30 days of receiving a completed application for rental assistance, issue
3.24 payment on an approved rental application to the landlord.

3.25 Subd. 2. **Membership.** The workgroup shall consist of the following:

3.26 (1) the commissioner of the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency or a designee;

3.27 (2) the commissioner of the Department of Human Services or designee;

3.28 (3) a representative from the Minnesota Multi Housing Association;

3.29 (4) a representative from Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid;

3.30 (5) a representative from HOME Line;

- 4.1 (6) a representative from the United Way;
- 4.2 (7) a representative from the Salvation Army;
- 4.3 (8) a representative from the Community Action Partnership;
- 4.4 (9) a representative from Community Mediation Minnesota;
- 4.5 (10) a representative from the Family Housing Fund;
- 4.6 (11) four county administrators of emergency rental assistance, including two county
- 4.7 administrators who work for metropolitan counties, as defined by Minnesota Statutes, section
- 4.8 473.121, subdivision 4, and two county administrators who work for nonmetropolitan
- 4.9 counties, with one member from each category appointed by the speaker of the house of
- 4.10 representatives and one from each category appointed by the senate majority leader;
- 4.11 (12) one member from the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the
- 4.12 house; and
- 4.13 (13) one member from the senate appointed by the senate majority leader.

4.14 Subd. 3. **Facilitation; organization; meetings.** (a) The Management Analysis Division

4.15 of Minnesota Management and Budget shall facilitate the workgroup and convene the first

4.16 meeting by ~~July~~ September 15, 2023.

4.17 (b) The workgroup must meet at regular intervals as often as necessary to accomplish

4.18 the goals enumerated under subdivision 1.

4.19 (c) Meetings of the workgroup are subject to the Minnesota Open Meeting Law under

4.20 Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13D.

4.21 Subd. 4. **External consultation.** The workgroup shall consult with other individuals

4.22 and organizations that have expertise and experience that may assist the workgroup in

4.23 fulfilling its responsibilities, including entities engaging in additional external stakeholder

4.24 input from those with lived experience and administrators of emergency assistance not

4.25 named to the workgroup, including Minnesota's Tribal nations.

4.26 Subd. 5. **Report required.** The workgroup shall submit a final report by February ~~1~~ 29,

4.27 2024, to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with

4.28 jurisdiction over housing finance and policy. The report shall include draft legislation

4.29 required to implement the proposed legislation.

4.30 ~~Subd. 6. **Expiration.** The workgroup expires upon submission of the final report in~~

4.31 ~~subdivision 5, or February 28, 2024, whichever is later.~~

5.1 Sec. 3. [CORR23-03B] Laws 2023, chapter 37, article 6, section 14, the effective date, is
5.2 amended to read:

5.3 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment and
5.4 expires ~~March 1, 2024~~ the day following sine die adjournment of both bodies of the 93rd
5.5 regular legislative session.

5.6 Sec. 4. [CORR23-04] Laws 2023, chapter 37, article 2, section 8, subdivision 2, is amended
5.7 to read:

5.8 Subd. 2. **Eligible organizations.** To be eligible for a grant under this section an
5.9 organization must:

5.10 (1) be a nonprofit organization that is tax exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal
5.11 Revenue Code that has been doing business in the state for at least ten years as demonstrated
5.12 by registration or filing of organizational documents with the secretary of state;

5.13 (2) have its primary operations located in the state;

5.14 (3) be experiencing significant detrimental financial impact due to recent economic and
5.15 social conditions, including but not limited to decreased operating revenue due to loss of
5.16 rental income or increased operating expenses due to inflation in utility expenses, insurance,
5.17 or other expenses;

5.18 (4) have supportive services options available for the individuals and families residing
5.19 in a portion of the rental housing it provides to low-income populations; and

5.20 (5) provide, as of December 31, 2022, housing units in the state that it owns or controls
5.21 consisting of any of the following:

5.22 (i) at least 1,000 units of naturally occurring affordable housing. For purposes of this
5.23 item, "naturally occurring affordable housing" means multiunit rental housing developments
5.24 that have not received financing from the federal low-income housing tax credit program
5.25 for which the majority of the units have agreements in place to be affordable to individuals
5.26 or families with incomes at or below 60 percent of the area median income as determined
5.27 by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, adjusted for family
5.28 size, and that do not receive project- or other place-based rental subsidies from the federal
5.29 government;

