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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
NINETY-THIRD SESSION

S.F. No. 2370

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03/02/2023	1264	Introduction and first reading Referred to Education Finance

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A bill for an act

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relating to children; appropriating money for a grant to the Power of People Youth

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Leadership Institute.

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

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Section 1. APPROPRIATIONS; POWER OF PEOPLE YOUTH LEADERSHIP

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INSTITUTE.

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\$1,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$1,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from

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the general fund to the commissioner of human services for a grant to the Power of People

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Youth Leadership Institute for the Boys of Hope program. The Boys of Hope program will

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provide boys with weekly mentoring; assist boys with high school enrollment, high school

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academic work, and earning credits toward graduation from high school; connect boys with

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health and wellness counseling; connect boys with therapy resources; and provide boys

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with financial education focusing on money management skills. The goal of the Power of

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the People Youth Leadership Institute's Boys of Hope program is to increase high school

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graduation rates among boys, increase academic engagement for boys, prevent boys from

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engaging in criminal behavior through positive mentoring and increasing academic

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engagement, and decrease the rate of violence in the boys' community.