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152nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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SENATE BILL NO. 325

JUNE 12, 2024

AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE EXPENSE OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2025; SPECIFYING CERTAIN PROCEDURES, CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF SUCH FUNDS; AND AMENDING CERTAIN PERTINENT STATUTORY PROVISIONS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

1 **Section 1.** The several amounts named in this Act, or such part thereof as may be necessary and essential to
2 the proper conduct of the business of the agencies named herein, during the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025, are
3 hereby appropriated and authorized to be paid out of the Treasury of the State by the respective departments and
4 divisions of State Government, and other specified spending agencies, subject to the limitations of this Act and to the
5 provisions of Title 29, Part VI, Delaware Code, as amended or qualified by this Act, all other provisions of the
6 Delaware Code notwithstanding. All parts or portions of the several sums appropriated by this Act which, on the last
7 day of June ~~2024~~ 2025, shall not have been paid out of the State Treasury, shall revert to the General Fund; provided,
8 however, that no funds shall revert which are encumbered pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 6521.

9 The several amounts hereby appropriated are as follows:

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DEPARTMENTS

Year ending June 30, 2025

(01-00-00) LEGISLATIVE

	Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
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(01-00-00) LEGISLATIVE

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(01-08-00) Legislative Council			
			(01-08-01) Legislative Services			
		24.0				2,881.2
						15.4
						284.1
						33.8
						27.0
						20.0
						7.5
						50.0
		24.0				3,319.0
			(01-08-02) Office of the Controller General			
		12.0				1,586.8
						6.5
						1,798.0
						63.0
						24.3
						25.0
						15.0
		12.0				3,518.6
			(01-08-03) Code Revisors			
						1.0
						170.8
						171.8
			(01-08-06) Commission on Uniform State Laws			
						10.0
						45.0
						55.0
		36.0				7,064.4
		109.0				24,247.7

(02-00-00) JUDICIAL

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(02-01-00) Supreme Court	
10.3		33.0				4,250.3
					6.8	15.2
					101.4	168.4
						8.3
					5.0	32.8
					6.7	
					20.0	
					1.8	
10.3		33.0	TOTAL -- Supreme Court		141.7	4,475.0
		33.0	141.7	4,475.0		
10.3						
10.3		33.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		141.7	4,475.0
					(02-02-00) Court of Chancery	
7.0	24.5	46.5			1,641.8	5,837.5
					12.8	
					314.0	
					97.9	
					25.0	
					19.6	
7.0	24.5	46.5	TOTAL -- Court of Chancery		2,111.1	5,837.5
7.0	24.5	46.5	2,111.1	5,837.5		
7.0	24.5	46.5	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		2,111.1	5,837.5
					(02-03-00) Superior Court	
		316.5				29,877.8
						57.7
						422.4
						206.8
						41.4
						597.8
		12.0				635.1
					152.8	
		328.5	TOTAL -- Superior Court		152.8	31,839.0
		328.5	152.8	31,839.0		
		328.5	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		152.8	31,839.0

(02-00-00) JUDICIAL

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(02-06-00) Court of Common Pleas			
	6.0	141.0			255.1	12,690.0
						14.8
						230.8
						87.1
					4.0	9.6
	2.0				200.1	
	8.0	141.0			459.2	13,032.3
			TOTAL -- Court of Common Pleas			
	8.0	141.0	459.2	13,032.3		
	8.0	141.0	459.2	13,032.3		
			(-10) Court of Common Pleas			
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			
			(02-08-00) Family Court			
1.0	77.3	265.7			5,353.7	24,000.9
					29.7	14.1
					472.7	178.8
					139.9	49.6
					48.0	
		2.0				160.4
						464.4
					50.0	
					136.0	
					287.5	
						400.0
1.0	77.3	267.7			6,517.5	25,268.2
			TOTAL -- Family Court			
1.0	77.3	267.7	6,517.5	25,268.2		
1.0	77.3	267.7	6,517.5	25,268.2		
			(-10) Family Court			
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			
			(02-13-00) Justice of the Peace Court			
	27.5	252.5			2,227.7	21,482.1
						11.5
						1,969.3
						104.7
						165.4
		8.0			396.4	
						634.9
	27.5	260.5			2,624.1	24,367.9
			TOTAL -- Justice of the Peace Court			
	27.5	260.5	2,624.1	24,367.9		
	27.5	260.5	2,624.1	24,367.9		
			(-10) Justice of the Peace Court			
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			
			(02-15-00) Central Services Account			
			Contractual Services		60.1	
			TOTAL -- Central Services Account		60.1	
			(-10) Central Services Account			
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		60.1	

(02-00-00) JUDICIAL

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(02-17-00) Administrative Office of the Courts -			
			Court Services			
		87.5				8,692.7
						26.5
						1,134.3
						271.5
						216.8
						1,926.2
						100.0
						58.3
						47.0
						361.0
						523.3
						177.6
						361.4
					2,050.0	
						20.0
						100.0
						1,650.0
		87.5			2,050.0	15,666.6
			TOTAL -- Administrative Office of the Courts -			
			Court Services			
		37.0	2,050.0	7,899.0		
		9.0		721.1		
		38.0		6,551.6		
		3.5		494.9		
		87.5	2,050.0	15,666.6		
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Units			

(02-00-00) JUDICIAL

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(02-18-00) Administrative Office of the Courts -			
			Non-Judicial Services			
	1.0	48.0			94.7	4,655.8
						16.4
						169.2
						4.5
						26.1
						0.5
						386.5
						75.0
					43.0	
						60.0
	1.0	48.0	TOTAL -- Administrative Office of the Courts -		137.7	5,394.0
			Non-Judicial Services			
	1.0	11.0	137.7	914.0		
		30.0		3,768.6		
		5.0		517.5		
		2.0		193.9		
	1.0	48.0	137.7	5,394.0		
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Units			
18.3	138.3	1,212.7	TOTAL -- JUDICIAL		14,254.2	125,880.5

(10-00-00) EXECUTIVE

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Personnel		
NSF	ASF	GF
		30.0
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(10-01-01) Office of the Governor

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Other Item:
 Woodburn Expenses

TOTAL -- Office of the Governor

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			3,604.5
			8.0
			256.1
			20.1
			70.0
			3,958.7

(10-02-00) Office of Management and Budget

9.2	119.8	214.0
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Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Budget Administration Other Items:
 Budget Automation - Operations
 Trans and Invest
Contingencies and One-Time Items:
 Technology
 Prior Years' Obligations
 Legal Fees
 Appropriated Special Funds
 Salary/OEC Contingency
 Judicial Nominating Committee
 Elder Tax Relief and Education Expense Fund
 Civil Indigent Services
 Local Law Enforcement Education
 DE Child Well-Being Benchmark
 Behavioral Health Consortium
 Veterans Tax Relief Education Expense Fund
 Marijuana Control Act
 DE Demographic Studies
 Ag Production Assistance Program
 Judicial Pensions
Pensions Other Items:
 Other Items
 Health Insurance - Retirees in Closed
 State Police Plan
 Pensions - Paraplegic Veterans
 Pensions - Retirees in Closed State Police Plan
Fleet Management Other Items:
 Cars and Wagons
 Fleet Link Expenses

13,096.9	20,428.5
43.6	14.2
10,663.7	17,438.6
134.7	5,907.0
4,231.0	1,766.8
379.1	438.5
	78.0
500.0	
	374.0
	450.0
	1,071.0
55,000.0	
36,100.0	301,703.9
	8.0
	29,789.3
	600.0
	150.0
	100.5
	1,075.0
	2,500.0
	1,144.9
	100.0
	2,000.0
	1,161.8
668.0	
	4,067.3
	51.0
	26,200.0
12,519.7	
727.2	

(10-00-00) EXECUTIVE

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Personnel		
NSF	ASF	GF
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9.2	121.8	214.0

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
		500.0	
		10.0	
		384.6	
		185.6	
		135,144.1	418,618.3

Food Distribution Other Items:
 Food Processing
 Truck Leases
 Facilities Management Other Items:
 Absalom Jones Building
 Leased Facilities
TOTAL -- Office of Management and Budget

0.7	3.0	21.3
	7.5	24.5
1.0	66.0	
		8.0
	29.0	
	1.5	24.5
	4.0	
2.0	3.3	3.7
5.5	5.5	35.0
	2.0	97.0
9.2	121.8	214.0

(-05) Administration	2,079.0	2,925.9
(-10) Budget Development and Planning	1,950.3	4,796.3
(-11) Contingencies and One-Time Items	91,100.0	344,728.4
(-32) Pensions	10,132.6	30,318.3
<i>Government Support Services</i>		
(-40) Mail/Courier Services	2,240.1	705.5
(-42) Fleet Management	24,672.5	
(-44) Contracting	258.7	2,400.5
(-45) Delaware Surplus Services	503.2	
(-46) Food Distribution	906.6	350.9
(-47) PHRST	715.9	4,057.9
(-50) Facilities Management	585.2	28,334.6
TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	135,144.1	418,618.3

(10-07-00) Criminal Justice
(10-07-01) Criminal Justice Council

17.0		15.0
		2.0
		2.0
		2.0
17.0		21.0

Personnel Costs		1,807.8
Contractual Services		50.3
Supplies and Materials		3.6
Other Items:		
Videophone Fund	212.5	
Domestic Violence Coordinating Council		42.7
Other Grants		132.6
Board of Parole		239.6
Public Attorney Student Loan Repayment Program		500.0
Family Justice Centers		171.2
TOTAL -- Criminal Justice Council	212.5	2,947.8

(10-07-02) Delaware Justice Information System

		16.0
		2.0
		18.0

Personnel Costs		1,661.3
Travel	1.0	5.3
Contractual Services	251.4	2,349.0
Supplies and Materials	7.6	92.1
Other Items:		
Expungement Acts		180.0
VINE		166.4
TOTAL -- Delaware Justice Information System	260.0	4,454.1

(10-00-00) EXECUTIVE

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(10-07-03) Statistical Analysis Center			
		7.0				553.4
						0.7
						40.7
						3.1
		7.0				597.9
			TOTAL -- Statistical Analysis Center			
17.0		46.0	TOTAL -- Criminal Justice		472.5	7,999.8
			(10-08-01) Delaware State Housing Authority			
	2.0				338.6	
						50.0
					14,000.0	4,000.0
						4,000.0
	2.0		TOTAL -- Delaware State Housing Authority		14,338.6	8,050.0
26.2	123.8	290.0	TOTAL -- EXECUTIVE		149,955.2	438,626.8

(11-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATION

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(11-01-00) Office of the Chief Information Officer			
		9.0				1,571.1
						0.5
						93.0
						0.3
						20.0
						800.0
		9.0				2,484.9
			TOTAL -- Office of the Chief Information Officer			
		9.0		2,484.9		
		9.0		2,484.9		
			(11-02-00) Security Office			
	5.0	16.0			430.9	1,968.2
					25.0	1.3
					1,100.0	8.4
					48.5	2.3
					800.0	1,470.9
						2,000.0
	5.0	16.0			2,404.4	5,451.1
			TOTAL -- Security Office			
	5.0	16.0	2,404.4	5,451.1		
	5.0	16.0	2,404.4	5,451.1		
			(11-03-00) Operations Office			
	28.5	76.5			2,367.0	9,891.9
					134.7	12.2
					15,306.8	1,240.9
						504.7
					97.0	166.1
					138.6	9.3
					7,396.7	8,615.3
						13,194.6
	28.5	76.5			25,440.8	33,635.0
			TOTAL -- Operations Office			
	1.0		10,575.2	131.7		
	4.0	5.0	1,040.5	5,092.4		
	6.5	27.5	6,265.9	14,321.1		
	9.0	20.0	5,601.3	8,703.1		
	8.0	24.0	1,957.9	5,386.7		
	28.5	76.5	25,440.8	33,635.0		
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Units			

(11-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATION

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(11-04-00) Technology Office			
	40.0	100.0	Personnel Costs		5,271.1	14,061.4
			Travel		40.0	1.9
			Contractual Services		2,375.0	1,290.1
			Supplies and Materials		5.0	3.4
			Hardware and Software		870.0	3,879.8
			Technology			380.0
	40.0	100.0	TOTAL -- Technology Office		8,561.1	19,616.6
		13.0	29.0	2,162.9		
	4.0	13.0	571.4	2,190.5		
	27.0	40.0	5,754.3	7,240.5		
	4.0	27.0	1,559.6	6,410.8		
	5.0	7.0	646.8	1,611.9		
	40.0	100.0	8,561.1	19,616.6		
			(11-05-00) Office of Policy and Communications			
		5.0	Personnel Costs			591.0
		5.0	TOTAL -- Office of Policy and Communications			591.0
		5.0		591.0		
		5.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			591.0
			(11-06-00) Chief of Partner Services			
	21.9	52.1	Personnel Costs		1,946.2	5,532.1
			Hardware and Software			100.0
			Technology			500.0
	21.9	52.1	TOTAL -- Chief of Partner Services		1,946.2	6,132.1
	16.0	41.0	1,118.2	4,565.2		
	5.9	11.1	828.0	1,566.9		
	21.9	52.1	1,946.2	6,132.1		
	95.4	258.6	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATION		38,352.5	67,910.7

(12-00-00) OTHER ELECTIVE

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(12-01-01) Lieutenant Governor

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Other Item:
Expenses - Lieutenant Governor

TOTAL -- Lieutenant Governor

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			882.3
			1.3
			108.7
			2.1
			7.7
			1,002.1

	4.0	23.0
	4.0	23.0

(12-02-01) Auditor of Accounts

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay

TOTAL -- Auditor of Accounts

380.2	2,642.0
9.5	4.9
705.5	907.3
4.4	44.4
10.4	10.7
1,110.0	3,609.3

(12-03-00) Insurance Commissioner

(12-03-01) Regulatory Activities

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Other Item:
Malpractice Review
TOTAL -- Regulatory Activities

	14.0	
	14.0	

1,250.6	
2.4	
402.0	
8.8	
5.4	
5.0	
1,674.2	

**(12-03-02) Bureau of Examination,
Rehabilitation and Guaranty**

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Other Items:
Captive Insurance Fund
Arbitration Program
Contract Examiners
IHCAP
TOTAL -- Bureau of Examination,
Rehabilitation and Guaranty

3.7	87.3	
3.7	87.3	

7,469.1	
85.0	
2,233.3	
99.7	
67.1	
3,533.4	
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TOTAL -- Insurance Commissioner

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(12-05-00) State Treasurer

(12-05-01) Administration

	5.0	4.0
	5.0	4.0

Personnel Costs		506.8	713.1
Travel		24.5	
Contractual Services		216.6	192.9
Supplies and Materials		9.1	5.3
Capital Outlay		25.5	
TOTAL -- Administration		782.5	911.3

(12-05-02) Operations and Fund Management

	8.0	
	8.0	

Personnel Costs		866.9	
Other Item:			
Banking Services		4,166.0	
TOTAL -- Operations and Fund Management		5,032.9	

(12-05-03) Debt Management

Debt Service			246,334.0
Expense of Issuing Bonds			354.1
Financial Advisor			130.0
Debt Service - Local Schools		79,167.4	
TOTAL -- Debt Management		79,167.4	246,818.1

(12-05-05) Reconciliation and Transaction Management

	5.0	4.0
	5.0	4.0

Personnel Costs		363.3	521.9
Contractual Services		83.0	
Other Item:			
Data Processing		427.1	
TOTAL -- Reconciliation and Transaction Management		873.4	521.9

(12-05-06) Contributions and Plan Management

4.0		
	1.0	
4.0	1.0	

Personnel Costs			
Other Items:			
403(b) Plans			75.0
EARNES		139.7	
TOTAL -- Contributions and Plan Management		139.7	75.0

4.0	19.0	8.0
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TOTAL -- State Treasurer		85,995.9	248,326.3
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12.7	124.3	38.0
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TOTAL -- OTHER ELECTIVE		119,334.2	252,937.7
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Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(15-01-00) Department of Justice			
49.1	74.6	358.3			1,750.5	45,688.5
						12.3
						2,083.7
						62.1
						67.8
						9.0
						166.0
					192.1	272.6
					1,167.8	
					1,646.8	
					3,055.5	
					15.0	
						170.0
					1,390.2	
		22.0				2,969.0
					660.1	
		2.0				180.6
		1.0				175.3
	2.0				278.1	
	2.0				356.0	
	8.0				550.0	
					24.0	
					82.3	
					20.0	
					6.0	
					1.5	
					2,500.0	
49.1	86.6	383.3	TOTAL -- Department of Justice		13,695.9	51,856.9
49.1	86.6	383.3	(-01) Department of Justice		13,695.9	51,856.9
49.1	86.6	383.3	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		13,695.9	51,856.9

(15-00-00) LEGAL

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(15-02-00) Office of Defense Services	
		171.0				22,537.8
						9.0
						1,817.1
						55.2
						3.4
						6,316.5
		16.0				2,656.7
		187.0	TOTAL -- Office of Defense Services			33,395.7
		45.0		5,827.3		
		132.0		19,814.0		
		10.0		7,754.4		
		187.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units			33,395.7
49.1	86.6	570.3	TOTAL -- LEGAL		13,695.9	85,252.6

(16-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(16-01-00) Office of the Secretary			
2.0	37.5	67.5			3,844.4	7,949.9
					0.2	23.0
					577.9	1,111.3
						18.3
						7.5
2.0	37.5	67.5	TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary		4,422.5	9,110.0
2.0	37.5	67.5	(-01) Office of the Secretary		4,422.5	9,110.0
2.0	37.5	67.5	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		4,422.5	9,110.0
			(16-02-00) Division of Talent Management			
	3.0	29.0			325.2	2,932.5
					2.0	
					4.6	3.1
						0.2
	3.0	29.0	TOTAL -- Division of Talent Management		331.8	2,935.8
	3.0	29.0	(-01) Division of Talent Management		331.8	2,935.8
	3.0	29.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		331.8	2,935.8
			(16-03-00) Division of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion			
	1.0	3.0			1.9	348.8
						2.0
					2.7	5.6
						1.0
	1.0	3.0	TOTAL -- Division of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion		4.6	357.4
	1.0	3.0	(-01) Division of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion		4.6	357.4
	1.0	3.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		4.6	357.4
			(16-04-00) Division of Employee and Labor Relations			
	3.0	19.0			363.1	2,119.2
					1.1	0.9
						10.0
						0.2
	3.0	19.0	TOTAL -- Division of Employee and Labor Relations		364.2	2,130.3
	3.0	19.0	(-01) Division of Employee and Labor Relations		364.2	2,130.3
	3.0	19.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		364.2	2,130.3