5.30 (ii) rental housing units, not including naturally occurring affordable housing, of which
5.31 50 percent of the total number of units are rented to individuals or families whose annual
5.32 incomes, according to the most recent income certification as of December 31, 2022, are

6.1 at or below 30 percent of the area median income as determined by the United States
 6.2 Department of Housing and Urban Development, adjusted for family size; or

6.3 (iii) at least 250 units of permanent supportive housing, as defined in Minnesota Statutes,
 6.4 section 462A.36, subdivision 1, paragraph (e).

6.5 Sec. 5. [CORR23-06] 2023 H.F. No. 2310, article 4, if enacted during the 2023 regular
 6.6 legislative session, is amended to add:

6.7 Sec. 113. EFFECTIVE DATE.

6.8 H.F. No. 2310, article 4, sections 22 and 29 to 34, are effective January 1, 2024.

6.9 EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective at the time H.F. No. 2310, article 4,
 6.10 sections 22 and 29 to 34, are effective and only if H.F. No. 2310 is enacted in the 2023
 6.11 regular legislative session.

6.12 Sec. 6. [CORR23-07] 2023 H.F. No. 2497, article 1, if enacted during the 2023 regular
 6.13 legislative session, is amended to add a section to read:

6.14 Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 126C.05, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

6.15 Subdivision 1. **Pupil unit.** Pupil units for each Minnesota resident pupil under the age
 6.16 of 21 or who meets the requirements of section 120A.20, subdivision 1, paragraph (c), in
 6.17 average daily membership enrolled in the district of residence, in another district under
 6.18 sections 123A.05 to 123A.08, 124D.03, 124D.08, or 124D.68; in a charter school under
 6.19 chapter 124E; or for whom the resident district pays tuition under section 123A.18, 123A.22,
 6.20 123A.30, 123A.32, 123A.44, 123A.488, 123B.88, subdivision 4, 124D.04, 124D.05, 125A.03
 6.21 to 125A.24, 125A.51, or 125A.65, shall be counted according to this subdivision.

6.22 (a) A prekindergarten pupil with a disability who is enrolled in a program approved by
 6.23 the commissioner and has an individualized education program is counted as the ratio of
 6.24 the number of hours of assessment and education service to 825 times 1.0 with a minimum
 6.25 average daily membership of 0.28, but not more than 1.0 pupil unit.

6.26 (b) A prekindergarten pupil who is assessed but determined not to be disabled is counted
 6.27 as the ratio of the number of hours of assessment service to 825 times 1.0.

6.28 ~~(c) A kindergarten pupil with a disability who is enrolled in a program approved by the~~
 6.29 ~~commissioner is counted as the ratio of the number of hours of assessment and education~~

7.1 ~~services required in the fiscal year by the pupil's individualized education program to 875,~~
 7.2 ~~but not more than one.~~

7.3 ~~(d)~~ (c) A prekindergarten pupil who is not included in paragraph (a) or (b) and is enrolled
 7.4 in an approved voluntary prekindergarten program under section 124D.151 is counted as
 7.5 the ratio of the number of hours of instruction to 850 times 1.0, but not more than 0.6 pupil
 7.6 units.

7.7 ~~(e)~~ (d) A kindergarten pupil ~~who is not included in paragraph (e)~~ is counted as 1.0 pupil
 7.8 unit if the pupil is enrolled in a free all-day, every day kindergarten program available to
 7.9 all kindergarten pupils at the pupil's school that meets the minimum hours requirement in
 7.10 section 120A.41, or is counted as .55 pupil unit, if the pupil is not enrolled in a free all-day,
 7.11 every day kindergarten program available to all kindergarten pupils at the pupil's school.

7.12 ~~(f)~~ (e) A pupil who is in any of grades 1 to 6 is counted as 1.0 pupil unit.

7.13 ~~(g)~~ (f) A pupil who is in any of grades 7 to 12 is counted as 1.2 pupil units.

