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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to public safety; creating an automatic inflationary increase for certain

1.3 peace officer training reimbursement appropriations; limiting the use of certain

1.4 law enforcement training reimbursement grants; appropriating money; amending

1.5 Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 13, subdivision 4, as

1.6 amended.

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

1.8 Section 1. Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 13, subdivision

1.9 4, as amended by Laws 2020, Second Special Session chapter 1, section 26, is amended to

1.10 read:

1.11 Subd. 4. **Peace Officer Training Assistance**

1.12 \$6,000,000 each year is to support and

1.13 strengthen law enforcement training and

1.14 implement best practices. These funds may

1.15 only be used to reimburse costs related to

1.16 training courses that qualify for reimbursement

1.17 under Minnesota Statutes, sections 626.8469

1.18 (training in crisis response, conflict

1.19 management, and cultural diversity) and

1.20 626.8474 (autism training). The base for this

1.21 activity is \$0 in fiscal year ~~2024~~ 2025 and

1.22 thereafter. This section shall be known as the

1.23 Philando Castile peace officer training

1.24 assistance program.

2.1 Sec. 2. **PEACE OFFICER TRAINING REIMBURSEMENTS; APPROPRIATION.**

2.2 \$2,949,000 in fiscal year 2022 and \$3,022,000 in fiscal year 2023 are appropriated from
2.3 the general fund to the Peace Officer Standards and Training Board for reimbursements to
2.4 local governments for peace officer training costs. This appropriation is added to the agency's
2.5 base and the commissioner of management and budget must adjust the appropriation each
2.6 year to reflect the projected consumer price index.