<u>SSB 6090</u> - S AMD 416 By Senator Brandland

NOT ADOPTED 3/30/05

1 On page 153, after line 25, insert the following:

"NEW SECTION. Sec. 718. AGENCY EXPENDITURES TORT LIABILITY AND 2 3 TORT DEFENSE COSTS. The office of financial management shall reduce allotments for all agencies for tort liability and tort defense costs 4 5 by \$40,000,000 from general fund--state appropriations in this act to reflect reductions in state agency tort liability and tort defense 6 costs resulting from the enactment of governmental liability reform 7 8 legislation. The general fund allotment reduction shall be placed in 9 unallotted status and remain unexpended."

10 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal 11 references accordingly.

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EFFECT: Reduces General Fund expenditures for governmental tort liability and tort defense costs by \$40 million.