7.14 ~~(h)~~ (g) A pupil who is in the postsecondary enrollment options program is counted as
 7.15 1.2 pupil units.

7.16 ~~(i) For fiscal years 2018 through 2023,~~ (h) A prekindergarten pupil who:

7.17 (1) is not included in paragraph (a), (b), or ~~(d)~~ (c);

7.18 (2) is enrolled in a school readiness plus program under Laws 2017, First Special Session
 7.19 chapter 5, article 8, section 9; and

7.20 (3) has one or more of the risk factors specified by the eligibility requirements for a
 7.21 school readiness plus program,

7.22 is counted as the ratio of the number of hours of instruction to 850 times 1.0, but not more
 7.23 than 0.6 pupil units. A pupil qualifying under this paragraph must be counted in the same
 7.24 manner as a voluntary prekindergarten student for all general education and other school
 7.25 funding formulas.

7.26 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for fiscal year 2024 and later.

8.1 Sec. 7. [CORR23-09] 2023 H.F. No. 1830, article 2, section 16, if enacted, is amended to
8.2 read:

8.3 Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 3.855, is amended by adding a subdivision to
8.4 read:

8.5 Subd. 6. **Information required; collective bargaining agreements, memoranda of**
8.6 **understanding, and interest arbitration awards.** Within 14 days after the implementation
8.7 of a collective bargaining agreement, memorandum of understanding, or receipt of an interest
8.8 arbitration award, the commissioner of management and budget must submit to the
8.9 Legislative Coordinating Commission the following:

8.10 (1) a copy of the collective bargaining agreement showing changes from previous
8.11 agreements and a copy of the executed agreement;

8.12 (2) a copy of any memorandum of understanding that has a fiscal impact, or ~~interest,~~ ~~or~~
8.13 arbitration award;

8.14 (3) a comparison of biennial compensation costs under the current agreement to the
8.15 projected biennial compensation costs under the new agreement, memorandum of
8.16 understanding, or ~~interest,~~ ~~or~~ arbitration award; and

8.17 (4) a comparison of biennial compensation costs under the current agreement to the
8.18 projected biennial compensation costs for the following biennium under the new agreement,
8.19 memorandum of understanding, or ~~interest,~~ ~~or~~ arbitration award.

8.20 Sec. 8. [CORR23-10] Laws 2023, chapter 52, article 6, section 10, subdivision 2, is
8.21 amended to read:

8.22 Subd. 2. **Prosecutor-initiated sentence adjustment.** The prosecutor for the jurisdiction
8.23 responsible for the prosecution of an individual convicted of a crime may commence a
8.24 proceeding to adjust the sentence of that individual at any time after the initial sentencing
8.25 provided the prosecutor does not seek to increase the period of confinement or, if the
8.26 individual is serving a stayed sentence, increase the period of supervision.

9.1 Sec. 9. [CORR23-11] 2023 H.F. No. 1830, article 7, section 10, if enacted, is amended to
9.2 read:

9.3 Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 16B.98, is amended by adding a subdivision to
9.4 read:

9.5 Subd. 14. **Administrative costs.** Unless amounts are otherwise appropriated for
9.6 administrative costs, a state agency may retain up to five percent of the amount appropriated
9.7 to the agency for grants enacted by the legislature and formula grants and up to ten percent
9.8 for competitively awarded grants. This subdivision applies to appropriations made for new
9.9 grant programs enacted on or after the effective date of this subdivision. This subdivision
9.10 does not apply to grants funded with an appropriation of proceeds from the sale of state
9.11 general obligation bonds.

9.12 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2023, and applies to grants issued
9.13 on or after that date.

9.14 Sec. 10. [CORR23-02A] Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 268.057, subdivision 7, is
9.15 amended to read:

9.16 Subd. 7. **Credit adjustments, refunds.** (a) If an employer makes an application for a
9.17 credit adjustment of any amount paid under this chapter or section 116L.20 within four
9.18 years of the date that the payment was due, in a manner and format prescribed by the
9.19 commissioner, and the commissioner determines that the payment or any portion was
9.20 erroneous, the commissioner must make an adjustment and issue a credit without interest.
9.21 If a credit cannot be used, the commissioner must refund, without interest, the amount
9.22 erroneously paid. The commissioner, on the commissioner's own motion, may make a credit
9.23 adjustment or refund under this subdivision.

