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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to higher education; providing support for an academic program for  
1.3 chemically dependent students; appropriating money.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. **STEP UP PROGRAM; APPROPRIATION.**

1.6 \$250,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the Minnesota Office of Higher  
1.7 Education for fiscal year 2008 for a grant to Augsburg College for the purpose of its Step  
1.8 UP program which provides educational opportunities to chemically dependent students.  
1.9 This is a onetime appropriation and is not added to the agency's budget base.