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Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(16-05-00) Division of Statewide Benefits and Insurance Coverage			
31.0						
						10,100.0
						8,500.0
31.0						18,600.0
			TOTAL -- Division of Statewide Benefits and Insurance Coverage			
25.0						
6.0						18,600.0
31.0						18,600.0
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Units			
			(16-06-00) Office of Women's Advancement and Advocacy			
	1.0	2.0			211.4	121.2
						2.0
					17.3	18.8
						0.5
	1.0	2.0			228.7	142.5
			TOTAL -- Office of Women's Advancement and Advocacy			
	1.0	2.0	228.7	142.5		
	1.0	2.0	228.7	142.5		
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			
			(16-07-00) Division of Training and Human Resource Solutions			
	4.0	11.0			411.1	1,167.2
					3.3	0.1
					380.3	295.8
					15.9	
					100.0	
					55.0	
						25.0
						350.0
	4.0	11.0			965.6	1,838.1
			TOTAL -- Division of Training and Human Resource Solutions			
	4.0	11.0	965.6	1,838.1		
	4.0	11.0	965.6	1,838.1		
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Units			

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Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(16-08-00) Division of Classification,			
			Compensation and Talent Acquisition			
	10.5	25.5			1,107.2	2,587.6
					2.0	
					177.6	248.0
						1.2
		12.0				498.8
	10.5	37.5	TOTAL -- Division of Classification,		1,286.8	3,335.6
			Compensation and Talent Acquisition			
	10.5	37.5	(-01) Division of Classification,		1,286.8	3,335.6
			Compensation and Talent			
			Acquisition			
	10.5	37.5	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		1,286.8	3,335.6
33.0	60.0	169.0	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES		7,604.2	38,449.7

(20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Personnel		
NSF	ASF	GF
	13.5	39.5
	13.5	39.5

(20-01-00) Office of the Secretary

- Personnel Costs
- Travel
- Contractual Services
- Energy
- Supplies and Materials
- Capital Outlay
- Other Items:
 - Hispanic Affairs
 - International Trade of Delaware
 - Veterans Commission Trust Fund
 - Assistance for Needy and Homeless Veterans
 - Filing Fees/Lobbyists
 - E-Government
 - Equity Ombudsperson Program

TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
		1,071.2	3,072.2
		44.1	17.5
		3,213.0	621.8
			74.9
		108.3	43.5
		168.0	
			50.0
			180.0
			100.0
			42.2
		6.0	
		500.0	
			1,000.0
		5,110.6	5,202.1

	11.0	7.0
		25.0
	2.5	1.5
		2.0
		4.0
	13.5	39.5

- (-01) Administration
 - (-02) Delaware Commission of Veterans Affairs
 - (-06) Government Information Center
 - (-08) Public Integrity Commission
 - (-09) Employment Relations Boards
- TOTAL -- Internal Program Units**

3,734.7	2,020.8
220.0	2,344.2
1,149.9	149.7
6.0	213.3
	474.1
5,110.6	5,202.1

(20-02-00) Human and Civil Rights

- Personnel Costs
- Travel
- Contractual Services
- Supplies and Materials
- Capital Outlay
- Other Item:
 - Human Relations Annual Conference

TOTAL -- Human and Civil Rights

1.0		7.0
1.0		7.0

	627.4
	4.0
	119.3
	7.8
	0.6
6.0	
6.0	759.1

1.0		7.0
1.0		7.0

- (-01) Human and Civil Rights
- TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit**

6.0	759.1
6.0	759.1

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Personnel		
NSF	ASF	GF

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF

	15.0	16.0
	15.0	16.0

(20-03-00) Delaware Public Archives

- Personnel Costs
- Travel
- Contractual Services
- Supplies and Materials
- Capital Outlay
- Other Items:
 - Delaware Heritage Commission
 - Document Conservation Fund
 - Historical Marker Maintenance
 - Operations
 - Semi-Quincentennial

1,160.8	1,270.9
3.8	
361.1	209.3
52.4	
35.0	
	14.7
10.0	
40.8	
60.0	
250.0	
1,973.9	1,494.9

TOTAL -- Delaware Public Archives

	15.0	16.0
	15.0	16.0

- (-01) Delaware Public Archives
- TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

1,973.9	1,494.9
1,973.9	1,494.9

0.5	77.5	
0.5	77.5	

(20-04-00) Regulation and Licensing

- Personnel Costs
- Travel
- Contractual Services
- Energy
- Supplies and Materials
- Capital Outlay
- Other Items:
 - Real Estate Guaranty Fund
 - Examination Costs
 - Motor Vehicle Franchise Fund

7,444.5	
151.4	
6,392.3	
8.0	
147.9	
256.4	
100.0	
54.5	
15.0	
14,570.0	

TOTAL -- Regulation and Licensing

	45.0	
0.5	27.5	
	5.0	
0.5	77.5	

- (-01) Professional Regulation
- (-02) Public Service Commission
- (-03) Public Advocate
- TOTAL -- Internal Program Units

9,322.7	
4,161.1	
1,086.2	
14,570.0	

	119.0	
	119.0	

(20-05-00) Corporations

- Personnel Costs
- Travel
- Contractual Services
- Supplies and Materials
- Capital Outlay
- Other Items:
 - Computer Time Costs
 - Technology Infrastructure Fund

8,166.8	
27.0	
5,200.2	
63.0	
505.0	
2,170.0	
10,600.0	
26,732.0	

TOTAL -- Corporations

	119.0	
	119.0	

- (-01) Corporations
- TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

26,732.0	
26,732.0	

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ASF	GF

(20-06-00) Historical and Cultural Affairs

5.4	13.1	30.5
5.4	13.1	30.5

Personnel Costs	
Travel	
Contractual Services	
Energy	
Supplies and Materials	
Capital Outlay	
Other Items:	
Museum Operations	
Museum Conservation Fund	
Conference Center Operations	
Museum Sites	
Dayett Mills	
TOTAL -- Historical and Cultural Affairs	

1,033.6	2,694.9
8.2	1.3
1,187.8	439.5
74.9	330.3
14.1	100.6
0.2	2.7
	24.0
	9.5
32.1	
29.6	
12.6	28.0
2,393.1	3,630.8

5.4	13.1	30.5
5.4	13.1	30.5

(-01) Office of the Director	
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	

2,393.1	3,630.8
2,393.1	3,630.8

(20-07-00) Arts

3.0	2.0	3.0
3.0	2.0	3.0

Personnel Costs	
Travel	
Contractual Services	
Supplies and Materials	
Other Items:	
Art for the Disadvantaged	
Delaware Art	
Delaware Arts Trust Fund	
TOTAL -- Arts	

167.2	330.2
	0.9
	57.3
	1.0
	10.0
1,321.0	419.2
3,600.0	
5,088.2	818.6

3.0	2.0	3.0
3.0	2.0	3.0

(-01) Office of the Director	
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	

5,088.2	818.6
5,088.2	818.6

(20-08-00) Libraries

7.0	4.0	4.0
7.0	4.0	4.0

Personnel Costs	
Travel	
Contractual Services	
Supplies and Materials	
Capital Outlay	
Other Items:	
Library Standards	
Delaware Electronic Library	
DELNET- Statewide	
Public Education Project	
Corporation Technology	
Scholarships and Grants	
TOTAL -- Libraries	

285.2	447.5
	0.5
	57.1
	18.4
	5.4
2,346.4	4,019.2
700.0	
50.0	585.0
1,215.0	1,000.0
750.0	
	220.0
5,346.6	6,353.1

7.0	4.0	4.0
7.0	4.0	4.0

(-01) Libraries	
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	

5,346.6	6,353.1
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NSF	ASF	GF
	80.0	145.0
	80.0	145.0

(20-09-00) Veterans Home

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay

TOTAL -- Veterans Home

\$ Program	
ASF	GF
6,511.0	15,095.5
6,511.0	15,095.5

\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF
4,201.0	12,743.6
3.4	
1,448.3	962.7
	528.7
848.4	779.9
9.9	80.6
6,511.0	15,095.5

	80.0	145.0
	80.0	145.0

(-01) Veterans Home

TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

6,511.0	15,095.5
6,511.0	15,095.5

(20-10-00) Small Business

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Other Items:
Main Street
Delaware Small Business Development Center
Blue Collar
General Operating
Delaware Business Marketing Program
Financial Development Operations
National HS Wrestling Tournament
Tourism Marketing
Angel Investor
Business Incubators

TOTAL -- Small Business

	7.0	19.0
	1.0	
	8.0	19.0

805.7	2,480.6
20.0	6.3
903.8	1.7
20.9	14.0
24.8	6.6
25.0	
400.0	150.5
1,700.1	
320.9	
300.0	
379.5	
9.6	
1,025.0	
78.0	
	625.0
6,013.3	3,284.7

	1.0	19.0
	7.0	
	8.0	19.0

(-01) Delaware Economic Development Authority

(-02) Delaware Tourism Office

TOTAL -- Internal Program Units

3,328.7	3,284.7
2,684.6	
6,013.3	3,284.7

(20-15-00) State Banking Commission

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay

TOTAL -- State Banking Commission

	36.0	
	36.0	

2,758.2	
80.0	
955.0	
20.0	
67.5	
3,880.7	

	36.0	
	36.0	

(-01) State Banking Commission

TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

3,880.7	
3,880.7	

(20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE

	Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
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6	(20-16-00) Office of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commissioner							
7			8.0	Personnel Costs				782.1
8				Travel			8.0	0.5
9				Contractual Services			72.9	11.5
10				Supplies and Materials			3.0	7.1
11			8.0	TOTAL -- Office of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commissioner			83.9	801.2
12								
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14			8.0	(-10) Office of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commissioner	83.9	801.2		
15								
16			8.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	83.9	801.2		
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19	16.9	368.1	272.0	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF STATE			77,709.3	37,440.0

(25-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

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NSF	ASF	GF
		13.0
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	48.0	13.0

(25-01-00) Office of the Secretary
 Personnel Costs
 Travel
 Contractual Services
 Supplies and Materials
 Capital Outlay
 Other Items:
 Information System Development
 Escheat
 DMHRA Board
TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			1,713.4
			3.5
			391.8
			3.7
			37.8
		19,934.1	
		55,666.8	
			5.5
		75,600.9	2,155.7

	48.0	13.0
	48.0	13.0

(-01) Office of the Secretary
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

75,600.9	2,155.7
75,600.9	2,155.7

	10.8	42.2
	10.8	42.2

(25-05-00) Accounting
 Personnel Costs
 Travel
 Contractual Services
 Supplies and Materials
 Capital Outlay
 Other Item:
 ERP Operational Funds
TOTAL -- Accounting

1,154.2	4,351.8
12.0	1.5
826.6	316.5
41.5	10.3
5.0	
	917.5
2,039.3	5,597.6

	10.8	42.2
	10.8	42.2

(-01) Accounting
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

2,039.3	5,597.6
2,039.3	5,597.6

		75.0
	7.0	
	60.0	
	67.0	75.0

(25-06-00) Revenue
 Personnel Costs
 Travel
 Contractual Services
 Energy
 Supplies and Materials
 Capital Outlay
 Other Items:
 Marijuana Control Act
 Delinquent Collections
TOTAL -- Revenue

	6,646.7
	4.0
	1,056.9
	9.4
	85.4
	203.4
661.1	
13,133.3	
13,794.4	8,005.8

	67.0	75.0
	67.0	75.0

(-01) Revenue
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

13,794.4	8,005.8
13,794.4	8,005.8

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\$ Program	
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\$ Line Item	
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(25-07-00) State Lottery Office

	56.0	
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Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
TOTAL -- State Lottery Office

	5,381.7
	50.0
	52,808.3
	40.0
	190.0
	58,470.0

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	56.0	

(-01) State Lottery Office
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

58,470.0	
58,470.0	

	181.8	130.2
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TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

149,904.6	15,759.1
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(35-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(35-01-00) Office of the Secretary	
72.0	16.9	502.2			1,928.4	40,069.8
					115.5	
					1,670.6	6,158.8
					212.5	437.2
					684.7	666.8
					85.0	
					115.0	
						1,980.2
						198.4
						200.0
						17.5
					269.2	
					232.8	
						436.8
					2,556.7	
					3,350.0	
						638.0
						682.8
						445.0
						1,500.0
						5.0
72.0	16.9	502.2	TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary		11,220.4	53,436.3
18.5	0.5	56.9	(-10) Office of the Secretary		344.0	9,017.7
53.5	16.4	250.3	(-20) Administration		8,319.7	25,476.5
		195.0	(-30) Facility Operations		2,556.7	18,942.1
72.0	16.9	502.2	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		11,220.4	53,436.3

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Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(35-02-00) Medicaid and Medical Assistance	
107.9		92.6				8,837.5
						0.1
						3,959.9
						30.7
						35.7
						5.9
					1,871.6	
					750.0	
					667.0	
					147.0	
					1,000.0	
					6,000.0	994,136.9
					10.0	
					2,500.0	
					100.0	
					900.0	
					14,500.0	
						3,901.4
					26,000.0	
						1,211.3
					200.0	
					1,750.0	
						10,979.3
						729.5
107.9		92.6			56,395.6	1,023,828.2
					TOTAL -- Medicaid and Medical Assistance	
107.9		92.6			56,395.6	1,023,828.2
107.9		92.6			56,395.6	1,023,828.2
					TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	

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	Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
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6	404.9	41.3	297.1				
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Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	14.0	18.0	Animal Welfare			4,000.0	2,041.8
			Spay/Neuter Program			800.0	
			Nurse Family Partnership				130.0
			Prescription Drug Prevention				90.0
			Substance Use Disorder Services				402.7
			Technology Operations				179.6
			Delaware CAN				1,511.0
			Toxicology				22.0
		29.5	Birth to Three Program			906.6	9,099.8
	6.0		Marijuana Control			476.3	
			Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention				924.7
404.9	63.3	344.6	TOTAL -- Public Health			42,166.0	57,244.8

3.0	21.0	55.0	(-10) Director's Office/Support Services	8,640.1	5,713.1
398.9	42.3	282.6	(-20) Community Health	33,466.0	49,604.3
3.0		7.0	(-30) Emergency Medical Services	59.9	1,927.4
404.9	63.3	344.6	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	42,166.0	57,244.8

(35-06-00) Substance Abuse and Mental Health

17.0	1.0	557.1	Personnel Costs			299.4	51,249.0
			Travel				6.2
			Contractual Services			1,569.9	16,948.2
			Energy				1,271.8
			Supplies and Materials			1,000.6	3,385.1
			Capital Outlay			9.0	142.8
			Vehicles				41.2
			Tobacco Fund:				
			Delaware School Study			18.3	
			Recovery and Wellness			250.0	
			Other Items:				
			Medicare Part D			1,119.0	
			TEFRA			100.0	
			DPC Disproportionate Share			2,550.0	
			Kent/Sussex Detox Center			150.0	
			CMH Group Homes				11,258.2
			Community Placements				17,450.9
			Community Housing Supports				5,639.9
			Substance Use Disorder Services				19,158.8
			Technology Operations				1,422.4
			Heroin Residential Program				287.9
			Behavioral Health Crisis Intervention Services Fund			8,000.0	
17.0	1.0	557.1	TOTAL -- Substance Abuse and Mental Health			15,066.2	128,262.4

15.2		73.8	(-10) Administration	60.0	7,351.7
1.0		83.0	(-20) Community Mental Health	10,305.0	55,909.4
0.8		368.3	(-30) Delaware Psychiatric Center	3,696.8	40,241.4
	1.0	32.0	(-40) Substance Abuse	1,004.4	24,759.9
17.0	1.0	557.1	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	15,066.2	128,262.4

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NSF	ASF	GF
205.6		297.1
205.6		297.1

(35-07-00) Social Services

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Tobacco Fund:
SSI Supplement
Other Items:
Cost Recovery
TANF Cash Assistance
TANF Child Support Pass Through
Child Care
Emergency Assistance
Employment and Training
General Assistance
Technology Operations
Group Violence Intervention
Summer EBT Program
Family Access and Visitation
Community Food Program
Emergency Housing/Shelters
Kinship Care
TOTAL -- Social Services

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			24,764.5
		7.8	0.8
		320.1	3,194.1
		231.3	914.0
		64.1	165.9
		39.8	52.8
		984.0	
		75.1	
			14,020.2
		1,200.0	
			76,929.8
			1,603.9
			2,419.7
			4,678.7
			6,417.7
			2,900.0
			500.0
			473.0
			433.7
			1,658.6
			60.0
		2,922.2	141,187.4

190.6		200.5
15.0		96.6
205.6		297.1

(-01) Social Services
(-02) State Service Centers
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

2,259.1	128,378.3
663.1	12,809.1
2,922.2	141,187.4

(35-08-00) Visually Impaired

18.0		47.0
18.0		47.0

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
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Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Other Items:
BEP Unassigned Vending
BEP Independence
BEP Vending
Education
Educational Technology
TOTAL -- Visually Impaired

	4,135.3
	1.5
	775.5
	75.1
	66.8
	39.1
175.0	
450.0	
425.0	
	295.0
	200.0
1,050.0	5,588.3

18.0		47.0
18.0		47.0

(-01) Visually Impaired Services
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

1,050.0	5,588.3
1,050.0	5,588.3

(35-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(35-09-00) Health Care Quality	
29.7		40.3				3,985.8
						0.3
						919.5
						8.2
						15.2
					135.3	
					150.0	
					1,250.0	
					48.3	
29.7		40.3	TOTAL -- Health Care Quality		1,583.6	4,929.0
29.7		40.3	(-01) Health Care Quality		1,583.6	4,929.0
29.7		40.3	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		1,583.6	4,929.0
					(35-10-00) Child Support Services	
126.5	2.1	54.4			188.0	3,994.1
					9.6	
					1,024.9	276.9
					30.0	16.1
					23.0	
					162.9	
					25.0	
						1,919.3
126.5	2.1	54.4	TOTAL -- Child Support Services		1,463.4	6,206.4
126.5	2.1	54.4	(-01) Child Support Services		1,463.4	6,206.4
126.5	2.1	54.4	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		1,463.4	6,206.4
					(35-11-00) Developmental Disabilities Services	
1.2	1.0	407.0			42.4	31,358.3
						1.1
						3,902.7
						919.7
						810.9
						13.5
					55.9	
					575.0	
						1.1
					4,843.5	28,828.2
						75,213.9
1.2	1.0	407.0	TOTAL -- Developmental Disabilities Services		5,516.8	141,049.4
1.2	1.0	80.8	(-10) Administration		617.4	7,682.0
		203.8	(-20) Stockley Center			18,280.9
		122.4	(-30) Community Services		4,899.4	115,086.5
1.2	1.0	407.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		5,516.8	141,049.4