9.24 Any refund returned to the commissioner is considered unclaimed property under chapter
9.25 345.

9.26 (b) If a credit adjustment or refund is denied in whole or in part, a determination of
9.27 denial must be sent to the employer by mail or electronic transmission. The determination
9.28 of denial is final unless an employer files an appeal within ~~20~~45 calendar days after sending.
9.29 Proceedings on the appeal are conducted in accordance with section 268.105.

9.30 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for determinations issued on or after
9.31 May 5, 2024.

10.1 Sec. 11. [CORR23-02B] Laws 2023, chapter 33, section 18, is amended to read:

10.2 Sec. 18. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 268.105, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

10.3 Subd. 2. **Request for reconsideration.** (a) Any party, or the commissioner, may within
10.4 ~~20~~ 45 calendar days of the sending of the unemployment law judge's decision under
10.5 subdivision 1a, file a request for reconsideration asking the judge to reconsider that decision.

10.6 (b) Upon a request for reconsideration having been filed, the chief unemployment law
10.7 judge must send a notice, by mail or electronic transmission, to all parties that a request for
10.8 reconsideration has been filed. The notice must inform the parties:

10.9 (1) that reconsideration is the procedure for the unemployment law judge to correct any
10.10 factual or legal mistake in the decision, or to order an additional hearing when appropriate;

10.11 (2) of the opportunity to provide comment on the request for reconsideration, and the
10.12 right under subdivision 5 to obtain a copy of any recorded testimony and exhibits offered
10.13 or received into evidence at the hearing;

10.14 (3) that providing specific comments as to a perceived factual or legal mistake in the
10.15 decision, or a perceived mistake in procedure during the hearing, will assist the
10.16 unemployment law judge in deciding the request for reconsideration;

10.17 (4) of the right to obtain any comments and submissions provided by any other party
10.18 regarding the request for reconsideration; and

10.19 (5) of the provisions of paragraph (c) regarding additional evidence.

10.20 This paragraph does not apply if paragraph (d) is applicable. Sending the notice does not
10.21 mean the unemployment law judge has decided the request for reconsideration was timely
10.22 filed.

10.23 (c) In deciding a request for reconsideration, the unemployment law judge must not
10.24 consider any evidence that was not submitted at the hearing, except for purposes of
10.25 determining whether to order an additional hearing.

10.26 The unemployment law judge must order an additional hearing if a party shows that
10.27 evidence which was not submitted at the hearing:

10.28 (1) would likely change the outcome of the decision and there was good cause for not
10.29 having previously submitted that evidence; or

10.30 (2) would show that the evidence that was submitted at the hearing was likely false and
10.31 that the likely false evidence had an effect on the outcome of the decision.

11.1 "Good cause" for purposes of this paragraph is a reason that would have prevented a
11.2 reasonable person acting with due diligence from submitting the evidence.

11.3 (d) If the party who filed the request for reconsideration failed to participate in the
11.4 hearing, the unemployment law judge must issue an order setting aside the decision and
11.5 ordering an additional hearing if the party who failed to participate had good cause for
11.6 failing to do so. The party who failed to participate in the hearing must be informed of the
11.7 requirement to show good cause for failing to participate. If the unemployment law judge
11.8 determines that good cause for failure to participate has not been shown, the judge must
11.9 state that in the decision issued under paragraph (f).

11.10 Submission of a written statement at the hearing does not constitute participation for
11.11 purposes of this paragraph.

11.12 "Good cause" for purposes of this paragraph is a reason that would have prevented a
11.13 reasonable person acting with due diligence from participating in the hearing.

11.14 (e) A request for reconsideration must be decided by the unemployment law judge who
11.15 issued the decision under subdivision 1a unless that judge:

11.16 (1) is no longer employed by the department;

11.17 (2) is on an extended or indefinite leave; or

11.18 (3) has been removed from the proceedings by the chief unemployment law judge.

