

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 998, the first division engrossment (DIVH0998-1),
1.2 as follows:

1.3 Page 5, after line 29, insert:

1.4 "Sec. 2. **IMPLEMENTATION OF MILITARY VETERAN OFFENDERS**
1.5 **RESTORATIVE JUSTICE REFORM; APPROPRIATION.**

1.6 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$..... in fiscal year 2020 and \$..... in fiscal year 2021
1.7 are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of veterans affairs. The
1.8 commissioner shall solicit bids for a grant to an organization or organizations that will train
1.9 court staff, prosecutors, defense attorneys, probation officers, treatment providers, and other
1.10 stakeholders on implementation and application of the military veteran offenders restorative
1.11 justice sentence option.

1.12 Subd. 2. **Report.** The grant recipient or recipients must report to the commissioner of
1.13 veterans affairs and the chairs and ranking members of the house and senate committees
1.14 overseeing veterans affairs policy and finance by January 15 of each year. The report must
1.15 include: an overview of how the grant recipient used the grant; the number of veterans and
1.16 service members served by the recipient; and a list and explanation of the services provided
1.17 to stakeholders."

1.18 Amend the title accordingly