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A bill for an act

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relating to solid waste; appropriating money for demonstration project.

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

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Section 1. APPROPRIATION.

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\$2,850,000 in fiscal year 2016 is appropriated from the general fund to the

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commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency for a grant to a solid waste management

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company in Delano to construct an innovative municipal solid waste processing facility

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with an annual capacity of up to 125,000 tons as a demonstration project to manage

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organics through the use of an emerging technology to recover organic material and

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nonrecyclable paper, which represents half the volume of material that is currently placed in

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a landfill, and process it in a high solids anaerobic digester to produce Class I or II compost

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and compressed natural gas for use in the company's solid waste collection vehicles. This

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appropriation may be used to pay no more than 15 percent of the total project costs.