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SENATE STATE OF MINNESOTA **NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

A bill for an act

relating to economic development; appropriating money for a grant to the Power

S.F. No. 5063

(SENATE AUTHORS: CHAMPION)

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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Jobs and Economic Development

1.3	of People Leadership Institute.
1.4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
1.5	Section 1. APPROPRIATION.
1.6	\$6,500,000 in fiscal year 2025 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner
1.7	of employment and economic development for a grant to the Power of People Leadership
1.8	Institute (POPLI). This is a onetime appropriation. Of this amount:
1.9	(1) \$2,500,000 is to support the transformation of a vacant warehouse into an expanded
1.10	POPLI facility space for youth programs focused on the decrease in crime and violence
1.11	caused by disengaged youth;
1.12	(2) \$1,500,000 is to support the transformation of a vacant warehouse into an expanded
1.13	POPLI facility for two adult programs focused on securing gainful employment for previously
1.14	incarcerated community members; and
1.15	(3) \$2,500,000 is to support the transformation of a vacant warehouse into an expanded

POPLI facility for a small business incubator for entrepreneurs of color.

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