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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

H. F. No. 3134

03/27/2023 Authored by Igo, Bliss, Davis, Joy, Hudson and others The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy

A bill for an act 1.1

relating to public safety; appropriating money for law enforcement mental health 1.2 treatment grants. 1.3

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION; LAW ENFORCEMENT MENTAL HEALTH 1.5 TREATMENT GRANTS.

\$12,500,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$12,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of public safety for a grant program to fund mental health treatment services for current and former law enforcement officers, correctional officers, and 911 telecommunicators who have employment-related mental health conditions. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations or other licensed entities that provide mental health or substance use disorder treatment services and supports or that specialize in facilitating these services for current and former law enforcement officers, correctional officers, and 911 telecommunicators. The commissioner shall ensure that grants are distributed to grantees in both rural and urban counties, and shall require grantees to use all available third-party reimbursement sources as a condition of receiving grant funds. The commissioner may collaborate and consult with the commissioner of human services as necessary when evaluating grant applications and awarding grants under this section. This is a onetime appropriation.

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