A bill for an act
relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the MERIT Center in Marshall; authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds.

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

Section 1. **MERIT CENTER, MARSHALL.**

Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** $....... is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund to the commissioner of public safety for a grant to the city of Marshall to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip Phase II of the Minnesota Emergency Response and Industry Training (MERIT) Center, including driving courses, shooting range, a multiuse, three-story gas fire sims, hazmat area, tactical maze, and other training facilities.

Subd. 2. **Bond sale authorization.** To provide the money appropriated in subdivision 1 from the bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of finance shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to $....... in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.