11.19 (f) If a request for reconsideration is timely filed, the unemployment law judge must
11.20 issue:

11.21 (1) a decision affirming the findings of fact, reasons for decision, and decision issued
11.22 under subdivision 1a;

11.23 (2) a decision modifying the findings of fact, reasons for decision, and decision under
11.24 subdivision 1a; or

11.25 (3) an order setting aside the findings of fact, reasons for decision, and decision issued
11.26 under subdivision 1a, and ordering an additional hearing.

11.27 The unemployment law judge must issue a decision dismissing the request for
11.28 reconsideration as untimely if the judge decides the request for reconsideration was not
11.29 filed within 45 calendar days after the sending of the decision under subdivision 1a.

11.30 The unemployment law judge must send to all parties, by mail or electronic transmission,
11.31 the decision or order issued under this subdivision. A decision affirming or modifying the
11.32 previously issued findings of fact, reasons for decision, and decision, or a decision dismissing

12.1 the request for reconsideration as untimely, is the final decision on the matter and is binding
 12.2 on the parties unless judicial review is sought under subdivision 7.

12.3 Sec. 12. [CORR23-05] Laws 2023, chapter 52, article 2, section 3, subdivision 8, is
 12.4 amended to read:

12.5 **Subd. 8. Office of Justice Programs** 94,758,000 80,434,000

12.6 Appropriations by Fund

12.7 General 94,662,000 80,338,000

12.8 State Government

12.9 Special Revenue 96,000 96,000

12.10 **(a) Domestic and Sexual Violence Housing**

12.11 \$1,500,000 each year is to establish a
 12.12 Domestic Violence Housing First grant
 12.13 program to provide resources for survivors of
 12.14 violence to access safe and stable housing and
 12.15 for staff to provide mobile advocacy and
 12.16 expertise in housing resources in their
 12.17 community and a Minnesota Domestic and
 12.18 Sexual Violence Transitional Housing
 12.19 program to develop and support medium to
 12.20 long term transitional housing for survivors
 12.21 of domestic and sexual violence with
 12.22 supportive services. The base for this
 12.23 appropriation is \$1,000,000 beginning in fiscal
 12.24 year 2026.

12.25 **(b) Federal Victims of Crime Funding Gap**

12.26 \$11,000,000 each year is to fund services for
 12.27 victims of domestic violence, sexual assault,
 12.28 child abuse, and other crimes. This is a
 12.29 onetime appropriation.

12.30 **(c) Office for Missing and Murdered Black**

12.31 **Women and Girls**

- 13.1 \$1,248,000 each year is to establish and
13.2 maintain the Minnesota Office for Missing
13.3 and Murdered Black Women and Girls.
- 13.4 **(d) Increased Staffing**
- 13.5 \$667,000 the first year and \$1,334,000 the
13.6 second year are to increase staffing in the
13.7 Office of Justice Programs for grant
13.8 monitoring and compliance; provide training
13.9 and technical assistance to grantees and
13.10 potential grantees; conduct community
13.11 outreach and engagement to improve the
13.12 experiences and outcomes of applicants, grant
13.13 recipients, and crime victims throughout
13.14 Minnesota; expand the Minnesota Statistical
13.15 Analysis Center; and increase staffing for the
13.16 crime victim reimbursement program and the
13.17 Crime Victim Justice Unit.
- 13.18 **(e) Office of Restorative Practices**
- 13.19 \$500,000 each year is to establish and
13.20 maintain the Office of Restorative Practices.
- 13.21 **(f) Crossover and Dual-Status Youth Model**
13.22 **Grants**
- 13.23 \$1,000,000 each year is to provide grants to
13.24 local units of government to initiate or expand
13.25 crossover youth practices model and
13.26 dual-status youth programs that provide
13.27 services for youth who are involved with or
13.28 at risk of becoming involved with both the
13.29 child welfare and juvenile justice systems, in
13.30 accordance with the Robert F. Kennedy
13.31 National Resource Center for Juvenile Justice
13.32 model. This is a onetime appropriation.
- 13.33 **(g) Restorative Practices Initiatives Grants**

14.1 \$4,000,000 each year is for grants to establish
14.2 and support restorative practices initiatives
14.3 pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section
14.4 299A.95, subdivision 6. The base for this
14.5 appropriation is \$2,500,000 beginning in fiscal
14.6 year 2026.

