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Bill Summary

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Simulator

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Overview

This bill appropriates money for a live burn facility. According to the Governor's 2004 project narrative, the primary purpose of the facility is to "enable experienced fire fighter trainers...to provide a safe, controlled and consistently available environment for area fire fighters. The live burn facility will be constructed to simulate a four-story high-rise building, a two-story commercial building and a single story residential structure using building materials designed to withstand the repeated high temperatures associated with training fires."

Section

- **Appropriation.** Appropriates \$627,000 for the first phase of a regional public safety training center in Rochester to develop a live burn training simulator. Requires at least an equal match from nonstate sources.
- **Bond sale.** Authorizes the sale of state bonds to provide the money appropriated in section 1.
- **Effective date.** Sections 1 and 2 are effective the day following final enactment.