

1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 2266 as follows:

1.2 Page 1, after line 10, insert:

1.3 "Sec. 2. **APPROPRIATION; CHILD CARE FOR CHILD CARE PROVIDERS.**

1.4 \$..... in fiscal year 2026 and \$..... in fiscal year 2027 are appropriated from the  
1.5 workforce development fund to the commissioner of children, youth, and families to support  
1.6 and expand the workforce in licensed child care centers and licensed family child care  
1.7 providers through subsidized child care. Money must be used to fully or partially subsidize  
1.8 child care for individuals who:

1.9 (1) are on a waiting list for the early learning scholarship program under Minnesota  
1.10 Statutes, chapter 142D or the child care assistance program under Minnesota Statutes,  
1.11 chapter 142E; and

1.12 (2) regularly care for children or are essential for the operation of the center or provider."

1.13 Amend the title accordingly