14.7 **(h) Ramsey County Youth Treatment**

14.8 **Homes Acquisition and Betterment**

14.9 \$5,000,000 the first year is for a grant to
14.10 Ramsey County to establish, with input from
14.11 community stakeholders, including impacted
14.12 youth and families, up to seven intensive
14.13 trauma-informed therapeutic treatment homes
14.14 in Ramsey County that are licensed by the
14.15 Department of Human Services, that are
14.16 culturally specific, that are community-based,
14.17 and that can be secured. These residential
14.18 spaces must provide intensive treatment and
14.19 intentional healing for youth as ordered by the
14.20 court as part of the disposition of a case in
14.21 juvenile court.

14.22 **(i) Ramsey County Violence Prevention**

14.23 \$5,000,000 the first year is for a grant to
14.24 Ramsey County to award grants to develop
14.25 new and further enhance existing
14.26 community-based organizational support
14.27 through violence prevention and community
14.28 wellness grants. Grantees must use the money
14.29 to create family support groups and resources
14.30 to support families during the time a young
14.31 person is placed out of home following a
14.32 juvenile delinquency adjudication and support
14.33 the family through the period of postplacement
14.34 reentry; create community-based respite
14.35 options for conflict or crisis de-escalation to

15.1 prevent incarceration or further systems
15.2 involvement for families; or establish
15.3 additional meaningful employment
15.4 opportunities for systems-involved youth. This
15.5 appropriation is available through June 30,
15.6 2027.

15.7 **(j) Office for Missing and Murdered**

15.8 **Indigenous Relatives**

15.9 \$274,000 each year is for increased staff and
15.10 operating costs of the Office for Missing and
15.11 Murdered Indigenous Relatives, the Missing
15.12 and Murdered Indigenous Relatives Advisory
15.13 Board, and the Gaagige-Mikwendaagoziwag
15.14 reward advisory group.

15.15 **(k) Youth Intervention Programs**

15.16 \$3,525,000 the first year and \$3,526,000 the
15.17 second year are for youth intervention
15.18 programs under Minnesota Statutes, section
15.19 299A.73. The base for this appropriation is
15.20 \$3,526,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$3,525,000
15.21 in fiscal year 2027.

15.22 **(l) Community Crime Intervention and**

15.23 **Prevention Grants**

15.24 \$750,000 each year is for community crime
15.25 intervention and prevention program grants,
15.26 authorized under Minnesota Statutes, section
15.27 299A.296. This is a onetime appropriation.

15.28 **(m) Resources for Victims of Crime**

15.29 \$1,000,000 each year is for general crime
15.30 victim grants to meet the needs of victims of
15.31 crime not covered by domestic violence,
15.32 sexual assault, or child abuse services. This is
15.33 a onetime appropriation.

16.1 **(n) Prosecutor Training**

16.2 \$100,000 each year is for a grant to the
16.3 Minnesota County Attorneys Association to
16.4 be used for prosecutorial and law enforcement
16.5 training, including trial school training and
16.6 train-the-trainer courses. All training funded
16.7 with grant proceeds must contain blocks of
16.8 instruction on racial disparities in the criminal
16.9 justice system, collateral consequences to
16.10 criminal convictions, and trauma-informed
16.11 responses to victims. This is a onetime
16.12 appropriation.

16.13 The Minnesota County Attorneys Association
16.14 must report to the chairs and ranking minority
16.15 members of the legislative committees with
16.16 jurisdiction over public safety policy and
16.17 finance on the training provided with grant
16.18 proceeds, including a description of each
16.19 training and the number of prosecutors and
16.20 law enforcement officers who received
16.21 training. The report is due by February 15,
16.22 2025. The report may include trainings
16.23 scheduled to be completed after the date of
16.24 submission with an estimate of expected
16.25 participants.

16.26 **(o) Minnesota Heals**

16.27 \$500,000 each year is for the Minnesota Heals
16.28 grant program. This is a onetime
16.29 appropriation.

