

1.1 moves to amend S.F. No. 1712; H.F. No. 1758, the delete everything
1.2 amendment (S1712-1A), as follows:

1.3 Page ..., after line ..., insert:

1.4 "Sec. **SUPPLEMENTAL STATE AID WORK GROUP.**

1.5 (a) The state auditor shall convene a Supplemental State Aid Work Group to discuss
1.6 and articulate options to the Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement on changing
1.7 the method of allocating police and firefighter retirement supplemental state aid under
1.8 Minnesota Statutes, section 423A.022.

1.9 (b) The scope of the work group is limited to supplemental state aid paid to municipalities
1.10 other than municipalities solely employing firefighters with retirement coverage provided
1.11 by the public employees police and fire retirement plan.

1.12 (c) The work group must:

1.13 (i) consider 2021 Senate File No. 609; House File No. 419, including the discussion and
1.14 testimony on the bills at the meeting of the Commission on March 23, 2021, and

1.15 (ii) address the disparities in the allocation of fire state aid among fire departments.

1.16 (d) Members of the work group shall include:

1.17 (1) two representatives of Minnesota cities, appointed by the League of Minnesota Cities;

1.18 (2) two representatives of Minnesota towns, appointed by the Minnesota Association of
1.19 Townships;

1.20 (3) two representatives of Minnesota fire chiefs, appointed by the Minnesota State Fire
1.21 Chiefs Association;

1.22 (4) two representatives of Minnesota volunteer firefighters, who are active volunteer
1.23 firefighters, appointed by the Minnesota State Fire Departments Association;

1.24 (5) one representative of the State Fire Marshal Division of the Department of Public
1.25 Safety, designated by the commissioner of public safety;

1.26 (6) the executive director of the Public Employees Retirement Association, or the
1.27 executive director's designee; and

1.28 (7) one representative of the Department of Revenue, designated by the commissioner
1.29 of revenue.

2.1 (e) Additionally, a staff member of the Legislative Commission on Pensions and
2.2 Retirement shall attend the meetings of the work group to provide background information,
2.3 as requested by members.

2.4 (f) The state auditor shall chair the work group. The work group may conduct meetings
2.5 remotely.

2.6 (g) The work group shall submit a report by December 31, 2022, to the chair, vice-chair,
2.7 and executive director of the Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement.

2.8 (h) The work group expires on June 30, 2023.

2.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective June 30, 2021."

2.10 Renumber the sections in sequence

2.11 Amend the title accordingly