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NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(35-14-00) Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities	
24.8		583.9				47,332.8
						1.1
						22,014.6
						1,258.5
						2,225.6
						50.5
					568.5	
					153.2	
					25.0	
					500.0	
						789.9
						249.1
					469.5	
					559.0	
					1,674.3	
					25.0	
					15.0	
					250.0	
						83.2
						110.0
24.8		583.9			4,239.5	74,115.3
					TOTAL -- Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities	
24.8		104.3	1,261.7	28,663.9		
		479.6	2,977.8	45,451.4		
24.8		583.9	4,239.5	74,115.3		
					TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	
1,007.6	84.3	2,926.2			141,623.7	1,635,847.5
					TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES	

**(37-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES FOR CHILDREN,
YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES**

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(37-01-00) Management Support Services			
5.0	8.2	204.9			471.4	20,211.9
						22.2
					1,500.0	4,876.7
						22.2
						311.6
						8.4
						7,716.5
						613.9
					80.0	2,500.0
						61.1
5.0	8.2	204.9	TOTAL -- Management Support Services		2,051.4	36,344.5
			(37-02-00) Internal Program Units			
		8.0				3,907.6
4.3	0.5	61.0	180.0	6,091.1		
0.7	7.7	37.7	371.4	3,140.8		
		13.0				4,160.2
						69.8
		7.0				706.3
						7,567.5
		58.0				
		20.2	1,500.0	10,701.2		
5.0	8.2	204.9	2,051.4	36,344.5	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	
			(37-04-00) Prevention and Behavioral Health Services			
8.0	30.8	176.0			3,192.7	16,885.2
						14.9
					2,500.0	28,787.6
						137.2
						318.5
						14.9
					40.0	
						152.5
		2.0				5,591.2
		57.0				1,725.0
						2,964.3
8.0	30.8	235.0	TOTAL -- Prevention and Behavioral Health Services		5,732.7	56,591.3
			(37-05-00) Internal Program Units			
5.0	4.0	23.0	1,036.0	5,313.4		
3.0	1.5	69.5	405.1	12,335.4		
	24.8	53.0	2,691.6	19,189.9		
	0.5	89.5	1,600.0	19,752.6		
8.0	30.8	235.0	5,732.7	56,591.3	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	

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Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(37-05-00) Youth Rehabilitative Services				
1.0		393.0	Personnel Costs				33,955.1
			Travel				16.8
			Contractual Services				14,416.2
			Energy				898.1
			Supplies and Materials				1,438.7
			Capital Outlay				6.7
1.0		393.0	TOTAL -- Youth Rehabilitative Services				50,731.6
		9.0	(-10) Office of the Director		924.6		
1.0		80.0	(-30) Community Services		18,401.4		
		304.0	(-50) Secure Care		31,405.6		
1.0		393.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		50,731.6		
			(37-06-00) Family Services				
16.0	6.0	402.1	Personnel Costs			653.7	32,474.3
			Travel				20.4
			Contractual Services				3,340.8
			Energy				5.2
			Supplies and Materials				73.4
			Capital Outlay				13.8
			Other Items:				
			Emergency Material Assistance				31.0
			Child Welfare/Contractual Services			1,000.0	39,318.6
16.0	6.0	402.1	TOTAL -- Family Services			1,653.7	75,277.5
		40.0	(-10) Office of the Director	34.7	5,544.7		
9.0	2.0	212.1	(-30) Intake/Investigation	246.0	17,125.4		
7.0	4.0	150.0	(-40) Intervention/Treatment	1,373.0	52,607.4		
16.0	6.0	402.1	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	1,653.7	75,277.5		
30.0	45.0	1,235.0	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF			9,437.8	218,944.9
			SERVICES FOR CHILDREN,				
			YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES				

(38-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION

Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(38-01-00) Administration				
		109.0	Personnel Costs				8,395.2
			Travel				190.1
			Contractual Services				3,014.5
			Energy				166.6
			Supplies and Materials				102.4
			Capital Outlay				1.0
			Other Items:				
			Information Technology				3,608.8
			Drug Testing				112.6
		4.0	Expungement Acts				219.5
		113.0	TOTAL -- Administration				15,810.7
		16.0	(-01) Office of the Commissioner		1,391.5		
		3.0	(-02) Human Resources		406.3		
		10.0	(-03) Planning, Research and Reentry		1,626.1		
		3.0	(-04) Education		490.8		
		26.0	(-10) Administrative Services		4,039.6		
		44.0	(-12) Central Offender Records		3,179.3		
		11.0	(-14) Information Technology		4,677.1		
		113.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		15,810.7		
			(38-02-00) Healthcare, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services				
		12.0	Personnel Costs				1,356.7
			Medical Services				81,251.7
			Drug and Alcohol Treatment				8,689.8
		12.0	TOTAL -- Healthcare, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services				91,298.2
		12.0	(-01) Medical Treatment and Services		91,298.2		
		12.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		91,298.2		
			(38-04-00) Prisons				
	10.0	1,905.0	Personnel Costs			866.4	217,218.0
			Travel			19.0	76.0
			Contractual Services			480.2	8,469.8
			Energy				7,454.6
			Supplies and Materials			1,847.6	14,153.3
			Capital Outlay			91.5	183.4
			Other Items:				
			Emergency Preparedness				23.6
			Gate Money				8.0
		1.0	Prison Arts				110.1
			JTVCC Fence				50.0
			Central Supply Warehouse				96.2
			Vehicles			40.5	
	10.0	1,906.0	TOTAL -- Prisons			3,345.2	247,843.0

(38-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION

	Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
6			8.0	(-01) Bureau Chief - Prisons		2,492.2		
7			703.0	(-03) James T. Vaughn Correctional Center		87,346.4		
8			368.0	(-04) Sussex Correctional Institution		47,480.8		
9			131.0	(-05) Delores J. Baylor Correctional Institution		16,116.6		
10			358.0	(-06) Howard R. Young Correctional Institution		43,486.5		
11			74.0	(-08) Special Operations		11,535.3		
12		10.0	15.0	(-09) Delaware Correctional Industries	3,345.2	2,069.5		
13			70.0	(-12) Steven R. Floyd Sr. Training Academy		6,437.7		
14			17.0	(-13) Intelligence Operations Center		2,045.9		
15			87.0	(-20) Food Services		20,907.7		
16			75.0	(-40) Facilities Maintenance		7,924.4		
17		10.0	1,906.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	3,345.2	247,843.0		
(38-06-00) Community Corrections								
18			612.0	Personnel Costs				70,610.5
19				Travel			5.0	30.0
20				Contractual Services			128.0	5,766.7
21				Energy			30.0	1,105.1
22				Supplies and Materials			369.7	939.6
23				Capital Outlay			95.0	759.2
24				Other Item:				
25				Riverview Cemetery Maintenance				70.0
26			612.0	TOTAL -- Community Corrections			627.7	79,281.1
27			5.0	(-01) Bureau Chief - Community Corrections		1,083.7		
28			360.0	(-02) Probation and Parole		47,969.7		
29			83.0	(-07) Sussex County Community Corrections	437.7	10,693.1		
30			63.0	(-08) Kent County Community Corrections	95.0	8,810.1		
31			38.0	(-13) Hazel D. Plant Women's Treatment Facility	38.0	3,784.1		
32			63.0	(-14) Plummer Community Corrections Center	57.0	6,940.4		
33			612.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	627.7	79,281.1		
34		10.0	2,643.0	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION			3,972.9	434,233.0

**(40-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
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Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(40-01-00) Office of the Secretary	
20.2	16.1	78.7			2,290.4	6,734.2
					29.9	5.9
					1,071.3	935.6
					77.5	658.4
					152.8	79.2
					51.2	
					30.0	
						203.4
					20.0	
					15.0	
					15.0	
					105.0	
					20.0	
					5,750.0	
					120.0	
20.2	16.1	78.7	TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary		9,748.1	8,616.7
	4.0	17.0			1,064.0	3,475.9
0.5	7.8	20.7			687.2	2,426.7
		1.0			618.3	524.0
19.7	2.3	1.0			5,780.0	83.3
	2.0	39.0			1,598.6	2,106.8
20.2	16.1	78.7	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		9,748.1	8,616.7

**(40-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL**

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(40-03-00) Office of Natural Resources			
58.3	99.7	195.0			10,249.2	22,323.0
					65.8	8.1
					9,668.5	3,503.7
					281.9	1,055.9
					1,910.6	789.8
					232.7	2.0
					5.0	
						789.9
					10.0	
						72.9
					40.0	
					50.0	
					19.0	192.4
					32.4	
					180.0	
					5.0	
					50.0	
					130.0	
					600.0	
					277.5	
					38.0	
		1.0				157.6
					520.0	
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					8,000.0	
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					1,092.3	
					2,442.8	
					50.0	
					553.9	
					581.1	
					1,300.0	
					20.0	
					1,653.5	
58.3	99.7	196.0	TOTAL -- Office of Natural Resources		40,458.4	29,200.3
11.5	66.5	96.0	(-02) Parks and Recreation		23,300.5	12,798.4
34.9	30.2	50.9	(-03) Fish and Wildlife		6,363.6	8,427.1
11.9	3.0	49.1	(-04) Watershed Stewardship		10,794.3	7,974.8
58.3	99.7	196.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		40,458.4	29,200.3

*Pursuant to 7 Del. C. § 3921

**(40-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL**

	Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
6	(40-04-00) Office of Environmental Protection							
7	98.9	124.5	92.6	Personnel Costs			3,604.6	9,933.5
8				Travel			53.0	
9				Contractual Services			1,785.9	1,168.1
10				Energy				118.5
11				Supplies and Materials			106.4	299.8
12				Capital Outlay			130.0	
13				Other Items:				
14				Local Emergency Planning Committees			343.0	
15				AST Administration			404.4	
16				HSCA - Clean-up			20,121.1	
17				HSCA - Brownfields			5,051.7	
18				HSCA - Administration			2,595.7	
19				SARA			30.0	14.3
20				UST Administration			390.6	
21				UST Recovered Costs			100.0	
22				Stage II Vapor Recovery			75.0	
23				Extremely Hazardous Substance Program			180.9	
24				Environmental Response			525.8	
25				Non-Title V			164.8	
26				Enhanced I and M Program			241.2	
27				Public Outreach			20.0	
28				Tire Administration			196.7	
29				Tire Clean-up			1,500.0	
30				Whole Basin Management/TMDL				643.8
31				Board of Certification			14.0	
32				Environmental Labs Personnel			1,100.0	
33				Environmental Labs Expenditures			467.0	
34				Surface Water Personnel			362.2	
35				Surface Water Expenditures			96.8	
36				Groundwater Personnel			59.1	
37				Groundwater Expenditures			207.5	
38				Water Supply Personnel			220.9	
39				Water Supply Expenditures			201.0	
40				Wetlands Personnel			497.2	
41				Wetlands Expenditures			128.5	
42				Hazardous Waste Transporter Fees			91.6	
43				Waste End Personnel			30.4	
44				Waste End Assessment			73.7	
45				Hazardous Waste Personnel			170.3	
46				Hazardous Waste Fees			32.5	
47				Solid Waste Transporter Personnel			92.9	
48				Solid Waste Transporter Fees			21.2	
49				Solid Waste Personnel			427.4	
50				Solid Waste Fees			55.0	
51				Polly Drummond Yard Waste Site				490.0
52				SRF Future Administration			450.0	

**(40-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL**

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Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			RGGI LIHEAP			780.0	
			RGGI CO2 Emissions			10,140.0	
			RGGI Administration 10%			1,579.9	
			RGGI Reduction Project			1,560.0	
			RGGI Weatherization			1,560.0	
			Other Items			1,174.8	
98.9	124.5	92.6	TOTAL -- Office of Environmental Protection			59,214.7	12,668.0
19.0	32.0	11.0	(-02) Air Quality	4,454.4	1,987.3		
19.8	39.9	44.3	(-03) Water	4,038.6	5,698.7		
33.3	44.4	22.3	(-04) Waste and Hazardous Substances	34,083.9	3,314.0		
26.8	8.2	15.0	(-05) Climate, Coastal, and Energy	16,637.8	1,668.0		
98.9	124.5	92.6	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	59,214.7	12,668.0		
177.4	240.3	367.3	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF			109,421.2	50,485.0
			NATURAL RESOURCES AND				
			ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL				

(45-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(45-01-00) Office of the Secretary			
45.8	10.5	118.9			2,640.6	12,378.2
					39.0	22.7
					355.3	1,745.0
					18.7	477.4
					42.0	825.5
					5.0	52.6
						11.8
		0.8				58.4
		2.0				324.6
						15.0
						50.0
						500.3
					2,125.0	
					2,125.0	
					888.2	
					100.0	
					336.0	
					170.4	
					0.7	
45.8	10.5	121.7	TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary		8,845.9	16,461.5
2.0		21.0		4,350.0		3,401.3
	3.5	23.5		1,635.6		3,045.8
31.8		11.2				1,225.5
8.0		2.0				200.4
4.0						20.0
		2.0				340.2
	7.0			2,860.3		
		62.0				8,228.3
45.8	10.5	121.7	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		8,845.9	16,461.5
			(45-02-00) Capitol Police			
	1.0	105.0			92.4	10,760.0
						5.5
						439.7
						138.6
					168.6	
	1.0	105.0	TOTAL -- Capitol Police		261.0	11,343.8
			(-10) Capitol Police			
	1.0	105.0		261.0		11,343.8
	1.0	105.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		261.0	11,343.8

(45-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(45-04-00) Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement			
1.5	2.0	11.5	Personnel Costs		43.1	1,620.2
			Travel		2.8	0.5
			Contractual Services		36.6	297.5
			Supplies and Materials		10.0	25.2
			Capital Outlay		1.0	1.1
			Tobacco Fund:			
	4.0		Personnel Costs		482.3	
			Contractual Services		101.1	
			Supplies and Materials		24.1	
			Other Items		110.0	
	13.0		Marijuana Control Act		2,445.0	
1.5	19.0	11.5	TOTAL -- Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement		3,256.0	1,944.5
1.5	19.0	11.5	(-10) Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement		3,256.0	1,944.5
1.5	19.0	11.5	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		3,256.0	1,944.5
			(45-05-00) Office of the Marijuana Commissioner			
	4.0		Marijuana Control Act		890.9	
	4.0		TOTAL -- Office of the Marijuana Commissioner		890.9	
	4.0		(-10) Office of the Marijuana Commissioner		890.9	
	4.0		TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		890.9	
			(45-06-00) State Police			
51.8	68.0	866.2	Personnel Costs		6,428.4	139,728.6
			Travel		136.8	
			Contractual Services		1,570.4	7,841.5
			Energy			145.7
			Supplies and Materials		1,391.1	7,497.0
			Capital Outlay		1,046.0	146.0
			Other Items:			
			Vehicles		79.8	3,609.6
			Real Time Crime Reporting		48.1	
			Other Items		112.5	
			Crime Reduction Fund			110.0
			Special Duty Fund		7,069.2	
	20.0		Fund to Combat Violent Crimes - State Police			
		15.0	Body Camera Program			2,032.0
		15.0	Expungement Acts			1,079.4
		19.0	Firearm Transaction Approval Program			2,308.0
		5.0	Lethal Firearms Safety Program			530.3
		10.0	Permit to Purchase			1,100.0
51.8	88.0	930.2	TOTAL -- State Police		17,882.3	166,128.1

(45-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY

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Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
		59.0	(-01) Executive	226.7	9,682.4		
		5.0	(-02) Building Maintenance and Construction		655.8		
	32.0	384.0	(-03) Patrol	4,183.6	66,369.7		
35.5	12.0	155.5	(-04) Criminal Investigation	6,426.3	30,914.0		
	10.0	63.0	(-05) Special Investigation	588.7	13,841.5		
		28.0	(-06) Aviation		7,531.9		
13.3	14.0	4.7	(-07) Traffic	3,165.4	1,368.4		
	17.0	102.0	(-08) State Bureau of Identification	1,455.2	10,328.4		
		11.0	(-09) Training	340.7	3,180.7		
1.0	3.0	95.0	(-10) Communications	212.1	10,013.2		
		13.0	(-11) Transportation	1,283.6	9,999.4		
2.0		10.0	(-12) Community Relations		2,242.7		
51.8	88.0	930.2	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	17,882.3	166,128.1		
99.1	122.5	1,168.4	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY	31,136.1	195,877.9		

(55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Personnel					\$ Line Item	
NSF	TFO	TFC			GF	TFO
			(55-01-00) Office of the Secretary			
			(55-01-01) Office of the Secretary			
	36.0		Personnel Costs			3,319.1
			Travel			24.1
			Contractual Services			153.8
			Supplies and Materials			6.5
			Salary Contingency			366.8
	36.0		TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary			3,870.3
			(55-01-02) Finance			
	57.0		Personnel Costs			14,319.4
			Travel			7.1
			Contractual Services			6,259.2
			Energy			1,021.9
			Supplies and Materials			383.2
	57.0		TOTAL -- Finance			21,990.8
			(55-01-03) Community Relations			
	7.0		Personnel Costs			907.9
			Travel			10.0
			Contractual Services			124.8
			Supplies and Materials			27.0
	7.0		TOTAL -- Community Relations			1,069.7
			(55-01-04) Human Resources			
			Travel			6.2
			Contractual Services			283.5
			Supplies and Materials			47.7
			TOTAL -- Human Resources			337.4
	100.0		TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary			27,268.2
			(55-02-01) Technology and Innovation			
	18.0		Personnel Costs			1,568.9
			Travel			24.1
			Contractual Services			15,085.2
			Supplies and Materials			1,137.4
	18.0		TOTAL -- Technology and Innovation			17,815.6

(55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Personnel					S Line Item	
NSF	TFO	TFC			GF	TFO
			(55-03-01) Planning			
	50.0	10.0	Personnel Costs			4,938.1
			Travel			25.4
			Contractual Services			1,622.7
			Energy			7.0
			Supplies and Materials			128.3
			Capital Outlay			10.0
	50.0	10.0	TOTAL -- Planning			6,731.5
			(55-04-00) Maintenance and Operations			
			(55-04-70) Maintenance Districts			
	687.0	30.0	Personnel Costs			50,542.5
			Travel			16.9
			Contractual Services			12,099.9
			Energy			2,486.1
			Supplies and Materials			9,272.4
			Capital Outlay			210.0
			Snow/Storm Contingency			10,000.0
	687.0	30.0	TOTAL -- Maintenance Districts			84,627.8
	687.0	30.0	TOTAL -- Maintenance and Operations			84,627.8
			(55-06-01) Delaware Transportation Authority			
			Delaware Transit Corporation			
			Transit Operations			116,794.6
			Taxi Services Support "E & D"			148.5
			Kent and Sussex Transportation "E & D"			1,494.3
			TOTAL -- Delaware Transit Corporation			118,437.4
			DTA Indebtedness			
			Debt Service:			
			Transportation Trust Fund			91,564.8
			TOTAL -- DTA Indebtedness			91,564.8
			TOTAL -- Delaware Transportation Authority*			210,002.2
*Delaware Transportation Authority, 2 Del. C. c. 13.						
These funds, except the Regulatory Revolving Funds, are not deposited with the State Treasurer.						
			(55-07-01) US 301 Maintenance Operations			
	9.0		Personnel Costs			732.9
			Contractual Services			2,368.4
			Energy			98.5
			Supplies and Materials			222.0
			Debt Service			16,695.6
	9.0		TOTAL -- US 301 Maintenance Operations			20,117.4

