

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1577 as follows:

1.2 Page 2, after line 25, insert:

1.3 "Section 2. **OFFENDER REENTRY AND CRIME DETERRENCE AND**
1.4 **ADVISORY TASK FORCE.**

1.5 Subdivision 1. **Creation; duties.** (a) A task force is established to study, evaluate,
1.6 and analyze issues related to offender reentry and crime deterrence. At a minimum, the
1.7 task force shall examine the following issues and assess whether and how a change to law,
1.8 rule, or practice would best serve public safety:

1.9 (1) the effectiveness of the Department of Correction's offender reentry programs
1.10 and practices;

1.11 (2) the targeting and tailoring of reentry programs to the various types of offender
1.12 groups and various types of crimes they committed;

1.13 (3) the effectiveness of Minnesota's crime deterrence policies and programs;

1.14 (4) best practices in crime deterrence;

1.15 (5) best practices in reducing criminal recidivism;

1.16 (6) the effectiveness of private and nonprofit crime deterrence and recidivism
1.17 reduction programs; and

1.18 (7) low-cost options to the state for encouraging an increase in private and nonprofit
1.19 crime deterrence and recidivism reduction programs.

1.20 (b) In its evaluation and analysis, the task force shall consider approaches taken
1.21 by other states in these areas and may examine other issues that the task force or
1.22 commissioner of corrections finds relevant.

1.23 Subd. 2. **Membership.** The task force consists of the following members:

1.24 (1) the commissioner of corrections, or the commissioner's designee;

1.25 (2) the commissioner of public safety, or the commissioner's designee;

- 2.1 (3) the chairs and ranking minority members of the house of representatives and
2.2 senate committees having jurisdiction over criminal justice policy, or their designees;
2.3 (4) a county attorney selected by the Minnesota County Attorneys Association;
2.4 (5) a representative from the Board of Public Defense, selected by that board;
2.5 (6) a representative of the Minnesota Chiefs of Police Association;
2.6 (7) a representative of the Minnesota Sheriffs Association;
2.7 (8) a probation officer, selected by the commissioner of corrections; and
2.8 (9) a law professor who is knowledgeable in the area of crime deterrence and
2.9 recidivism reduction, selected by the commissioner of corrections.

2.10 Subd. 3. **Meetings.** The commissioner of corrections, or the commissioner's
2.11 designee, shall convene the initial meeting of the task force. The members of the task
2.12 force must elect a chair or co-chairs at the initial meeting. The task force shall meet
2.13 sufficiently enough to accomplish the tasks identified in this section.

2.14 Subd. 4. **Terms; compensation; removal; vacancies.** The expiration, membership
2.15 terms, removal of members, and filling of vacancies on the task force shall be as
2.16 provided in section 15.059. Members shall serve without compensation and expense
2.17 reimbursement. The task force expires June 30, 2012.

2.18 Subd. 5. **Report.** By January 15, 2012, the task force shall submit its report,
2.19 including any proposed legislative changes, to the chairs and ranking minority members
2.20 of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over criminal
2.21 justice policy and funding.

2.22 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment."
2.23 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references
2.24 Amend the title accordingly