16.30 **(p) Sexual Assault Exam Costs**

16.31 \$3,967,000 the first year and \$3,767,000 the
16.32 second year are to reimburse qualified health
16.33 care providers for the expenses associated with
16.34 medical examinations administered to victims

17.1 of criminal sexual conduct as required under
17.2 Minnesota Statutes, section 609.35, and for
17.3 costs to administer the program. The base for
17.4 this appropriation is \$3,771,000 in fiscal year
17.5 2026 and \$3,776,000 in fiscal year 2027.

17.6 **(q) First Responder Mental Health**

17.7 **Curriculum**

17.8 \$75,000 each year is for a grant to the Adler
17.9 graduate school. The grantee must use the
17.10 grant to develop a curriculum for a 24-week
17.11 certificate to train licensed therapists to
17.12 understand the nuances, culture, and stressors
17.13 of the work environments of first responders
17.14 to allow those therapists to provide effective
17.15 treatment to first responders in distress. The
17.16 grantee must collaborate with first responders
17.17 who are familiar with the psychological,
17.18 cultural, and professional issues of their field
17.19 to develop the curriculum and promote it upon
17.20 completion.

17.21 The grantee may provide the program online.

17.22 The grantee must seek to recruit additional
17.23 participants from outside the 11-county
17.24 metropolitan area.

17.25 The grantee must create a resource directory
17.26 to provide law enforcement agencies with
17.27 names of counselors who complete the
17.28 program and other resources to support law
17.29 enforcement professionals with overall
17.30 wellness. The grantee shall collaborate with
17.31 the Department of Public Safety and law
17.32 enforcement organizations to promote the
17.33 directory. This is a onetime appropriation.

17.34 **(r) Pathways to Policing**

18.1 \$400,000 each year is for reimbursement
18.2 grants to state and local law enforcement
18.3 agencies that operate pathway to policing
18.4 programs. Applicants for reimbursement
18.5 grants may receive up to 50 percent of the cost
18.6 of compensating and training program
18.7 participants. Reimbursement grants shall be
18.8 proportionally allocated based on the number
18.9 of grant applications approved by the
18.10 commissioner. This is a onetime appropriation.

18.11 **(s) Direct Assistance to Crime Victim**

18.12 **Survivors**

18.13 \$5,000,000 each year is to provide grants for
18.14 direct services and advocacy for victims of
18.15 sexual assault, general crime, domestic
18.16 violence, and child abuse. Funding must
18.17 support the direct needs of organizations
18.18 serving victims of crime by providing: direct
18.19 client assistance to crime victims; competitive
18.20 wages for direct service staff; hotel stays and
18.21 other housing-related supports and services;
18.22 culturally responsive programming; prevention
18.23 programming, including domestic abuse
18.24 transformation and restorative justice
18.25 programming; and for other needs of
18.26 organizations and crime victim survivors.
18.27 Services funded must include services for
18.28 victims of crime in underserved communities
18.29 most impacted by violence and reflect the
18.30 ethnic, racial, economic, cultural, and
18.31 geographic diversity of the state. The office
18.32 shall prioritize culturally specific programs,
18.33 or organizations led and staffed by persons of
18.34 color that primarily serve communities of
18.35 color, when allocating funds.

19.1 **(t) Racially Diverse Youth**

19.2 \$250,000 each year is for grants to
19.3 organizations to address racial disparity of
19.4 youth using shelter services in the Rochester
19.5 and St. Cloud regional areas. Of this amount,
19.6 \$125,000 each year is to address this issue in
19.7 the Rochester area and \$125,000 each year is
19.8 to address this issue in the St. Cloud area. A
19.9 grant recipient shall establish and operate a
19.10 pilot program connected to shelter services to
19.11 engage in community intervention outreach,
19.12 mobile case management, family reunification,
19.13 aftercare, and follow up when family members
19.14 are released from shelter services. A pilot
19.15 program must specifically address the high
19.16 number of racially diverse youth that enter
19.17 shelters in the regions. This is a onetime
19.18 appropriation.

