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Section 1 exempts federal law enforcement officials from the licensing and background requirements for individuals who are employed as protective agents to transfer incarcerated individuals.

Section 2 clarifies and streamlines certain requirements of the community supervision funding report to the legislature and changes it from an annual to a biennial report.

Section 3 expands the membership of the Community Supervision Advisory Council to include members of the judicial system and aspires to more diversity in certain commissioner appointed members of the Council.

Section 4 changes a reporting deadline from January 15, 2025, to May 1, 2025, and corrects a statutory reference.

Section 5 repeals M.S. 2024, sections 253.21 and 253.23. These statutes require MCF-Stillwater and MCF-St. Cloud to initiate civil commitment proceedings on mentally ill inmates, transfer those to be found mentally ill to the Minnesota Security Hospital, and take them back upon restoration of their mental health.

