

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1138, the first engrossment, as follows:

1.2 Page 1, delete subdivision 2 and insert:

1.3 "Subd. 2. **Residency funding.** (a) The Professional Educator Licensing and Standards
1.4 Board must award competitive grants to approved teacher preparation providers to provide
1.5 financial support to each teacher candidate who participates in the pilot program, including:

1.6 (1) \$3,000 toward tuition; and

1.7 (2) a \$40,000 stipend.

1.8 (b) Each grantee must provide a \$3,500 stipend to each cooperating teacher responsible
1.9 for supporting teacher candidates during the pilot program."

1.10 Page 2, line 1, delete "to sponsor teacher candidates through" and insert "for"

1.11 Page 2, line 5, delete "residents" and insert "teacher candidates"

1.12 Page 2, line 7, delete "resident" and insert "teacher candidate"

1.13 Page 2, line 11, delete "....." and insert "25"

1.14 Page 2, line 31, delete "residents" and insert "candidates"

1.15 Page 3, line 3, after "initial" insert "Tier 3"

1.16 Page 3, delete line 18 and insert:

1.17 "(c) The board may use up to \$50,000 to enter into a contract with an organization to
1.18 provide technical and administrative support to grantees awarded funds during fiscal years
1.19 2024 and 2025. The board must issue a request for proposals to identify the contracted
1.20 organization.

1.21 (d) Any returned funds are available to be regranted. Grantees may apply to use grant
1.22 money over a period of up to five years."