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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to public safety; extending the deadline for the task force on missing and
1.3 murdered indigenous women to submit a final report; appropriating money for the
1.4 task force on missing and murdered indigenous women; amending Laws 2019,
1.5 First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 12, subdivisions 1, 7; article 2,
1.6 section 28, subdivisions 4, 5.

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

1.8 Section 1. Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 12, subdivision
1.9 1, is amended to read:

1.10 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** \$ 199,198,000 \$ ~~198,864,000~~
1.11 199,190,000

1.12 Appropriations by Fund

	2020	2021
1.13		
1.14		104,565,000
1.15	General 104,829,000	<u>104,898,000</u>
1.16	Special Revenue 13,926,000	13,926,000
1.17	State Government	
1.18	Special Revenue 103,000	103,000
1.19	Environmental 73,000	73,000
1.20	Trunk Highway 2,429,000	2,429,000
1.21	911 Fund 77,838,000	77,768,000

1.22 The amounts that may be spent for each
1.23 purpose are specified in the following
1.24 subdivisions.

2.1 Sec. 2. Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 12, subdivision 7, is
2.2 amended to read:

2.3			40,082,000
2.4	Subd. 7. Office of Justice Programs	40,147,000	<u>40,408,000</u>

2.5 Appropriations by Fund

2.6			39,986,000
2.7	General	40,051,000	<u>40,312,000</u>
2.8	State Government		
2.9	Special Revenue	96,000	96,000

2.10 (a) **Base Adjustment**

2.11 To account for the base adjustments provided
2.12 in Laws 2018, chapter 211, article 21, section
2.13 1, paragraph (a), the general fund base is
2.14 increased by \$2,000 in fiscal years 2022 and
2.15 2023.

2.16 (b) **Administration Costs**

2.17 Up to 2.5 percent of the grant funds
2.18 appropriated in this subdivision may be used
2.19 by the commissioner to administer the grant
2.20 program.

2.21 (c) **Indigenous Women Task Force**

2.22 \$105,000 the first year and ~~\$45,000~~ \$371,000
2.23 the second year are for expenses related to the
2.24 task force on missing and murdered
2.25 indigenous women. This appropriation is
2.26 available until June 30, 2022. These are
2.27 onetime appropriations.

2.28 (d) **Domestic Abuse Prevention Grants**

2.29 \$200,000 each year is for a grant to a domestic
2.30 abuse prevention program that provides
2.31 interdisciplinary, trauma-informed treatment
2.32 and evidence-informed intervention for
2.33 veterans and current or former service
2.34 members and their whole families affected by

3.1 domestic violence. The grantee must offer a
 3.2 combination of services for perpetrators of
 3.3 domestic violence and their families, including
 3.4 individual and group therapy, evaluation and
 3.5 research of programming, and short- and
 3.6 long-term case management services to ensure
 3.7 stabilization and increase in their overall
 3.8 mental health functioning and well-being.
 3.9 These appropriations are onetime.

3.10 **(e) Criminal Sexual Conduct Statutory**
 3.11 **Reform Working Group**

3.12 \$20,000 the first year and \$14,000 the second
 3.13 year are to convene, administer, and
 3.14 implement the criminal sexual conduct
 3.15 statutory reform working group. These
 3.16 appropriations are onetime.

3.17 Sec. 3. Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 5, article 2, section 28, subdivision 4, is
 3.18 amended to read:

3.19 Subd. 4. **Report.** The task force shall report to the chairs and ranking minority members
 3.20 of the legislative committees and divisions with jurisdiction over public safety, human
 3.21 services, and state government on the work of the task force, including but not limited to
 3.22 the issues to be examined in subdivision 1, and shall include in the report institutional
 3.23 policies and practices or proposed institutional policies and practices that are effective in
 3.24 reducing gender violence and increasing the safety of indigenous women and girls. The
 3.25 report shall include recommendations to reduce and end violence against indigenous women
 3.26 and girls and help victims and communities heal from gender violence and violence against
 3.27 indigenous women and girls. ~~The A~~ report shall be submitted to the legislative committees
 3.28 by December 15, 2020, and a final report shall be submitted by June 30, 2022.

3.29 Sec. 4. Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 5, article 2, section 28, subdivision 5, is
 3.30 amended to read:

3.31 Subd. 5. **Expiration.** Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 15.059, the task force
 3.32 expires ~~December 31, 2020~~ June 30, 2022.