(55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Personnel					\$ Line Item	
NSF	TFO	TFC			GF	TFO
			(55-08-00) Transportation Solutions			
			(55-08-30) Project Teams			
	64.0	253.0	Personnel Costs			6,904.4
			Travel			6.0
			Contractual Services			800.9
			Energy			34.9
			Supplies and Materials			207.2
			Capital Outlay			171.4
	64.0	253.0	TOTAL -- Project Teams			8,124.8
			(55-08-40) Traffic			
	141.0	3.0	Personnel Costs			12,083.7
			Contractual Services			4,606.6
			Energy			586.8
			Supplies and Materials			553.1
			Capital Outlay			47.7
	141.0	3.0	TOTAL -- Traffic			17,877.9
	205.0	256.0	TOTAL -- Transportation Solutions			26,002.7
			(55-11-00) Motor Vehicles			
			(55-11-10) Administration			
	411.0		Personnel Costs			28,551.1
			Travel			20.0
			Contractual Services			4,577.1
			Supplies and Materials			703.3
			Capital Outlay			53.1
			Motorcycle Safety			154.0
	411.0		TOTAL -- Administration			34,058.6
			(55-11-60) Toll Administration			
	106.0		Personnel Costs			8,379.9
			Travel			3.0
			Contractual Services			3,062.3
			Energy			273.3
			Supplies and Materials			306.3
			Capital Outlay			41.0
			Contractual - E-ZPass Operations	5,000.0		18,081.2
	106.0		TOTAL -- Toll Administration	5,000.0		30,147.0
	517.0		TOTAL -- Motor Vehicles	5,000.0		64,205.6
	1,586.0	296.0	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	5,000.0		456,771.0

(60-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(60-01-00) Administration			
17.6	32.8	3.6	Personnel Costs		2,136.4	296.2
			Travel		13.0	
			Contractual Services		1,494.6	299.1
			Energy			11.4
			Supplies and Materials		66.0	15.0
			Capital Outlay		40.0	
17.6	32.8	3.6	TOTAL -- Administration		3,750.0	621.7
1.0	6.6	0.4	(-10) Office of the Secretary		1,605.9	296.9
8.0		1.0	(-20) Office of Occupational and Labor Market Information			99.1
8.6	17.2	2.2	(-40) Administrative Support		2,144.1	225.7
	9.0		(-50) Paid Family Medical Leave			
17.6	32.8	3.6	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		3,750.0	621.7
			(60-06-00) Unemployment Insurance			
121.0	3.0		Personnel Costs		188.3	
			Travel		0.1	
			Contractual Services		210.9	
			Energy		1.0	
			Supplies and Materials		2.5	
			Capital Outlay		2.2	
			Other Item:			
			Revenue Refund		71.9	
121.0	3.0		TOTAL -- Unemployment Insurance		476.9	
121.0	3.0		(-01) Unemployment Insurance		476.9	
121.0	3.0		TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit		476.9	
			(60-07-00) Industrial Affairs			
16.0	53.4	18.6	Personnel Costs		5,647.2	1,553.3
			Travel		38.3	
			Contractual Services		2,226.1	162.1
			Supplies and Materials		34.0	
			Capital Outlay		43.6	
16.0	53.4	18.6	TOTAL -- Industrial Affairs		7,989.2	1,715.4
1.1	37.9		(-01) Office of Workers' Compensation		5,819.8	
5.4	14.0	9.6	(-02) Office of Labor Law Enforcement		1,871.7	908.9
6.5	1.5		(-03) Occupational Safety and Health Administration/Bureau of Labor Statistics		297.7	
3.0		9.0	(-04) Anti-Discrimination			806.5
16.0	53.4	18.6	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		7,989.2	1,715.4

(60-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

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NSF	ASF	GF
128.5	1.5	2.0
128.5	1.5	2.0

(60-08-00) Vocational Rehabilitation
 Personnel Costs
 Travel
 Contractual Services
 Supplies and Materials
 Other Item:
 Supported Employment
TOTAL -- Vocational Rehabilitation

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
		449.4	163.2
			0.5
		566.0	3,632.6
		32.0	76.9
			560.7
		1,047.4	4,433.9

74.5	1.5	2.0
54.0		
128.5	1.5	2.0

(-10) Vocational Rehabilitation Services
 (-20) Disability Determination Services
TOTAL -- Internal Program Units

1,047.4	4,433.9
1,047.4	4,433.9

67.0	4.0	25.0
67.0	4.0	25.0

(60-09-00) Employment and Training
 Personnel Costs
 Travel
 Contractual Services
 Energy
 Supplies and Materials
 Other Items:
 Summer Youth Program
 Welfare Reform
 Blue Collar Skills
 Workforce Development
 Learning for Careers Program
 Elevate Delaware
 Advancement Through Pardons and Expungements
TOTAL -- Employment and Training

310.2	1,942.0
5.0	3.0
187.6	826.6
	7.3
20.0	21.4
	625.0
	863.1
3,930.0	
	630.0
	500.0
	500.0
	175.0
4,452.8	6,093.4

67.0	4.0	25.0
67.0	4.0	25.0

(-20) Employment and Training Services
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit

4,452.8	6,093.4
4,452.8	6,093.4

350.1	94.7	49.2
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TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

17,716.3	12,864.4
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(65-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(65-01-00) Agriculture			
20.2	46.2	82.6			4,675.6	7,480.6
					131.5	26.8
					1,307.7	661.0
					33.1	22.7
					275.8	131.1
					348.3	20.5
	2.0				126.6	
						823.3
						139.6
						10.0
						19.6
						497.2
						260.0
					15.0	
					7.7	
					110.0	
					75.5	
					1,015.0	
					75.0	
					35.0	
					5.0	
20.2	48.2	82.6	TOTAL -- Agriculture		8,236.8	10,092.4
	1.0	16.0		327.5	2,756.6	
		7.0		45.0	729.2	
8.2	13.7	5.1		1,156.5	516.8	
5.0	2.5	17.5		801.7	1,537.9	
1.0	11.0			2,434.8		
2.0	7.0			846.7		
0.5		3.5			357.7	
2.0		10.0		142.3	930.1	
1.0		9.0			955.4	
	10.0			1,877.5		
	1.0	8.0		63.3	833.6	
0.5		5.5			1,415.4	
	2.0	1.0		541.5	59.7	
20.2	48.2	82.6	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		8,236.8	10,092.4
20.2	48.2	82.6	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE		8,236.8	10,092.4

(70-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS

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NSF	ASF	GF
		45.0
		45.0

\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			4,109.5
			0.1
			933.3
			10.1
			9.4
			20.0
			1,642.0
			15.0
			6,739.4

(70-01-01) State Election Commissioner

Personnel Costs
Travel
Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Other Items:
 Technology Development
 Voting Machines
 Voter Purging

TOTAL -- State Election Commissioner

(70-02-01) New Castle County Elections

Travel
Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Other Item:
 School Elections

TOTAL -- New Castle County Elections

(70-03-01) Kent County Elections

Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Other Item:
 School Elections

TOTAL -- Kent County Elections

(70-04-01) Sussex County Elections

Travel
Contractual Services
Energy
Supplies and Materials
Capital Outlay
Other Item:
 School Elections

TOTAL -- Sussex County Elections

TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS

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(75-00-00) FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION

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NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(75-01-01) Office of the State Fire Marshal			
	25.5	26.5			1,945.2	2,930.8
					34.0	
					366.8	454.6
						62.6
					81.0	23.4
					196.2	
					1.5	
	25.5	26.5	TOTAL -- Office of the State Fire Marshal		2,624.7	3,471.4
			(75-02-01) State Fire School			
		22.0				2,671.9
						397.9
						118.2
						160.0
						35.5
						4.6
						150.8
					50.0	
						120.0
		22.0	TOTAL -- State Fire School		50.0	3,658.9
			(75-03-01) State Fire Prevention Commission			
		12.0				922.8
						13.0
						188.4
						16.1
						75.0
						52.0
		12.0	TOTAL -- State Fire Prevention Commission			1,267.3
	25.5	60.5	TOTAL -- FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION		2,674.7	8,397.6

(76-00-00) DELAWARE NATIONAL GUARD

Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
					(76-01-01) Delaware National Guard	
97.5		31.5				3,835.2
						18.0
						753.4
						716.6
						140.0
						27.1
						397.7
						85.0
97.5		31.5	TOTAL -- Delaware National Guard			5,973.0
97.5		31.5	TOTAL -- DELAWARE NATIONAL GUARD			5,973.0

(77-00-00) ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CITIZENS

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NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(77-01-01) Advisory Council for Exceptional Citizens			
		3.0				316.7
						3.1
						31.5
						5.0
		3.0	TOTAL -- Advisory Council for Exceptional Citizens			356.3
3.0			TOTAL -- ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CITIZENS		356.3	

(90-00-00) HIGHER EDUCATION

	Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
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(90-00-00) HIGHER EDUCATION

	Personnel			\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	(90-04-00) Delaware Technical Community College						
	(90-04-01) Office of the President						
	42.0		57.0				16,510.8
							100.0
							39.3
							50.0
							236.0
							1,496.9
							1,000.0
							1,250.0
	42.0		57.0	TOTAL -- Office of the President			20,683.0
	(90-04-02) Owens Campus						
	76.0		219.0				23,892.9
							125.0
							244.8
							48.2
							31.2
	76.0		219.0	TOTAL -- Owens Campus			24,342.1
	(90-04-04) George Campus						
	71.0		166.0				17,239.6
							392.8
							199.8
							32.5
							40.1
	71.0		166.0	TOTAL -- George Campus			17,904.8
	(90-04-05) Stanton Campus						
	76.0		197.0				21,126.1
							184.8
							27.5
							41.1
	76.0		197.0	TOTAL -- Stanton Campus			21,379.5
	(90-04-06) Terry Campus						
	95.0		154.0				15,889.8
							218.3
							21.0
							21.7
	95.0		154.0	TOTAL -- Terry Campus			16,150.8
	360.0		793.0	TOTAL -- Delaware Technical Community College			100,460.2
	360.0		793.0	TOTAL -- HIGHER EDUCATION			298,802.5

(95-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
			(95-01-00) Department of Education			
			(95-01-01) Office of the Secretary			
		18.0				2,734.0
						13.0
		18.0				2,747.0
			(95-01-02) Academic Support			
12.1		27.9				4,489.5
						27.9
	1.0				191.3	1,084.0
						5,916.5
		4.0				669.1
12.1	1.0	31.9			191.3	12,187.0
			(95-01-03) Student Support			
12.3		21.7				3,374.7
	3.0	1.0			1,254.0	152.0
12.3	3.0	22.7			1,254.0	3,526.7
			(95-01-04) Workforce Support			
2.8		30.2				4,359.8
						500.5
						1,059.6
						483.5
						381.2
2.8		30.2				6,784.6
			(95-01-05) Operations Support			
4.0		47.0				6,681.6
						1,373.3
						77.7
						34.6
						10.0
						4,490.7
	2.0				221.5	
4.0	2.0	47.0			221.5	12,667.9
			(95-01-06) Early Childhood Support			
13.0		29.0				3,290.6
						153.0
13.0		29.0				3,443.6
			(95-01-20) Office of Equity and Innovation			
		1.0				201.4
						120.0
		1.0				321.4

(95-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

	Personnel				\$ Program		\$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	GF		ASF	GF	ASF	GF
5				(95-01-30) Professional Standards Board				
6			1.0	Personnel Costs				207.9
7				Professional Standards Board				21.0
8			1.0	TOTAL -- Professional Standards Board				228.9
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10				(95-01-40) State Board of Education				
11			1.0	Personnel Costs				134.0
12				State Board of Education				70.0
13				P-20 Council				4.0
14			1.0	TOTAL -- State Board of Education				208.0
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16	44.2	6.0	181.8	TOTAL -- Department of Education			1,666.8	42,115.1
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18				(95-02-00) District and Charter Operations				
19				Division I Units (11,159):				
20			16,492.1	Personnel Costs				1,333,077.7
21				Cafeteria Funds				20,609.0
22				Division II Units (12,365):				
23				All Other Costs				10,026.3
24				Energy				29,270.0
25				Division III:				
26				Equalization				111,579.6
27				Other Items:				
28				General Contingency				23,120.3
29				School Improvement Funds				2,500.0
30				Other Items				750.4
31				Delmar Tuition				186.7
32				Skills, Knowledge and Responsibility Pay Supplements				7,168.1
33				Educational Sustainment Fund				28,150.9
34				Odyssey of the Mind				48.4
35				Teacher of the Year				61.9
36				Educational Support Professional of the Year				9.0
37				Delaware Science Coalition		1,720.5		960.3
38				Student Organization				491.3
39				World Language Expansion				1,648.5
40				College Access				1,400.0
41				CPR Instruction				40.0
42				Student Discipline Program				5,335.2
43				Related Services for Students with Disabilities				4,171.5
44				Exceptional Student Unit - Vocational				360.0
45				Unique Alternatives		711.4		14,591.8
46				Opportunity Funding				63,000.0
47				Math Coaches				1,560.0
48				Year Long Residencies				1,000.0
49				Delaware Literacy Plan				850.0
50				Child Safety Awareness				282.5

(95-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
						250.0
						59,314.7
						20,200.0
						9.0
						4,000.0
						100.0
						1,000.0
						200.0
						1,000.0
						2,420.8
						3,000.0
						242.0
						6,664.3
						56,517.8
						3,767.5
						3,974.0
						2,000.0
						2,000.0
						180,406.2
		16,492.1			2,431.9	2,009,315.7

TOTAL -- District and Charter Operations

		16,492.1		1,504,562.6
			2,431.9	249,423.3
				74,923.6
				180,406.2
		16,492.1	2,431.9	2,009,315.7

(95-03-00) Pass Through and Other Support Programs

						516.8
						700.0
						150.0
						126.0
						203.3
						15,774.3
	12.0			1,668.8		6,458.7
		47.5				36,416.6
						267.9
		2.0				1,065.5
						500.0
						2,154.4
	0.2	9.8		42.0		2,218.4
						17,537.6
						10,731.0
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(95-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
						700.0
						300.0
						497.6
						9,028.8
					60.0	
	12.2	59.3	TOTAL -- Pass Through and Other Support Programs		1,770.8	105,396.9
	12.0	49.5		1,696.1		
	0.2	9.8	1,668.8	60,483.0		
			42.0	2,154.4		
				32,034.6		
			60.0	9,028.8		
	12.2	59.3	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		1,770.8	105,396.9
(95-06-00) Delaware Advisory Council on Career and Technical Education						
		3.0				304.1
						2.5
						60.6
						3.0
		3.0	TOTAL -- Delaware Advisory Council on Career and Technical Education			370.2
		3.0		370.2		
		3.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			370.2
44.2	18.2	16,736.2	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION		5,869.5	2,157,197.9

Year ending June 30, 2025

Personnel				
TFO	TFC	NSF	ASF	GF
1,586.0	296.0	1,938.1	1,848.8	11,661.5
		360.0		793.0
		44.2	18.2	16,736.2
1,586.0	296.0	2,342.3	1,867.0	29,190.7

TOTALS

TOTAL -- DEPARTMENTS

TOTAL -- HIGHER EDUCATION

TOTAL -- PUBLIC EDUCATION

GRAND TOTAL

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TFO	ASF	GF
456,771.0	895,029.6	3,673,215.4
		298,802.5
	5,869.5	2,157,197.9
456,771.0	900,899.1	6,129,215.8

1 **GENERAL**

2 **Section 2.** Any previous act inconsistent with the provisions of this Act is hereby suspended to the extent
3 of such inconsistency.

4 **Section 3.** If any provision of this Act, or of any rule, regulation or order thereunder, or the application of
5 such provision to any person or circumstances, shall be invalid, the remainder of this Act and the application of such
6 provisions of this Act or of such rule, regulation or order to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is
7 held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

8 **Section 4.** The monies appropriated in Section 1 of this Act shall be paid by the State Treasurer from the
9 General Fund, except as otherwise referenced in Section 1.

10 **Section 5.** The provisions of this Act to the contrary notwithstanding, any section, chapter or title of the
11 Delaware Code and any Laws of Delaware providing for the application of "Sunset" shall be operative for those
12 agencies, commissions or boards effective during the current fiscal year.

13 **Section 6.** Due to the budget format, the restructuring of divisions into programs within divisions has
14 created more exempt positions per division than allowed by law for the participating departments; therefore, all
15 exempt positions authorized by 29 Del. C. § 5903, prior to July 1, 1987, shall remain exempt for this current fiscal
16 year, except as otherwise specified in this Act.

17 **Section 7.** (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6334(c), for the current fiscal year ~~2024~~, the
18 proposed budget plan, as prepared by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, shall be in such a
19 format that it can readily be analyzed and comprehensive in nature.

20 (b) This Act has been prepared in conformance with 78 Del. Laws, c. 90. For all sections with the
21 exception of Section 1, all comparisons to the previous year's Budget Act are shown noting insertions by
22 underlining and deletions by strikethrough.

23 (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6340(a), Section 1 of this Act summarizes salary and
24 wage and other employment costs into a single line entitled Personnel Costs.

25 (d) For the current fiscal year ~~2024~~, the payroll recovery rate for the Workers' Compensation Program
26 shall be ~~1.45~~ 1.40 percent unless a separate memorandum of agreement exists.

27 (e) Notwithstanding 29 Del. C. c. 60A or any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the
28 contrary, the employer contribution from state agencies and non-state entities to qualified participants of the

1 Deferred Compensation Program shall be suspended beginning July 1, 2008. It is the intent of the General Assembly
2 that this program be reinstated when funding becomes available.

3 (f) Effective January 1, 2025, the other employment cost rate will increase by 0.08 percent for family
4 caregiving leave benefits per SS1 for SB1 of the 151st General Assembly.

