

SENATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION

S.F. No. 2365

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03/08/2016	4908	Introduction and first reading Referred to Finance

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A bill for an act

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relating to human services; adding a supplemental rate for a group residential

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housing provider; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 256I.05, by adding

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a subdivision.

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

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 256I.05, is amended by adding a

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subdivision to read:

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Subd. 1p. **Supplementary rate; St. Louis County.** (a) Notwithstanding the

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provisions of subdivisions 1a and 1c, beginning July 1, 2016, a county agency shall

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negotiate a supplementary rate in addition to the rate specified in subdivision 1, not to

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exceed \$700 per month, including any legislatively authorized inflationary adjustments,

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for a group residential housing provider that:

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(1) is located in St. Louis County and has had a group residential housing contract

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with the county since July 2015;

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(2) operates a 35-bed facility;

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(3) serves women who are chemically dependent, mentally ill, or both;

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(4) provides 24-hour per day supervision;

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(5) provides onsite support with skilled professionals, including a licensed practical

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nurse, registered nurses, peer specialists, and resident counselors; and

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(6) provides independent living skills training and assistance with family

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reunification.