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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 2468

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to worker safety; appropriating money for initiatives to promote mental
1.3 health in the construction industry.

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

1.5 Section 1. APPROPRIATION; CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY MENTAL HEALTH
1.6 INITIATIVES.

1.7 \$500,000 in fiscal year 2026 and \$500,000 in fiscal year 2027 are appropriated from the
1.8 general fund to the commissioner of labor and industry for initiatives to promote mental
1.9 health in the construction industry and prevent suicide. Money may be used for outreach,
1.10 education, development of resources related to stigma reduction and worksite strategies,
1.11 and grants to industry groups for related activities. These are onetime appropriations and
1.12 are available until June 30, 2027.