5 ~~(g)~~ (g) Section 1 of this Act provides funding for a state employee pension rate of ~~23.04~~ 24.10 percent. The
6 components of the rate are ~~12.61~~ 13.33 percent for pension liability, ~~9.07~~ 10.41 percent for retiree health insurance
7 costs and 0.36 percent for the Other Post-Employment Benefits fund ~~and 1.00 percent for the Post-retirement~~
8 ~~Increase Fund.~~

9 ~~(g)~~ (h) Section 1 of this Act provides funding for a judicial pension rate of ~~15.63~~ 17.03 percent.

10 ~~(h)~~ (i) Section 1 of this Act provides funding for a New State Police pension rate of ~~33.03~~ 34.37 percent.

11 ~~(i)~~ (j) Section 1 of this Act provides funding for Group Health Insurance costs in the Department of
12 Human Resources, Division of Statewide Benefits (16-05-01). The appropriation provides for the State's active and
13 retired employee health benefits as follows:

<i>\$ in millions</i>	<u>FY22 Actual Expense</u>	<u>FY23 Projected Expense</u>	<u>FY24 Projected Expense</u>
Active Employees	\$ 681.0	\$ 787.1	\$ 818.7
Non-Medicare Retirees	\$ 125.0	\$ 143.6	\$ 149.4
Medicare Retirees	\$ 224.0	\$ 253.1	\$ 270.8
Total	\$ 1,030.0	\$ 1,183.8	\$ 1,238.9

<i>\$ in millions</i>	<u>FY23 Actual Expense</u>	<u>FY24 Projected Expense</u>	<u>FY25 Projected Expense</u>
Active Employees	\$ 785.9	\$ 851.2	\$ 932.8
Non-Medicare Retirees	\$ 147.7	\$ 141.4	\$ 155.0
Medicare Retirees	\$ 256.1	\$ 286.3	\$ 310.4
Total	\$ 1,189.7	\$ 1,278.9	\$ 1,398.2

1 ~~(j)~~ (k) Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation for Salary/OEC Contingency in Executive, Office of
2 Management and Budget, Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11). Included in said appropriation is funding
3 to establish a long-term, financially sustainable plan to provide post-retirement increases. It is the intent of the
4 General Assembly to work jointly with the Governor to phase-in the implementation of this plan with the goal to
5 fully implement by June 30, 2026.

6 ~~(k)~~ (l) The abbreviations set forth in this Act for authorized positions or funding mean the following:

- 7 GF - General Fund
- 8 ASF - Appropriated Special Funds
- 9 NSF - Non-appropriated Special Funds
- 10 TFO - Trust Fund Operations
- 11 TFC - Trust Fund Capital
- 12 FTE - Full-time Equivalent

13 All Merit Rules referenced in this Act refer to the Merit Rules in effect June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024.

1 **Section 8. MERIT SYSTEM, NON-MERIT SYSTEM, AND MERIT COMPARABLE SALARY**

2 SCHEDULES.

3 (a) All provisions of subsections (a) (1), (b), (c) and (i) through (l) of this section shall not apply to those
4 Merit System employees who are covered by a final collective bargaining agreement under 19 Del. C. § 1311A ~~or~~
5 and 19 Del. C. c. 16. The effective dates of agreements pursuant to 19 Del. C. § 1311A ~~or~~ and 19 Del. C. c. 16 shall
6 occur simultaneously with the fiscal year following final agreement between the State of Delaware and ratification
7 of that agreement by the respective certified bargaining unit, provided funds are appropriated in Section 1 of this Act
8 for said agreements. All pay changes shall become effective on the first day of a full pay cycle. Section 1 of this Act
9 makes no appropriation, and no subsequent appropriation shall be made during the fiscal year, for any compensation
10 items as defined in 19 Del. C. § 1311A, ~~or~~ and for State Merit positions organized under 19 Del. C. c. 16, reached as
11 a result of negotiations, mediation or interest arbitration. Should a bargaining agreement not be finalized by
12 December 1 or May 1 of each fiscal year, employees represented by the bargaining unit negotiating said agreement
13 shall receive compensation pursuant to the provisions of this section until such time as an agreement takes effect. A
14 final bargaining agreement shall be defined as an agreement between the State of Delaware and a certified
15 bargaining unit, which is not retroactive and in which the agreement's completion is achieved through ratification by
16 the respective bargaining unit, mediation or binding interest arbitration.

17 (1) Effective the first day of the first full pay period of the fiscal year, the following pay plans are
18 established for state Merit System employees:

Annual Salary
 STATE OF DELAWARE PAY PLAN*
 (Standard Work Schedule of 37.5 Hours per Work Week)

	PAY	80% of	100% of	120% of
	GRADE	Midpoint	Midpoint	Midpoint
6	1	22,913**	26,629	31,955
7	2	22,913**	28,336	34,003
8	3	24,122	30,152	36,182
9	4	25,668	32,085	38,502
10	5	27,314	34,142	40,970
11	6	29,065	36,331	43,597
12	7	30,928	38,660	46,392
13	8	32,910	41,138	49,366
14	9	35,020	43,775	52,530
15	10	37,265	46,581	55,897
16	11	39,654	49,567	59,480
17	12	42,195	52,744	63,293
18	13	44,900	56,125	67,350
19	14	47,778	59,723	71,668
20	15	50,841	63,551	76,261
21	16	54,100	67,625	81,150
22	17	57,568	71,960	86,352
23	18	61,258	76,573	91,888
24	19	65,185	81,481	97,777
25	20	69,363	86,704	104,045
26	21	73,810	92,262	110,714
27	22	78,541	98,176	117,811
28	23	83,575	104,469	125,363
29	24	88,932	111,165	133,398
30	25	94,633	118,291	141,949
31	26	100,697	125,871	151,045

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

** Minimum Wage.

Annual Salary
STATE OF DELAWARE PAY PLAN*
 (Standard Work Schedule of 37.5 Hours per Work Week)

	<u>PAY</u>	<u>80% of</u>	<u>100% of</u>	<u>120% of</u>
	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>Midpoint</u>	<u>Midpoint</u>	<u>Midpoint</u>
6	3	29,250**	30,755	36,906
7	4	29,250**	32,727	39,272
8	5	29,250**	34,825	41,790
9	6	29,646	37,058	44,470
10	7	31,546	39,433	47,320
11	8	33,569	41,961	50,353
12	9	35,721	44,651	53,581
13	10	38,010	47,513	57,016
14	11	40,446	50,558	60,670
15	12	43,039	53,799	64,559
16	13	45,798	57,248	68,698
17	14	48,734	60,917	73,100
18	15	51,858	64,822	77,786
19	16	55,182	68,978	82,774
20	17	58,719	73,399	88,079
21	18	62,483	78,104	93,725
22	19	66,489	83,111	99,733
23	20	70,750	88,438	106,126
24	21	75,286	94,107	112,928
25	22	80,112	100,140	120,168
26	23	85,246	106,558	127,870
27	24	90,710	113,388	136,066
28	25	96,526	120,657	144,788
29	26	102,710	128,388	154,066

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

**Fiscal Year 2025 Minimum Pay Policy.

STATE OF DELAWARE PAY PLAN*
 (Standard Work Schedule of 40 Hours per Work Week)

	PAY	80% of	100% of	120% of
	GRADE	Midpoint	Midpoint	Midpoint
5	1	24,440**	28,404	34,085
6	2	24,440**	30,225	36,270
7	3	25,730	32,162	38,594
8	4	27,379	34,224	41,069
9	5	29,134	36,418	43,702
10	6	31,002	38,752	46,502
11	7	32,989	41,236	49,483
12	8	35,103	43,879	52,655
13	9	37,354	46,692	56,030
14	10	39,748	49,685	59,622
15	11	42,296	52,870	63,444
16	12	45,007	56,259	67,511
17	13	47,892	59,865	71,838
18	14	50,962	63,702	76,442
19	15	54,228	67,785	81,342
20	16	57,704	72,130	86,556
21	17	61,403	76,754	92,105
22	18	65,339	81,674	98,009
23	19	69,527	86,909	104,291
24	20	73,984	92,480	110,976
25	21	78,726	98,408	118,090
26	22	83,773	104,716	125,659
27	23	89,142	111,428	133,714
28	24	94,857	118,571	142,285
29	25	100,937	126,171	151,405
30	26	107,407	134,259	161,111

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

** Minimum Wage.

STATE OF DELAWARE PAY PLAN*
 (Standard Work Schedule of 40 Hours per Work Week)

PAY GRADE	80% of Midpoint	100% of Midpoint	120% of Midpoint
3	31,200**	32,805	39,366
4	31,200**	34,908	41,890
5	31,200**	37,146	44,575
6	31,622	39,527	47,432
7	33,649	42,061	50,473
8	35,806	44,757	53,708
9	38,101	47,626	57,151
10	40,543	50,679	60,815
11	43,142	53,927	64,712
12	45,907	57,384	68,861
13	48,850	61,062	73,274
14	51,981	64,976	77,971
15	55,313	69,141	82,969
16	58,858	73,573	88,288
17	62,631	78,289	93,947
18	66,646	83,307	99,968
19	70,918	88,647	106,376
20	75,464	94,330	113,196
21	80,301	100,376	120,451
22	85,448	106,810	128,172
23	90,926	113,657	136,388
24	96,754	120,942	145,130
25	102,955	128,694	154,433
26	109,555	136,944	164,333

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

** Fiscal Year 2025 Minimum Pay Policy.

(2) Merit Rule 4.13.3 notwithstanding, the standard work week for employees in the following classification series as approved by the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General shall be 40 hours:

DEPARTMENT	CLASS SERIES
Department of Finance	Gaming Inspector Series
	Gaming Inspection Supervisor
Department of Correction	Community Work Program Coordinator
	Correctional Food Services Administrator
	Food Service Quality Control Administrator
	Director of Probation and Parole
	Probation and Parole Officer Series
	Probation and Parole Regional Manager
	Probation and Parole Officer Supervisor
	Probation and Parole Operations Administrator
	Manager Support Services DCC <u>Fiscal Manager (DOC)</u>
	Trainer/Educator Series
	Correctional Treatment Administrator-JTVCC
	Correctional Treatment Administrator-SCI
	Correctional Treatment Administrator-BWCI
	Correctional Treatment Administrator-HRYCI
	Correctional Officer Series
Correctional Security Superintendent	
Correctional Operations Manager	
Warden and Deputy Warden	
Correctional Facility Maintenance Manager	
Capital Program Administrator (DOC position only) <u>- Prisons/Facilities</u>	
Correctional Construction Manager/Facility Inspector	
Prison Industries Director	

1		Intelligence Analyst
2		Management Analyst III – Bureau of Prisons/Special
3		Ops
4		<u>Bureau Chief – Prisons</u>
5		<u>Assistant Bureau Chief – Prisons</u>
6		<u>Bureau Chief – Community Corrections</u>
7		<u>Assistant Bureau Chief – Community Corrections</u>
8	Department of Natural Resources and	Natural Resources Police Officer Series
9	Environmental Control	
10	Department of Safety and Homeland Security	Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement Agent <u>Police</u>
11		<u>Officer</u> Series
12		Alcohol and Tobacco Regional Enforcement
13		Supervisor <u>Police Lieutenant</u>
14		<u>Deputy Principal Assistant – Drug and Alcohol</u>
15		Drug Control and Enforcement Agent
16		Chief Drug Control and Enforcement Agent
17		<u>Division Director – Drug and Alcohol</u>
18		Telecommunications Specialist (ERC)
19		Telecommunications Shift Supervisor
20		Capitol Police Officer Series
21		DSHS Security Officer Series
22		Communications Dispatcher
23		Assistant Manager State Police Telecommunications
24		Manager State Police Telecommunications
25		ERC Supervisors
26		Telecommunications Central Control Operations
27		Supervisor
28	Department of Transportation	Toll Collector
29		Toll Plaza Operations Manager
30		Toll Corporal
31		Toll Sergeant

1		TMC EPS Technician
2		TMC Planner IV
3	Department of Agriculture	Agricultural Commodity Inspectors - Food Products
4		Inspection
5		Food Product Inspection Field Supervisor
6		Meat Inspector
7		Meat Inspection Field Supervisor
8		Meat Compliance Investigation Officer
9		Food Products Inspection Administrator
10	Fire Prevention Commission	Training Administrator I
11		Deputy Fire Marshal Series I-V
12		<u>Fire Marshal</u>
13		<u>Director, Fire School</u>

(3) During the fiscal year, the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General may designate other appropriate classes or groups of employees to work and be paid according to a standard work week of 40 hours. Such designation shall be based upon the operational necessity of agencies to require employees to regularly and consistently work in excess of 37.5 hours per week and upon the availability of any required funding.

(4) To the extent or where an employee is covered by an existing collective bargaining agreement pursuant to 19 Del. C. § 1311A or 19 Del. C. c. 16, the provisions contained within said agreement pertaining to compensation shall apply.

(b) SELECTIVE MARKET VARIATIONS.

Recognizing the need for flexibility to respond to critical external market pressures, selective market variations are permitted to the uniform pay plan structure for job classes that are key to the performance of state functions.

(1) The appointing authority shall identify job classes or job families to be considered for selective market variations according to turnover rates, recruitment problems, vacancy rates, feasibility for

1 the work to be performed on a contractual basis and other criteria established by the Secretary of
2 the Department of Human Resources.

3 (2) Upon receipt of the identified classes, the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources shall
4 survey the appropriate labor market to determine the State's position in this labor market.

5 (3) The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management
6 and Budget and the Controller General shall review the information provided in Sections 8(b) (1)
7 and (2) and shall recommend approval or disapproval for the classes for selective market
8 compensation variations.

9 (4) Upon approval, the minimum, midpoint and maximum salary values shall be raised according to
10 the results of the labor market surveys for the job class. For the purposes of this section, the
11 minimum value of the salary scale shall remain at 75 percent of midpoint and the maximum value
12 shall remain at 125 percent unless the minimum value under the selective market range for a class
13 is less than the minimum value of the Merit System Pay Plan. The minimum for the class on
14 selective market shall be no less than the Merit System Pay Plan minimum value.

15 (5) Employees assigned to job classifications approved under the Selective Market Variation program
16 shall have their salaries adjusted in accordance with the following:

17 (i) The salary of employees in positions added to the Selective Market Variation program whose
18 salary is in effect as of the last day of the last full pay cycle prior to implementation, shall be
19 adjusted to the minimum salary or given a 5 percent increase whichever is greater or an
20 advanced starting salary recommended by the Secretary of the Department of Human
21 Resources. The effective date shall be the first day of the first full pay cycle following
22 approval.

23 (6) All classes assigned to selective market variation shall have their selective market variation pay
24 ranges adjusted as recommended by the Department of Human Resources. All classes shall remain
25 on Selective Market until the selective market ranges meet the Merit System Pay Plan ranges or
26 until such time as the classes become covered by a collective bargaining agreement pursuant to the
27 provisions of 19 Del. C. § 1311A or 19 Del. C. c. 16.

28 (7) Effective the first day of the first full pay cycle of the fiscal year, the shift differential rates paid to
29 registered nurses in accordance with the provisions of Merit Rule 4.15 shall reflect the salary scale

1 in effect for the current fiscal year or that which is superseded by a collective bargaining
2 agreement pursuant to the provisions of 19 Del. C. § 1311A.

3 (c) SALARIES FOR FISCAL YEAR ~~2024~~ 2025

4 (1) The amount appropriated by Section 1 of this Act for salaries provides for departments 01 through
5 77 and Delaware Technical Community College Plan B as follows:

6 (i) Effective the first day of the first full pay cycle of the fiscal year, the salary of each employee
7 shall be increased by ~~the greater of 3.0~~ 2.0 percent, ~~a minimum starting salary of \$29,250, by~~
8 ~~the eligible percent of midpoint not to exceed 120 percent of midpoint for the assigned pay~~
9 ~~grade in Section 8(a)(1) pay plan.~~

10 (ii) The salary of employees which, after the application of the general salary increase in Section
11 8 (c)(1)(i), is below the minimum salary of the assigned pay grade of the pay plan shall be
12 raised to the minimum salary.

13 (iii) Salaries of employees employed in accordance with 29 Del. C. § 5903(17) shall be excluded
14 from subsection (c)(1)(i) of this Section and may receive a salary increase at the discretion of
15 the agency.

16 (iv) Any Merit System employee who is denied the salary increase referred to in Section 8(c)(1)(i)
17 due to an unsatisfactory performance rating in accordance with Merit Rule 13.3 shall become
18 eligible for the salary increase upon meeting job requirements as defined by their supervisor,
19 but the salary increase will not be retroactive.

20 (2) The provisions of subsection (c) of this Section shall not apply to the employees of the General
21 Assembly-House or the General Assembly-Senate. Salaries for those employees will be
22 established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro-tempore of the
23 Senate, respectively.

24 (3) The provisions of subsection (c) of this section shall not apply to the Governor, Uniformed State
25 Police, all full-time and regular part-time non-Merit Telecommunications Specialists, Senior
26 Telecommunications Central Control Specialists and Telecommunications Central Control Shift
27 Supervisors employed in the Communications Section of the Division of State Police in the
28 Department of Safety and Homeland Security, non-uniformed support staff within the Delaware
29 State Police covered under the Communication Workers of America, employees covered by

1 collective bargaining agreements under 19 Del. C. § 1311A or 19 Del. C. c. 16, employees of the
2 Department of Technology and Information, employees of the University of Delaware, Delaware
3 State University, and members and employees of the Delaware National Guard, excluding the
4 Adjutant General. Funds have been appropriated in Section 1 of this Act for Delaware State
5 University and for the University of Delaware to provide for a ~~3.0~~ 2.0 percent increase in salaries
6 paid from the General Fund.

7 (4) The amount appropriated by Section 1 of this Act for salaries provides for:

8 (i) Statutory step increases for eligible district educators and staff as provided in 14 Del. C. c. 13.
9 Statutory step increases for Department of Education employees, as provided in 14 Del. C. c.
10 13.

11 (ii) Statutory step increases for Delaware Technical Community College plans A and D as
12 provided in 14 Del. C. c. 13.

13 (iii) The Department of Justice and the Office of Defense Services salary matrix amounts will be
14 adjusted as recommended by the Department of Human Resources, effective the first day of
15 the first full pay cycle of the fiscal year. Employees who are paid according to the matrix shall
16 have their salaries increased by a minimum of ~~3.0~~ 2.0 percent pay policy or the eligible step
17 within the matrix as approved by the Department of Human Resources. Salary matrix
18 increases within pay grades will continue. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, to
19 retain the most experienced Deputy Attorneys General and Assistant Public Defenders, a
20 Deputy Attorney General V shall not be limited to an amount less than the Attorney General's
21 salary, and Assistant Public Defender V shall not be limited to an amount less than the Chief
22 Defender's salary as specified in Section 10 upon approval of the Secretary of the Department
23 of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and the
24 Controller General.

