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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill modifies Group Residential Housing (GRH) supplemental rates for facilities in Stearns and St. Louis counties.

GRH is a state-funded income supplement program that pays for room-and-board costs for low-income adults who have been placed in a licensed or registered setting with which a county human service agency has negotiated a monthly rate.

Section

- 1** **Supplementary rate for certain facilities; Stearns county.** Amends § 256I.05, by adding subd. 1h. Beginning July 1, 2007, requires county agencies to negotiate a supplementary service rate in addition to the maximum rate, not to exceed \$700 per month, including any legislatively authorized inflationary adjustments, for a GRH provider located in Stearns county that operates a 40-bed facility, that received certain specified financing and serves chemically dependent clientele, providing 24-hour-a-day supervision.
- 2** **Supplementary rate for certain facilities; St. Louis county.** Amends § 256I.05, by adding subd. 1i. Beginning July 1, 2007, requires county agencies to negotiate a supplementary service rate in addition to the maximum rate, not to exceed \$700 per month, including any legislatively authorized inflationary adjustments, for a GRH provider located in St. Louis county that operates a 30-bed facility, that received certain specified financing and serves chemically dependent clientele, providing 24-hour-a-day supervision.