19.19 **(u) Violence Prevention Project Research**
19.20 **Center**

19.21 \$500,000 each year is for a grant to the
19.22 Violence Prevention Project Research Center,
19.23 operating as a 501(c)(3) organization, for
19.24 research focused on reducing violence in
19.25 society that uses data and analysis to improve
19.26 criminal justice-related policy and practice in
19.27 Minnesota. Research must place an emphasis
19.28 on issues related to deaths and injuries
19.29 involving firearms. This is a onetime
19.30 appropriation.

19.31 Beginning January 15, 2025, the Violence
19.32 Prevention Project Research Center must
19.33 submit an annual report to the chairs and
19.34 ranking minority members of the legislative
19.35 committees with jurisdiction over public safety

20.1 policy and finance on its work and findings.

20.2 The report must include a description of the

20.3 data reviewed, an analysis of that data, and

20.4 recommendations to improve criminal

20.5 justice-related policy and practice in

20.6 Minnesota with specific recommendations to

20.7 address deaths and injuries involving firearms.

20.8 **(v) Report on Approaches to Address Illicit**

20.9 **Drug Use in Minnesota**

20.10 \$118,000 each year is to enter into an

20.11 agreement with Rise Research LLC for a study

20.12 and set of reports on illicit drug use in

20.13 Minnesota describing current responses to that

20.14 use, reviewing alternative approaches utilized

20.15 in other jurisdictions, and making policy and

20.16 funding recommendations for a holistic and

20.17 effective response to illicit drug use and the

20.18 illicit drug trade. The agreement must establish

20.19 a budget and schedule with clear deliverables.

20.20 This appropriation is onetime.

20.21 The study must include a review of current

20.22 policies, practices, and funding; identification

20.23 of alternative approaches utilized effectively

20.24 in other jurisdictions; and policy and funding

20.25 recommendations for a response to illicit drug

20.26 use and the illicit drug trade that reduces and,

20.27 where possible, prevents harm and expands

20.28 individual and community health, safety, and

20.29 autonomy. Recommendations must consider

20.30 impacts on public safety, racial equity,

20.31 accessibility of health and ancillary supportive

20.32 social services, and the intersections between

20.33 drug policy and mental health, housing and

20.34 homelessness, overdose and infectious disease,

20.35 child welfare, and employment.

21.1 Rise Research may subcontract and coordinate
21.2 with other organizations or individuals to
21.3 conduct research, provide analysis, and
21.4 prepare the reports required by this section.

21.5 Rise Research shall submit reports to the
21.6 chairs and ranking minority members of the
21.7 legislative committees with jurisdiction over
21.8 public safety finance and policy, human
21.9 services finance and policy, health finance and
21.10 policy, and judiciary finance and policy. Rise
21.11 Research shall submit an initial report by
21.12 February 15, 2024, and a final report by March
21.13 1, 2025.

21.14 **(w) Legal Representation for Children**

21.15 \$150,000 each year is for a grant to an
21.16 organization that provides legal representation
21.17 for children in need of protection or services
21.18 and children in out-of-home placement. The
21.19 grant is contingent upon a match in an equal
21.20 amount from nonstate funds. The match may
21.21 be in kind, including the value of volunteer
21.22 attorney time, in cash, or a combination of the
21.23 two. These appropriations are in addition to
21.24 any other appropriations for the legal
21.25 representation of children. This appropriation
21.26 is onetime.

21.27 **(x) Pretrial Release Study and Report**

21.28 \$250,000 each year are for a grant to the
21.29 Minnesota Justice Research Center to study
21.30 and report on pretrial release practices in
21.31 Minnesota and other jurisdictions, including
21.32 but not limited to the use of bail as a condition
21.33 of pretrial release. This appropriation is
21.34 onetime.

22.1 **(y) Intensive Comprehensive Peace Officer**

22.2 **Education and Training Program**

22.3 \$5,000,000 the first year is to implement the

22.4 intensive comprehensive peace officer

22.5 education and training program described in

22.6 Minnesota Statutes, section 626.8516. This

22.7 appropriation is available through June 30,

22.8 2027.

22.9 **(z) Youth Services Office**

22.10 \$250,000 each year is to operate the Youth

22.11 Services Office.

22.12 Sec. 13. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

22.13 Unless otherwise provided, each section of this act is effective at the time the provision

22.14 being corrected is effective.