25 (iv) Salary matrices not contained in Section 8(c)(4) of this act will continue as recommended by
26 the Department of Human Resources. Employees who are paid according to this matrix shall
27 have their salaries increased in accordance with the approved matrix, effective the first day of
28 the first full pay cycle of the fiscal year. Salary matrix increases within paygrades will
29 continue.

1 (v) Negotiated, collective bargaining increases for uniformed members of the Delaware State
2 Police and full-time and regular part-time non-Merit Telecommunications Specialists, Senior
3 Telecommunications Specialists, Telecommunication Shift Supervisors, Telecommunication
4 Central Control Specialists, Senior Telecommunications Central Control Specialists and
5 Telecommunications Central Control Shift Supervisors employed in the Communications
6 Section of the Division of State Police in the Department of Safety and Homeland Security,
7 non-uniformed support staff within the Delaware State Police covered under the
8 Communication Workers of America and employees covered by collective bargaining
9 agreements under 19 Del. C. § 1311A or 19 Del. C. c. 16.

10 (vi) A lump sum amount for the Department of Technology and Information.

11 (vii) Delaware National Guard employees are to be paid consistent with the federal salary plan.

12 (viii) A lump sum amount for the University of Delaware and Delaware State University. The
13 resultant lump sum amount may be distributed at the discretion of each institution.

14 (d) MAINTENANCE REVIEWS.

15 (1) Any such reclassifications/regrades that the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources
16 determines to be warranted as a result of the classification maintenance reviews regularly
17 scheduled by the Department of Human Resources shall be designated to become effective the
18 first day of the first full pay cycle following approval, provided that such reclassifications/regrades
19 have been processed as part of the regular budgetary process and the funds for such
20 reclassifications/regrades have been appropriated. Maintenance review classification
21 determinations may be appealed to the Merit Employee Relations Board in accordance with 29
22 Del. C. § 5915. Pay grade determinations shall not be appealed.

23 (2) Any such title changes that the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources determines to be
24 warranted as a result of a consolidation review shall be implemented as they are completed with
25 the concurrence of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller
26 General. A consolidation review is for the specific purpose of combining current class titles and
27 class specifications that are in the same occupational area and require sufficiently similar
28 knowledge, skills, abilities and minimum qualifications. A consolidation review will not impact
29 the current levels of work and corresponding pay grades in a class series. It will only affect the

1 current title assigned to positions; the corresponding class specification, levels of work and
2 minimum qualifications will be written general in nature rather than agency or program specific.

3 (e) CRITICAL RECLASSIFICATIONS.

4 The classification of any position whose salary is covered by the appropriations in Section 1 of this Act
5 may be changed to be effective the first day of the first full pay cycle following the approval date if the requested
6 change is certified critical by the appointing authority and is approved by the Secretary of the Department of Human
7 Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General prior to the effective
8 date. Critical reclassification determinations, pay grade determinations and grievances alleging working out of class
9 which arose out of a denial of a critical reclass shall not be appealed to the Merit Employee Relations Board.

10 (f) OTHER RECLASSIFICATIONS.

11 Other than those reclassifications/regrades approved in accordance with Section 8(d) or 8(e), no position
12 shall be reclassified or regraded during the fiscal year.

13 (g) STATE AGENCY TEACHERS AND ADMINISTRATORS.

14 Teachers and administrators employed by state agencies and who are paid based on the Basic Schedule
15 contained in 14 Del. C. § 1305, as amended by this Act, shall receive as a salary an amount equal to the index value
16 specified in the appropriate training and experience cell multiplied by the base salary amount defined in 14 Del. C. §
17 1305(b), divided by 0.7 for 10 months employment. If employed on an 11 or 12 month basis, the 10 month amount
18 shall be multiplied by 1.1 or 1.2, respectively. In addition to the above calculation, teachers and administrators
19 qualifying for professional development clusters in accordance with 14 Del. C. § 1305(l) shall receive an additional
20 amount equal to the approved cluster percentage multiplied by the base salary amount defined in 14 Del. C. §
21 1305(b). This calculation shall not be increased for 11 or 12 month employment. The percentage shall only be
22 applied to the base 10 month salary for 10, 11 and 12 month employees. In accordance with 14 Del. C. § 1305(p),
23 the cluster percentage is capped at 15 percent. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to those Merit
24 System employees who are covered by a collective bargaining agreement which has met all provisions of 19 Del. C.
25 § 1311A.

26 (h) ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS.

27 (1) The administrative regulations and procedures necessary to implement this section shall be
28 promulgated by the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Office
29 of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

1 (2) Consistent with Chapter 13.0 of the Merit Rules, all state agencies shall implement the
2 performance review prescribed by the Department of Human Resources after applicable training
3 by the Department of Human Resources. A performance review shall be completed for employees
4 each calendar year.

5 (3) Employees who retain salary upon voluntary demotion in accordance with Merit Rule 4.7 shall be
6 ineligible for a promotional increase upon promotion to a pay grade lower than or equal to their
7 original pay grade prior to voluntary demotion for a one-year period from the date of their
8 voluntary demotion.

9 (i) HOLIDAY PAY - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TOLL COLLECTION AND
10 TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT CENTER EMPLOYEES.

11 Merit Rule 4.14 notwithstanding, all Department of Transportation employees directly engaged in toll
12 collection operations, or directly engaged in the Transportation Management Center's 24-hour operation, shall be
13 entitled to receive compensation at their normal rate of pay for holidays in lieu of compensatory time, and they shall
14 also be entitled to receive compensation in accordance with the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA). To the extent or
15 where an employee is covered by a collective bargaining agreement pursuant to 19 Del. C. § 1311A, the terms and
16 conditions in said agreement shall supersede this subsection.

17 (j) OVERTIME.

18 (1) Merit Rule Chapter 4.0 notwithstanding, overtime at the rate of time and one-half will commence
19 after the employee has accrued 40 compensable hours that week. This Act makes no appropriation,
20 nor shall any subsequent appropriation or payment be made during the fiscal year, for overtime
21 compensation based on hours worked during prior fiscal years that did not comply with Section
22 8(j) of the Fiscal Year 2010 Appropriations Act.

23 (2) FLSA exempt employees must receive approval by the Secretary of the Department of Human
24 Resources and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to be paid for overtime
25 services.

26 (3) To the extent or where an employee is covered by a collective bargaining agreement pursuant to
27 19 Del. C. § 1311A or 19 Del. C. c. 16, the terms and conditions in said agreement shall supersede
28 this subsection.

1 (i) Department of Transportation personnel responding to emergencies and who are not subject
2 to the Fair Labor Standards Act shall be entitled to receive compensation at one-and-one-half
3 times their normal rate of pay for all overtime services performed beyond 40 hours per week.
4 This shall apply to employees classified through the Area Supervisor II level, the District
5 Maintenance Superintendent classification, and specific safety and critical Engineering,
6 Survey and Planning Technician positions as designated by the Secretary of Transportation.
7 All other personnel assigned to assist the area yards during emergencies and who are above
8 the level of Area Supervisor II shall be entitled to receive compensation at their straight time
9 rate of pay for all overtime services performed beyond the normal work week. The
10 Department of Transportation, Office of the Secretary (55-01-01) shall maintain an overtime
11 expenditure report and shall provide such report quarterly to the Secretary of the Department
12 of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
13 Controller General. The report shall include the number of overtime hours worked and the
14 amount of overtime salary expended within the department on the emergency events.

15 (ii) Office of Management and Budget, Facilities Management and Department of Health and
16 Social Services, Management Services personnel who respond to weather-related emergencies
17 and who are not covered under the Fair Labor Standards Act shall be entitled to receive
18 compensation at their straight time rate of pay for all overtime services beyond the standard
19 work week. The method of compensation is subject to the availability of funds and/or the
20 operational needs of the respective department.

21 (iii) Delaware Emergency Management Agency personnel responding to emergencies or working
22 at the State Emergency Operations Center, personnel working for the State Health Operations
23 Center (SHOC), and state employees activated by SHOC, during activation for weather,
24 technological, health or terrorist-related incidents, who are not covered by the Fair Labor
25 Standards Act, shall be entitled to receive compensation at their normal rate of pay for all
26 overtime services beyond the standard work week.

27 (iv) Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control personnel who are activated for
28 weather and/or public health related incidents and who are not covered by the Fair Labor
29 Standards Act, shall be entitled to receive compensation at their normal rate of pay for all

1 overtime services beyond the standard work week. The method of compensation is subject to
2 the availability of funds and/or the operational needs of the department.

3 (k) CALL BACK PAY - HIGHWAY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM.

4 Merit Rule 4.16 notwithstanding, employees designated as Highway Emergency Response Team members
5 shall be eligible for call back pay regardless of their classification. To the extent or where an employee is covered by
6 a collective bargaining agreement pursuant to 19 Del. C. § 1311A, the terms and conditions in said agreement shall
7 supersede this subsection.

8 (l) STANDBY PAY - HIGHWAY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM.

9 Merit Rule 4.17 notwithstanding, employees designated as Highway Emergency Response Team members
10 shall be eligible for standby pay regardless of their classification. To the extent or where an employee is covered by
11 a collective bargaining agreement pursuant to 19 Del. C. § 1311A, the terms and conditions in said agreement shall
12 supersede this subsection.

13 (m) SALARY PLAN - PUBLIC EDUCATION.

14 Salary schedules and staffing formulas contained in 14 Del. C. c. 13 shall be revised as specified in this
15 subsection.

16 (1) Each school district shall continue to use salary schedules not less than those in 14 Del. C. § 1322,
17 for all school lunch employees.

18 (2) Effective July 1, 2006, the State shall pay 73 percent of the annual salary rate for school lunch
19 employees as set forth in the salary schedules in 14 Del. C. § 1322(a) and (b), and 62 percent of
20 salary rate for school lunch employees as set forth in the salary schedule 14 Del. C. § 1322(c).

21 The remaining percentage of the hourly salary rate for school lunch employees shall be paid from
22 local funds. The State shall pay other employment costs for school lunch employees at the ratio of
23 state supported salaries to total salaries, provided for by this section, for school lunch employees.

24 (3) No provision in this Act shall be construed as affecting the eligibility of school lunch employees
25 as an employee under 29 Del. C. § 5501.

26 (4) Section 1 of this Act provides an amount for salaries and other employment costs for Formula
27 Employees in Public Education. Additional amounts are included in Pass Through and Other
28 Support Programs (95-03-00) and District and Charter Operations (95-02-00). Local school
29 districts must charge payroll for local share salary supplements and other employment costs and

1 fringe benefits simultaneously with state-share charges. The amount of salary and other
2 employment costs that can be charged to state appropriations for any one-day period or for any
3 one individual cannot exceed the amount the individual is entitled to receive based on the state
4 salary schedules provided by this Act and 14 Del. C. c. 13, divided by the number of pays the
5 individual has chosen to schedule per year. The provisions of this section do not apply to Division
6 III - Equalization (appropriation 05186), which may be charged for local contractual obligations
7 before local current operating funds are used.

8 (5) All pay changes, in future agreements reached between a public school district and any exclusive
9 representative organization, shall become effective on the first day of a full pay cycle.

10 (6) All salary schedules and staffing formulas contained in 14 Del. C. c. 13 shall remain the same as
11 Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024 until the revisions are effective on the first day of the first full pay cycle of
12 the fiscal year. Salary schedules and staffing formulas contained in 14 Del. C. c. 13, shall be
13 revised as specified in this subsection and be effective as of the first day of the first full pay cycle
14 of the fiscal year.

15 (i) Amend 14 Del C. § 1305(b) by making deletions as shown by strikethrough and insertions as
16 shown by underline as follows:

17 (b) The base salary amount for this section, from the first day of the first full pay cycle of the
18 fiscal year, through the last day of the pay cycle that contains the last day of the fiscal
19 year, shall be ~~\$31,692~~ \$34,266. The Bachelor's Degree, 0-year experience point on the
20 index is defined as the base and has an index value of 1.000. This amount is intended to
21 be the equivalent of 70 percent of a recommended average total competitive starting
22 salary. All other salary amounts shall be determined by multiplying the base salary
23 amount by the index value that corresponds with the appropriate training and experience
24 cell, and then rounding to the nearest whole dollar.

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(ii) Salary schedules contained in 14 Del. C. § 1305(a) shall remain as follows:

2	Step	No	Bach.	Bach.	Bach.	Mast.	Mast.	Mast.	Mast.	Doctor's	Yrs
3		Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Of
4				Plus 15	Plus 30		Plus 15	Plus 30	Plus 45		Exp.
5				Grad	Grad		Grad	Grad	Grad		
6				Credits	Credits		Credits	Credits	Credits		
7	1	0.96171	1.00000	1.03829	1.07662	1.13408	1.17241	1.21071	1.24911	1.28744	0
8	2	0.97122	1.00962	1.04795	1.08624	1.14370	1.18203	1.22032	1.25865	1.29695	1
9	3	0.97985	1.01916	1.05746	1.09579	1.15325	1.19154	1.22987	1.26827	1.30657	2
10	4	1.01436	1.05265	1.09098	1.12938	1.18684	1.22513	1.26346	1.30176	1.34009	3
11	5	1.04314	1.07857	1.11308	1.14851	1.20021	1.23468	1.27778	1.31611	1.35441	4
12	6	1.07857	1.11308	1.14851	1.18302	1.23468	1.27015	1.30462	1.34009	1.37456	5
13	7	1.11308	1.14851	1.18302	1.21750	1.27015	1.30462	1.34009	1.37456	1.40904	6
14	8	1.14851	1.18302	1.21750	1.25296	1.30462	1.34009	1.37456	1.40904	1.44450	7
15	9	1.18302	1.21750	1.25296	1.28744	1.39185	1.42633	1.46169	1.49627	1.53163	8
16	10	1.21750	1.25296	1.28744	1.32191	1.42633	1.46169	1.49627	1.53163	1.56610	9
17	11	1.25296	1.28949	1.32191	1.35738	1.46169	1.49627	1.53163	1.56610	1.60069	10
18	12			1.35738	1.39185	1.49627	1.53163	1.56610	1.60069	1.63605	11
19	13			1.39380	1.42633	1.53163	1.56610	1.60069	1.63605	1.67052	12
20	14				1.46169	1.56610	1.60069	1.63605	1.67052	1.70500	13
21	15				1.49793	1.60069	1.63605	1.67052	1.70500	1.74046	14
22	16					1.63605	1.67222	1.70500	1.74046	1.77494	15
23	17							1.74018	1.77671	1.81012	16

(iii) ~~(a)~~ Amend 14 Del. C. § 1308~~(a)~~ by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by strikethrough as follows:

(a) Each administrative ~~secretary, financial secretary, senior secretary, secretary and clerk assistant~~ I, II, and III who works and is paid for 12 months per year shall be paid in accordance with the following schedule:

Step	Clerk*	Secretary*	Senior Secretary*	Financial Secretary*	Administrative Secretary*	Years of Experience
1	20,395	22,045	22,940	23,435	24,255	0
2	20,999	22,647	23,495	23,995	24,823	1
3	21,598	23,202	24,055	24,554	25,390	2
4	22,203	23,756	24,611	25,113	25,956	3
5	22,766	24,310	25,167	25,674	26,589	4
6	23,301	24,865	25,725	26,260	27,228	5
7	23,832	25,419	26,314	26,892	27,872	6
8	24,364	25,971	26,945	27,524	28,510	7
9	24,898	26,593	27,573	28,155	29,152	8
10	25,431	27,219	28,201	28,786	29,791	9
11	25,963	27,844	28,829	29,421	30,431	10
12	26,560	28,469	29,456	30,052	31,070	11
13	27,160	29,094	30,085	30,682	31,712	12
14	27,763	29,721	30,715	31,315	32,351	13
15	28,363	30,347	31,341	31,949	32,990	14
16	28,965	30,974	31,970	32,577	33,634	15
17	29,567	31,597	32,600	33,208	34,273	16
18	30,170	32,224	33,229	33,842	34,912	17
19	30,770	32,848	33,857	34,471	35,553	18
20	31,372	33,475	34,483	35,107	36,193	19
21	31,971	34,099	35,112	35,738	36,832	20
22	32,586	34,739	35,754	36,384	37,487	21
23	33,218	35,394	36,411	37,042	38,154	22
24	33,864	36,063	37,081	37,714	38,838	23
25	34,524	36,743	37,767	38,401	39,537	24

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

	Step	Administrative Assistant I*	Administrative Assistant II*	Administrative Assistant III*	Years of Experience
3	1	23,436	24,882	25,735	0
4	2	24,062	25,465	26,326	1
5	3	24,640	26,046	26,916	2
6	4	25,216	26,628	27,505	3
7	5	25,793	27,212	28,164	4
8	6	26,370	27,821	28,829	5
9	7	26,946	28,479	29,499	6
10	8	27,521	29,136	30,162	7
11	9	28,168	29,793	30,830	8
12	10	28,819	30,449	31,495	9
13	11	29,469	31,110	32,161	10
14	12	30,120	31,767	32,826	11
15	13	30,770	32,422	33,494	12
16	14	31,422	33,081	34,158	13
17	15	32,074	33,740	34,823	14
18	16	32,726	34,394	35,493	15
19	17	33,374	35,050	36,158	16
20	18	34,026	35,710	36,823	17
21	19	34,676	36,364	37,490	18
22	20	35,328	37,026	38,156	19
23	21	35,977	37,682	38,821	20
24	22	36,643	38,354	39,502	21
25	23	37,324	39,039	40,196	22
26	24	38,020	39,738	40,908	23
27	25	38,728	40,453	41,635	24

28 * Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

29 (b) For purposes of implementing the salary schedule contained in subsection (a) of this section,
30 the 18-year step on the salary schedule is effective for administrative secretaries on July 1, 1989;
31 the 19-year step will be effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1990; and the 20-year step
32 will be effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1991. The 17-year step is effective for clerks,
33 secretaries, senior secretaries, and financial secretaries on July 1, 1989; the 18-year step will be
34 effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1990; the 19-year step will be effective for the fiscal
35 year beginning July 1, 1991; and the 20-year step will be effective for the fiscal year beginning
36 July 1, 1992. In accordance with classification changes effective July 1, 2024, for purposes of this
37 section, administrative secretary is equivalent to administrative assistant III, senior secretary and
38 financial secretary are equivalent to administrative assistant II; and clerk and secretary are
39 equivalent to administrative assistant I.

1 (c) One twelfth of the salary rate set forth under subsection (a) of this section shall be deducted for
2 each month that the employee is not employed.

