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- 1.1 Senator ..... moves to amend S.F. No. 5116 as follows:
- 1.2 Page 45, after line 15, insert:
- 1.3 "(e) 50th Anniversary of Vietnam War/Southeast
  1.4 Asian Conflict
- 1.5 \$150,000 the second year is for a joint
- 1.6 commemoration program for the 50th
- 1.7 anniversary of the Vietnam War/Secret War
- 1.8 in Laos/Southeast Asian conflict that
- 1.9 recognizes and honors the contributions of the
- 1.10 Vietnamese, Lao, Cambodian, Hmong, and
- 1.11 other Minnesota Vietnam veterans. The
- 1.12 Minnesota Humanities Center must prepare
- 1.13 the program to leverage the unique skillsets
- 1.14 and relationships in the four Southeast Asian
- 1.15 Minnesotan communities and the broader
- 1.16 communities. These relationships will help
- 1.17 ensure the ability of the smaller, less
- 1.18 experienced communities to participate in the
- 1.19 design, implementation, and hosting of a
- 1.20 once-in-a-lifetime commemoration program
- 1.21 that reflects the significance of the 50th
- 1.22 anniversary of the Vietnam War/Secret War
- 1.23 in Laos/Southeast Asian conflict. The
- 1.24 Minnesota Humanities Center must ensure
- 1.25 that the collaboration between these
- 1.26 <u>communities, a first of its kind, will lead to a</u>
- 1.27 successful commemoration program for
- 1.28 <u>Minnesota and the nation.</u>"