3 (d) These same classifications and pay rates shall apply to the Department of Education, except
4 that the Department shall be authorized to revise the schedule annually to enable the Department
5 to pay salary supplements up to the equivalent of the average of the 3 highest salaries for like
6 positions paid by school districts.

7 (e) During the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1972, a reorganized school district may employ
8 personnel to be paid pursuant to this section in a number equal to 1 of each full 10 state units of
9 pupils for the first 100 such full state units of pupils and 1 additional for each additional full 12
10 state units of pupils.

11 (f) The total number of secretarial employees to which a reorganized school district is entitled
12 shall be as specified in subsection (e) of this section, but the number that may be assigned to each
13 classification beginning July 1, 1989, shall be according to the following and in the order
14 specified:

15 (1) Up to 8 percent of the total ~~secretarial~~ administrative assistant allocation in each district or
16 a minimum of 2 positions per district, whichever is larger, may be assigned as “administrative
17 ~~secretary~~ assistant III.”

18 (2) Up to 40 percent of the total ~~secretarial~~ administrative assistant allocation in each district
19 or a minimum of 3 per district plus 1 for each school enrolling 15 or more units of pupils,
20 whichever is greater, may be classified as “~~senior secretary~~” or “~~financial secretary~~
21 administrative assistant II.”

22 (3) ~~Twelve percent of the total secretarial allocation in each district shall be classified as~~
23 “~~clerk.~~”

24 (4) (3) The balance of the total ~~clerical~~ administrative assistant allocation in each district shall
25 be classified as “~~secretary~~ administrative assistant I.”

26 (b) Amend 14 Del. C. §1309 by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as
27 shown by strikethrough as follows:

28 §1309. ~~Secretarial~~ Administrative assistant classifications and salary supplement for
29 additional training.

1 (a) The Department of Education shall establish rules and regulations for the assignment of
2 an ~~secretarial~~ administrative assistant classification to personnel employed pursuant to §1308
3 of this title who are not otherwise classified.

4 (b) An administrative ~~secretary, financial secretary, senior secretary, secretary or clerk~~
5 assistant I, II, or III shall receive as a salary the amount for which the employee qualifies
6 under §1308(a) of this title, plus an annual amount for additional training as defined by the
7 Department of Education as follows:

Professional Secretary Certificate \$662
(Completion of 2 years of college or successful completion of a national examination or equivalent certification program approved by the Department of Education.)
Certified Secretary Certificate \$991
(Eligibility for professional secretary certificate plus completion of 12 semester hours of college courses specified by the Department of Education and 5 years of successful experience.)
Bachelor's Degree Certificate \$1,320
(Completion of a bachelor's degree from an accredited college.)

(iv) Amend 14 Del. C. § 1311(a) by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by strikethrough as follows:

(a) Custodians who have the qualifications required by the certifying board and who work and are paid for 12 months per year shall be paid in accordance with the following:

Step*	Custodian*	Custodian Firefighter*	Chief Custodian 5 Or Fewer Custodians*	Chief Custodian 6 Or More Custodians*	Maintenance Mechanic*	Skilled Craftsperson*	Yrs of Exp.
1	23,640	24,198	24,482	25,603	26,124	26,619	0
2	24,061	24,620	24,903	26,025	26,651	27,256	1
3	24,482	25,041	25,325	26,464	27,206	27,887	2
4	24,902	25,464	25,744	26,938	27,753	28,519	3
5	25,325	25,883	26,168	27,414	28,235	29,153	4
6	25,744	26,302	26,621	27,891	28,855	29,786	5
7	26,168	26,781	27,098	28,361	29,409	30,417	6
8	26,621	27,258	27,571	28,835	29,959	31,049	7
9	27,098	27,730	28,046	29,311	30,511	31,683	8
10	27,571	28,204	28,519	29,786	31,059	32,316	9
11	28,046	28,678	28,995	30,259	31,613	32,948	10
12	28,519	29,156	29,471	30,731	32,163	33,582	11
13	29,003	29,644	29,958	31,212	32,726	34,232	12
14	29,498	30,144	30,458	31,704	33,302	34,896	13
15	30,003	30,655	30,970	32,204	33,888	35,577	14
16	30,518	31,172	31,489	32,714	34,487	36,272	15

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

Step*	Custodian*	Assistant Chief Custodian*	Chief Custodian*	Skilled Maintenance/ Craftsperson*	Yrs of Exp.
1	25,035	25,838	27,521	28,800	0
2	25,473	26,277	27,960	29,463	1
3	25,911	26,715	28,417	30,119	2
4	26,348	27,155	28,910	30,777	3
5	26,788	27,591	29,405	31,436	4
6	27,224	28,027	29,901	32,095	5
7	27,665	28,525	30,390	32,751	6
8	28,136	29,022	30,883	33,409	7
9	28,632	29,513	31,379	34,068	8
10	29,124	30,006	31,873	34,727	9
11	29,619	30,499	32,365	35,385	10
12	30,111	30,996	32,856	36,044	11
13	30,614	31,504	33,356	36,720	12
14	31,129	32,024	33,868	37,411	13
15	31,655	32,556	34,389	38,120	14
16	32,190	33,094	34,919	38,843	15

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

(b) The salaries stipulated in subsection (a) of this section shall be increased for special training as defined by the certifying board by the addition of the following annual amount:

Chief Custodian _____ \$883

Firefighter and Custodian Firefighter _____ \$662

Custodian _____ \$439

(e) (b) One twelfth of the salary rate set forth under subsection (a) shall be deducted for each month that the employee is not employed.

(v) Amend 14 Del. C. § 1322(a) by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by strikethrough as follows:

SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE MANAGERS*

Number of Pupils in School Served by Cafeteria

Step	Below 351	351 500	501 800	801 1200	1201 1600	1601 2000	2000+	Yrs. of Exp.
1	22,239	23,266	24,289	25,311	26,320	27,561	28,176	0
2	22,752	23,774	24,802	25,824	26,781	27,712	28,641	1
3	23,266	24,289	25,311	26,320	27,247	28,176	29,106	2
4	23,774	24,802	25,824	26,781	27,712	28,641	29,571	3
5	24,289	25,311	26,320	27,267	28,176	29,106	30,036	4
6	24,802	25,824	26,781	27,712	28,641	29,571	30,501	5
7	25,311	26,320	27,247	28,176	29,106	30,036	31,005	6
8	25,824	26,781	27,712	28,641	29,571	30,501	31,519	7
9	26,320	27,247	28,176	29,106	30,036	31,005	32,034	8
10	26,781	27,712	28,641	29,571	30,501	31,519	32,547	9
11	27,247	28,176	29,106	30,036	31,005	32,034	33,055	10
12	27,712	28,641	29,571	30,501	31,519	32,547	33,567	11
13	28,176	29,106	30,036	31,005	32,034	33,055	34,083	12
14	28,641	29,571	30,501	31,519	32,547	33,567	34,594	13
15	29,106	30,036	31,005	32,034	33,055	34,083	35,111	14
16	29,571	30,501	31,519	32,547	33,567	34,594	35,626	15
17	30,048	31,023	32,042	33,069	34,091	35,115	36,149	16
18	30,536	31,560	32,578	33,602	34,627	35,646	36,683	17
19	31,036	32,110	33,125	34,145	35,172	36,186	37,227	18
20	31,542	32,673	33,680	34,698	35,728	36,735	37,778	19

* Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE MANAGERS*

Number of Pupils in School Served by Cafeteria

Step	Below 351	351-500	501-800	801-1200	1201-1600	1601-2000	2000+	Yrs. of Exp.
1	23,251	24,325	25,395	26,463	27,518	28,816	29,459	0
2	23,788	24,856	25,931	26,999	28,000	28,973	29,945	1
3	24,325	25,395	26,463	27,518	28,487	29,459	30,431	2
4	24,856	25,931	26,999	28,000	28,973	29,945	30,917	3
5	25,395	26,463	27,518	28,508	29,459	30,431	31,403	4
6	25,931	26,999	28,000	28,973	29,945	30,917	31,889	5
7	26,463	27,518	28,487	29,459	30,431	31,403	32,416	6
8	26,999	28,000	28,973	29,945	30,917	31,889	32,954	7
9	27,518	28,487	29,459	30,431	31,403	32,416	33,492	8
10	28,000	28,973	29,945	30,917	31,889	32,954	34,028	9
11	28,487	29,459	30,431	31,403	32,416	33,492	34,560	10
12	28,973	29,945	30,917	31,889	32,954	34,028	35,095	11
13	29,459	30,431	31,403	32,416	33,492	34,560	35,634	12
14	29,945	30,917	31,889	32,954	34,028	35,095	36,169	13
15	30,431	31,403	32,416	33,492	34,560	35,634	36,709	14
16	30,917	31,889	32,954	34,028	35,095	36,169	37,247	15
17	31,416	32,435	33,500	34,574	35,643	36,713	37,794	16
18	31,926	32,996	34,061	35,131	36,203	37,268	38,353	17
19	32,449	33,572	34,633	35,699	36,773	37,833	38,921	18
20	32,978	34,160	35,213	36,277	37,354	38,407	39,497	19

25 * Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

(vi) Amend 14 Del. C. § 1322(c) by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by strikethrough as follows:

~~SCHOOL LUNCH COOKS AND GENERAL WORKERS~~

Step	General	Cook/Baker	Years of Experience
	<u>Worker</u>		

1	14.64	15.53	0
2	14.78	15.66	1
3	14.95	15.79	2
4	15.05	15.90	3
5	15.17	16.06	4
6	15.37	16.24	5
7	15.52	16.35	6
8	15.63	16.45	7
9	15.71	16.56	8
10	15.81	16.70	9
11	15.93	16.85	10
12	16.15	16.98	11
13	16.27	17.14	12
14	16.42	17.27	13
15	16.56	17.38	14
16	16.70	17.55	15
17	16.86	17.73	16
18	17.01	17.83	17
19	17.17	17.92	18
20	17.33	18.05	19
21	17.50	18.16	20
22	17.66	18.27	21

SCHOOL LUNCH COOKS AND GENERAL WORKERS

	<u>Step</u>	<u>General</u>	<u>Cook/Baker</u>	<u>Years of Experience</u>
		<u>Worker</u>		
4	<u>1</u>	15.31	16.24	<u>0</u>
5	<u>2</u>	15.46	16.38	<u>1</u>
6	<u>3</u>	15.64	16.51	<u>2</u>
7	<u>4</u>	15.74	16.63	<u>3</u>
8	<u>5</u>	15.87	16.80	<u>4</u>
9	<u>6</u>	16.07	16.98	<u>5</u>
10	<u>7</u>	16.23	17.10	<u>6</u>
11	<u>8</u>	16.35	17.20	<u>7</u>
12	<u>9</u>	16.43	17.32	<u>8</u>
13	<u>10</u>	16.53	17.46	<u>9</u>
14	<u>11</u>	16.66	17.62	<u>10</u>
15	<u>12</u>	16.89	17.76	<u>11</u>
16	<u>13</u>	17.02	17.92	<u>12</u>
17	<u>14</u>	17.17	18.06	<u>13</u>
18	<u>15</u>	17.32	18.18	<u>14</u>
19	<u>16</u>	17.46	18.35	<u>15</u>
20	<u>17</u>	17.63	18.54	<u>16</u>
21	<u>18</u>	17.79	18.65	<u>17</u>
22	<u>19</u>	17.96	18.74	<u>18</u>
23	<u>20</u>	18.12	18.88	<u>19</u>
24	<u>21</u>	18.30	18.99	<u>20</u>
25	<u>22</u>	18.47	19.11	<u>21</u>

(vii) Amend 14 Del. C. § 1324(a) and 14 Del. C. § 1324(c) by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by strikethrough as follows:

(a) Each service and instructional paraprofessional actually working and paid 10 months per year shall receive annual salaries in accordance with the following schedule, provided that the Step 1 of the salary schedule for Service Paraprofessionals to be equivalent to at least 85 percent of the Step 1 for Instructional Paraprofessionals, in accordance with the Public Education Compensation Committee report dated May 15, 2007:

Step	Service Paraprofessionals*	Instructional Paraprofessionals*	Years of Experience
1	23,835	26,822	0
2	24,740	27,859	1
3	25,684	28,943	2
4	26,671	30,074	3
5	27,700	31,254	4
6	28,776	32,486	5
7	29,899	33,776	6
8	31,074	35,121	7
9	32,299	36,524	8
10	33,577	37,991	9

*Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

Step	Service Paraprofessionals*	Instructional Paraprofessionals*	Years of Experience
1	24,555	27,633	0
2	25,488	28,701	1
3	26,460	29,818	2
4	27,477	30,983	3
5	28,537	32,198	4
6	29,646	33,468	5
7	30,802	34,797	6
8	32,013	36,182	7
9	33,275	37,628	8
10	34,592	39,139	9

*Annual Salary in Whole Dollars.

(c) Instructional paraprofessionals, paid under this section who have received an associate degree, completed a minimum of 60 semester credits or have successfully passed a comprehensive testing mechanism to be defined by the Department of Education, shall

1 receive an annual salary supplement in the amount of ~~\$662~~ \$1,000. Any instructional
 2 paraprofessionals, paid under this section who have received a bachelor's degree or higher
 3 shall receive an annual salary supplement in the amount of \$2,000.

4 (viii) Amend 14 Del. C. §1336(a) by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as
 5 shown by strikethrough as follows:

6	Title	Childcare Licensing Specialist	Childcare Licensing Supervisor	Administrator
7	Step 1	32,640	36,911	39,273
8	Step 2	33,283	37,639	40,047
9	Step 3	33,925	38,363	40,822
10	Step 4	34,567	39,094	41,598
11	Step 5	35,210	39,822	42,372
12	Step 6	35,852	40,550	43,147
13	Step 7	36,574	41,369	44,019
14	Step 8	37,297	42,187	44,892
15	Step 9	38,019	43,006	45,762
16	Step 10	38,742	43,824	46,634
17	Step 11	39,464	44,643	47,506
18	Step 12	40,268	45,553	48,475
19	Step 13	41,070	46,461	49,443
20	Step 14	41,874	47,372	50,412
21	Step 15	42,676	48,281	51,381
22	Step 16	43,479	49,191	52,350

23 *Annual Salary in Whole Dollars

24	Step	Childcare Licensing Specialist	Childcare Licensing Supervisor	Administrator
25	1	33,293	37,650	40,059
26	2	33,949	38,392	40,848
27	3	34,604	39,131	41,639
28	4	35,259	39,876	42,430
29	5	35,915	40,619	43,220
30	6	36,570	41,361	44,010
31	7	37,306	42,197	44,900
32	8	38,043	43,031	45,790
33	9	38,780	43,867	46,678
34	10	39,517	44,701	47,567
35	11	40,254	45,536	48,457
36	12	41,074	46,465	49,445
37	13	41,892	47,391	50,432
38	14	42,712	48,320	51,421
39	15	43,530	49,247	52,409
40	16	44,349	50,175	53,397

41 *Annual Salary in Whole Dollars

1 ~~(7) Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$40,000.0 in the Office of Management and Budget, Contingencies~~
2 ~~and One Time Items (10-02-11) in Education Compensation Contingency. These funds shall provide~~
3 ~~a 6.0 percent salary supplement to non-administrator public education employees paid pursuant to 14~~
4 ~~Del. C. §1305, in addition to the general salary increase provided to all state employees.~~

5 ~~(i) This salary supplement shall be calculated based on the state share of the eligible employee's~~
6 ~~salary, after the application of the general salary increase and any step movement.~~

7 ~~(ii) It is the intent that this supplement be provided to employees who provide instructional and~~
8 ~~support services who are paid pursuant to 14 Del. C. §1305. Employees paid pursuant to 14~~
9 ~~Del. C. §1305 who also receive a salary supplement for administrative responsibilities~~
10 ~~pursuant to 14 Del. C. §1306, §1307, and §1321 shall not be eligible to receive the salary~~
11 ~~supplement. Local education agencies shall have the discretion to exclude staff who do not~~
12 ~~adhere to the intended eligibility of this supplement, as defined in this section.~~

13 ~~(iii) In accordance with Section 8(m)(6) of this act, the supplement shall be effective the first day~~
14 ~~of the first full pay cycle of the fiscal year.~~

15 ~~(iv) It is the intent that the supplement serve as an initial investment in future recommendations of~~
16 ~~the Public Education Compensation Committee, in accordance with 14 Del. C. §1337.~~

17 ~~(v) It is the intent that the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, the Controller General, and the~~
18 ~~Secretary of Education will work with the local education agencies to issue guidance on the~~
19 ~~implementation of this supplement within the appropriation.~~

20 (n) Amend 14 Del. C. § 9219(a) by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by
21 strikethrough as follows:

22 § 9219. Basic salary schedule for Plan A employees

23 (a) Salaries paid to Delaware Technical and Community College Salary Plan A employees shall, upon
24 full implementation, be based on the following index schedule:

1 DELAWARE TECHNICAL AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE INDEX SCHEDULE FOR PLAN A EMPLOYEES

2	Yrs.	No	Assoc.	Bach.	Bach.	Bach.	Mast.	Mast.	Mast.	Mast.	Doctor's
3	of	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree	Degree
4	Exp.				Plus 15	Plus 30		Plus 15	Plus 30	Plus 45	
5					Grad.	Grad.		Grad.	Grad.	Grad.	
6					Credits	Credits		Credits	Credits	Credits	
7	0	0.90316	0.96147	1.00000	1.03853	1.07806	1.11661	1.15515	1.19467	1.23321	1.25199
8	1	0.92786	0.98616	1.02469	1.06325	1.10178	1.14131	1.18084	1.21937	1.25792	1.27768
9	2	0.95158	1.01088	1.04842	1.08598	1.12648	1.16503	1.20357	1.24309	1.28163	1.30237
10	3	0.95849	1.01384	1.05041	1.08695	1.13637	1.17490	1.21246	1.25000	1.28856	1.30634
11	4	0.96542	1.01878	1.05336	1.08795	1.14725	1.18479	1.22135	1.25693	1.29447	1.31226
12	5	1.00099	1.05336	1.08795	1.12452	1.15910	1.19467	1.23025	1.26483	1.30140	1.31819
13	6	1.03558	1.08795	1.12452	1.15910	1.19467	1.23025	1.26483	1.30140	1.33598	1.35377
14	7	1.07214	1.12452	1.15910	1.19467	1.23025	1.26483	1.30140	1.33598	1.37056	1.38935
15	8	1.10673	1.15910	1.19467	1.23025	1.26483	1.30140	1.33598	1.37056	1.40713	1.42393
16	9	1.14131	1.19467	1.23025	1.26483	1.30140	1.33598	1.37056	1.40713	1.44172	1.45950
17	10	1.15020	1.23025	1.26483	1.30140	1.33598	1.37056	1.40713	1.44172	1.47630	1.49409
18	11	1.15910	1.23914	1.30140	1.33598	1.37056	1.40713	1.44172	1.47630	1.51287	1.52966
19	12	"	1.24804	1.30930	1.37056	1.40713	1.44172	1.47630	1.51287	1.54745	1.56524
20	13	"	"	"	1.37946	1.44172	1.47630	1.51287	1.54745	1.58303	1.59982
21	14	"	"	"	1.37946	1.45061	1.51287	1.54745	1.58303	1.61860	1.63639
22	15	"	"	1.35476	1.39824	1.48619	1.54745	1.58303	1.61860	1.65318	1.67097
23	16	"	"	1.36266	1.40713	1.49508	1.58303	1.61860	1.65318	1.68975	1.70655
24	17	"	"	1.37056	1.41603	1.49508	1.59093	1.62750	1.66208	1.69765	1.71544
25	18	"	"	"	"	1.50397	"	"	"	"	"
26	19	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
27	20	"	"	"	"	"	1.61860	1.66208	1.70655	1.75002	1.79549
28	21	"	"	"	"	"	1.62750	1.67197	1.71544	1.75991	1.80438
29	22	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
30	23	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
31	24	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
32	25	"	"	"	"	"	1.66208	1.70655	1.75002	1.79549	1.83896
33	26	"	"	"	"	"	1.67197	1.71544	1.75991	1.80438	1.84786
34	27+	"	"	"	"	"	1.68183	1.72434	1.76980	1.81327	1.85675

35 INDEX DERIVATION Base = 1.00 The base salary for
36 10-month employees shall be calculated by taking the
37 salary derived at Bachelor's degree, 0 years
38 from §1305(b) of this title, and dividing by ~~0.63037~~
39 0.618013 to account for 100 percent state funding.

1 (o) Delaware Technical Community College may adjust the Administrative Responsibility Index
2 Schedule set forth in 14 Del C. §9219(g) to respond to employment market conditions for recruitment and
3 retention of employees, without impact to the general fund appropriation limit as provided in Section 1 of this Act.
4 Adjustments to the Administrative Responsibility Index resulting in a salary increase greater than five percent
5 shall require the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, the Controller General and the
6 Secretary of the Department of Human Resources.

7 (p) Upon the recommendations of the Public Education Compensation Committee, the basic salary
8 schedule for Plan A employees at Delaware Technical Community College shall be reevaluated to maintain
9 competitiveness in compensation for recruitment and retention of faculty that meets the workforce needs
10 throughout the State.

11 **Section 9.** Salaries and wage rates for state employees who are not covered by the provisions of 14 Del.
12 C. c. 13, 19 Del. C. § 1311A, 19 Del. C. c. 16 or by the Merit System pay plan, excluding employees of the
13 General Assembly - House or the General Assembly - Senate, Uniformed State Police, all full-time and regular
14 part-time non-Merit Telecommunications Specialists, Senior Telecommunications Specialists, Telecommunication
15 Shift Supervisors, Telecommunications Central Control Specialists, Senior Telecommunications Central Control
16 Specialists and Telecommunications Central Control Shift Supervisors employed in the Communications section
17 of the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, Delaware State Police, employees of the University of
18 Delaware, employees of Delaware State University, employees of Delaware Technical Community College who
19 are paid on the Administrative Salary Plan or Faculty Plan, Plans D and A, respectively, members and employees
20 of the Delaware National Guard and employees whose salaries are governed by Section 10 of this Act, shall have
21 the following:

22 (a) The salary of employees shall be comparable to salaries and wage rates paid from funds appropriated
23 by the State to employees with similar training and experience who serve in similar positions in the Merit System.
24 In the event that there are no similar positions in the Merit System, the Secretary of the Department of Human
25 Resources shall establish an exempt position classification only for the purpose of assigning a salary or wage rate to
26 said position. On or before August 15, the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources shall publish a list of
27 exempt positions and the comparable Merit System class and/or pay grade for each position. In addition, such listing
28 shall show the name of the incumbent, if the position is filled, and shall show the statutory citation that authorizes
29 the establishment of the exempt position(s). The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources shall provide

1 copies of such listing to members of the Joint Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of Management and
 2 Budget and the Controller General. No exempt employee shall be hired until an approved comparability has been
 3 assigned to the position. No reclassification/regrading change in pay grade comparability of a filled or vacant
 4 exempt position, or change of a Merit System position to an exempt position otherwise permitted under Delaware
 5 Law shall become effective unless approved by the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Director
 6 of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. In order to permit the development of the
 7 comparability list, state agencies shall provide to the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources job
 8 descriptions of all exempt positions and position classification questionnaires describing the duties and
 9 responsibilities of each of the positions. The certification of comparability by the Secretary of the Department of
 10 Human Resources shall not be withheld unreasonably. Those positions assigned on a list of comparability that are
 11 assigned a comparable class and/or pay grade in the Merit System shall be paid in accordance with Sections 8(b) and
 12 (c) of this Act and Merit System Rules 4.4.3, 4.5, 4.6, 4.12 and 4.13.6; no other salary increases shall be given to
 13 such employees unless specifically authorized in this Act.

14 (b) The salary of employees whose salary is below the minimum salary of the assigned pay grade of the
 15 pay plan shall be raised to the minimum salary.

16 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Law or this Act to the contrary, civilian
 17 employees of the Delaware National Guard shall be compensated at a salary and wage rate established by the
 18 Federal Civil Service Commission.

19 **Section 10.** (a) The salaries displayed below represent the salary effective on the first day of the first full
 20 pay cycle of the fiscal year.

Budget Unit	Line Item	General Fund	All Other Funds
(01 01 01)	Representative	50,678	
(01 02 01)	Senator	50,678	
(02 00 00)	Judicial Secretaries	59,008	
(02 00 00)	Judicial Secretaries to Presiding Judges	61,563	
(02 01 00)	Chief Justice Supreme Court	228,999	
(02 01 00)	Justice Supreme Court	218,684	
(02 01 00)	Judicial Secretary to the Chief Justice	62,261	

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Budget Unit	Line Item	General Fund	All Other Funds
(02 01 00)	Supreme Court Judicial Secretary	61,563	
(02 02 00)	Chancellor Court of Chancery	218,122	
(02 02 00)	Vice Chancellor Court of Chancery	205,600	
(02 03 00)	President Judge Superior Court	218,122	
(02 03 00)	Associate Judge Superior Court	205,600	
(02 03 00)	Commissioner Superior Court	133,141	
(02 03 00)	New Castle County Prothonotary	85,057	
(02 03 00)	Kent County Prothonotary	77,518	
(02 03 00)	Sussex County Prothonotary	77,518	
(02 06 00)	Chief Judge Court of Common Pleas*	211,755	
(02 06 00)	Judge Court of Common Pleas*	194,720	
(02 06 00)	Commissioner Court of Common Pleas	127,625	
(02 08 00)	Chief Judge Family Court	218,122	
(02 08 00)	Associate Judge Family Court	205,600	
(02 08 00)	Commissioner Family Court**	133,141	
(02 13 00)	Chief Magistrate Justice of the Peace Court	148,993	
(02 13 00)	Magistrate Justice of the Peace Court 1st Term	83,013	
(02 13 00)	Magistrate Justice of the Peace Court 2nd Term	85,932	
(02 13 00)	Magistrate Justice of the Peace Court 3rd Term	88,633	
(02 13 00)	Judicial Secretary to the Chief Magistrate	61,563	
(02 17 00)	State Court Administrator Office of the State Court	147,201	
	Administrator		
(02 17 00)	Judicial Secretary to the State Court Administrator	61,563	
(02 17 00)	State Court Administrator Office of the State Court	147,201	
	Administrator		

* The Department of Human Resources will complete a salary review of this position no later than June 30, 2024.

** Family Court Commissioner positions may be funded with Special Funds.

		General	All Other
Budget Unit	Line Item	Fund	Funds
(02 17 00)	Judicial Secretary to the State Court Administrator	61,563	
(02 18 00)	Public Guardian	111,717	
(02 18 05)	Child Advocate	127,925	
(02 18 05)	Investigation Coordinator	122,249	
(10 01 01)	Governor	171,000	
(10 02 00)	Director Office of Management and Budget	163,778	
(10 02 50)	Executive Secretary Architectural Accessibility Board	58,582	
(10 07 01)	Executive Director Criminal Justice Council	105,060	
(10 07 01)	Director Domestic Violence Coordinating Council	77,587	
(10 07 02)	Executive Director DELJIS	105,060	
(10 08 01)	Director Delaware State Housing Authority		140,097
(11 00 00)	Chief Information Officer	178,609	
(12 01 01)	Lieutenant Governor	88,129	
(12 02 01)	Auditor	130,426	
(12 03 01)	Insurance Commissioner		130,426
(12 05 01)	State Treasurer	132,264	
(15 01 01)	Attorney General	160,627	
(15 01 01)	Chief Deputy Attorney General	146,698	
(15 02 01)	Chief Defender	155,137	
(15 02 02)	Chief Deputy Public Defender	142,223	
(16 01 00)	Secretary Human Resources	143,552	
(20 01 00)	Secretary State	154,133	
(20 01 00)	Executive Director Employment Relations Boards	107,358	
(20 02 00)	Director Human and Civil Rights	94,735	
(20 03 00)	Director Division of Archives	94,735	
(20 04 00)	Public Advocate		107,358
(20 04 00)	Director Public Service Commission		126,465

		General	All Other
Budget Unit	Line Item	Fund	Funds
(20 04 00)	Director Professional Regulation		116,134
(20 05 00)	Director Corporations		135,123
(20 06 00)	Director Historical and Cultural Affairs	111,836	
(20 07 00)	Director Arts	97,266	
(20 08 00)	State Librarian	100,014	
(20 15 00)	State Banking Commissioner		132,018
(20 16 00)	Commissioner Alcoholic Beverage Control	126,431	
(25 01 00)	Secretary Finance	163,778	
(25 05 00)	Director Accounting	128,815	
(25 06 00)	Director Revenue	138,894	
(25 07 00)	Director State Lottery		121,025
(35 01 00)	Secretary Health and Social Services	172,391	
(35 01 00)	Director Management Services	120,508	13,390
(35 02 00)	Director Medicaid and Medical Assistance	67,067	67,066
(35 05 00)	Director Public Health	211,150	
(35 06 00)	Director Substance Abuse and Mental Health	166,887	
(35 07 00)	Director Division of Social Services	67,067	67,066
(35 08 00)	Director Visually Impaired	103,672	
(35 09 00)	Director Health Care Quality*	108,610	
(35 10 00)	Director Child Support Services	36,887	71,606
(35 11 00)	Director Developmental Disabilities Services	134,015	
(35 12 00)	Director State Service Centers	108,610	
(35 14 00)	Director Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities	134,134	
(37 01 00)	Secretary Services for Children, Youth and Their Families	155,119	
(37 01 00)	Director Management Support Services	121,789	
(37 04 00)	Director Prevention and Behavioral Health Services	121,789	

31 * Director of Health Care Quality position funding split may vary based on caseloads billable to Medicaid.

		General	All Other
Budget Unit	Line Item	Fund	Funds
(37 05 00)	Director Youth Rehabilitative Services	121,789	
(37 06 00)	Director Family Services	121,789	
(38 01 00)	Commissioner Correction	162,181	
(38 01 00)	Bureau Chief Administrative Services	119,590	
(38 02 00)	Bureau Chief Healthcare, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services	121,789	
(38 04 00)	Bureau Chief Prisons	134,134	
(38 06 00)	Bureau Chief Community Corrections	128,307	
(40 01 00)	Secretary Natural Resources and Environmental Control	143,552	
(40 01 00)	Deputy Secretary Natural Resources and Environmental Control	131,325	
(40 03 02)	Director Parks and Recreation	111,488	
(40 03 03)	Director Fish and Wildlife	55,744	55,744
(40 03 04)	Director Watershed Stewardship	111,488	
(40 04 02)	Director Air Quality	111,488	
(40 04 03)	Director Water	111,488	
(40 04 04)	Director Waste and Hazardous Substances	111,488	
(40 04 05)	Director Climate, Coastal, and Energy	111,488	
(45 01 00)	Secretary Safety and Homeland Security	155,119	
(45 01 00)	Director Delaware Emergency Management Agency	52,938	52,938
(45 04 00)	Director Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement	99,088	
(45 05 00)	Commissioner Marijuana	126,431	
(45 06 00)	Superintendent State Police	225,453	
(45 06 00)	Assistant Superintendent State Police	206,838	
(55 01 01)	Secretary Transportation		153,531
(55 01 02)	Director Finance		130,110
(55 02 01)	Director Technology and Innovation		130,110
(55 03 01)	Director Planning		130,110
(55 04 70)	Director Maintenance and Operations		130,110

		General	All Other
Budget Unit	Line Item	Fund	Funds
(55-08-30)	Chief Engineer		140,088
(55-11-10)	Director Motor Vehicles		130,110
(60-01-00)	Secretary Labor	14,010	126,087
(60-06-00)	Director Unemployment Insurance		115,988
(60-07-00)	Director Industrial Affairs		113,032
(60-08-00)	Director Vocational Rehabilitation		113,032
(60-09-00)	Director Employment and Training	22,606	90,426
(65-01-00)	Secretary Agriculture	140,097	
(65-01-00)	Deputy Secretary Agriculture	101,688	
(70-01-01)	State Election Commissioner	97,362	
(70-01-01)	Director, New Castle County Elections	85,057	
(70-01-01)	Deputy Director, New Castle County Elections	83,409	
(70-01-01)	Director, Kent County Elections	85,057	
(70-01-01)	Deputy Director, Kent County Elections	83,409	
(70-01-01)	Director, Sussex County Elections	85,057	
(70-01-01)	Deputy Director, Sussex County Elections	83,409	
(75-01-01)	State Fire Marshal	97,362	
(75-02-01)	Director State Fire School	97,362	
(76-01-01)	Adjutant General	141,908	
(95-01-00)	Secretary of Education	178,609	
(95-01-00)	Deputy Secretary of Education	142,952	
(95-06-00)	Executive Secretary Advisory Council on Career and Technical Education	107,689	

		<u>General</u>	<u>All Other</u>
	<u>Budget Unit</u> <u>Line Item</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>
3	(01-01-01) Representative	51,692	
4	(01-02-01) Senator	51,692	
5	(02-00-00) Judicial Secretaries	61,999	
6	(02-00-00) Judicial Secretaries to Presiding Judges	64,684	
7	(02-01-00) Chief Justice - Supreme Court	236,327	
8	(02-01-00) Justice - Supreme Court	223,064	
9	(02-01-00) Judicial Secretary to the Chief Justice	65,418	
10	(02-01-00) Supreme Court Judicial Secretary	64,684	
11	(02-02-00) Chancellor - Court of Chancery	222,490	
12	(02-02-00) Vice Chancellor - Court of Chancery	211,358	
13	(02-03-00) President Judge - Superior Court	222,490	
14	(02-03-00) Associate Judge - Superior Court	211,358	
15	(02-03-00) Commissioner - Superior Court	139,532	
16	(02-03-00) New Castle County Prothonotary	86,758	
17	(02-03-00) Kent County Prothonotary	79,068	
18	(02-03-00) Sussex County Prothonotary	79,068	
19	(02-06-00) Chief Judge - Court of Common Pleas	216,416	
20	(02-06-00) Judge - Court of Common Pleas	198,619	
21	(02-06-00) Commissioner - Court of Common Pleas	133,496	
22	(02-08-00) Chief Judge - Family Court	222,490	
23	(02-08-00) Associate Judge - Family Court	211,358	
24	(02-08-00) Commissioner - Family Court*	139,532	
25	(02-13-00) Chief Magistrate - Justice of the Peace Court	155,847	
26	(02-13-00) Magistrate - Justice of the Peace Court - 1st Term	84,673	
27	(02-13-00) Magistrate - Justice of the Peace Court - 2nd Term	87,651	
28	(02-13-00) Magistrate - Justice of the Peace Court - 3rd Term	90,406	
29	* - Family Court Commissioner positions may be funded with Special Funds.		

		<u>General</u>	<u>All Other</u>
	<u>Budget Unit</u> <u>Line Item</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>
3	(02-13-00) Judicial Secretary to the Chief Magistrate	64,684	
4	(02-17-00) State Court Administrator - Office of the State Court	156,060	
5	<u>Administrator</u>		
6	(02-17-00) Judicial Secretary to the State Court Administrator	64,684	
7	(02-18-00) Public Guardian	113,951	
8	(02-18-05) Child Advocate	130,481	
9	(02-18-05) Investigation Coordinator	124,694	
10	(10-01-01) Governor	171,000	
11	(10-02-00) Director - Office of Management and Budget	167,054	
12	(10-02-50) Executive Secretary - Architectural Accessibility Board	59,754	
13	(10-07-01) Executive Director - Criminal Justice Council	107,161	
14	(10-07-01) Director - Domestic Violence Coordinating Council	79,139	
15	(10-07-02) Executive Director - DELJIS	107,161	
16	(10-08-01) Director - Delaware State Housing Authority		145,001
17	(11-00-00) Chief Information Officer	182,181	
18	(12-01-01) Lieutenant Governor	89,892	
19	(12-02-01) Auditor	136,947	
20	(12-03-01) Insurance Commissioner		136,947
21	(12-05-01) State Treasurer	136,947	
22	(15-01-01) Attorney General	163,840	
23	(15-01-01) Chief Deputy Attorney General	149,632	
24	(15-02-01) Chief Defender	158,240	
25	(15-02-02) Chief Deputy Public Defender	145,067	
26	(16-01-00) Secretary - Human Resources	146,423	
27	(20-01-00) Secretary - State	163,011	
28	(20-01-00) Executive Director - Employment Relations Boards	109,505	
29	(20-02-00) Director - Human and Civil Rights	96,630	

		<u>General</u>	<u>All Other</u>
	<u>Budget Unit</u> <u>Line Item</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>
3	(20-03-00) Director - Division of Archives	96,630	
4	(20-04-00) Public Advocate		109,505
5	(20-04-00) Director - Public Service Commission		128,994
6	(20-04-00) Director - Professional Regulation		118,457
7	(20-05-00) Director - Corporations		137,825
8	(20-06-00) Director - Historical and Cultural Affairs	114,073	
9	(20-07-00) Director - Arts	99,211	
10	(20-08-00) State Librarian	102,014	
11	(20-15-00) State Banking Commissioner		134,658
12	(20-16-00) Commissioner - Alcoholic Beverage Control	128,960	
13	(25-01-00) Secretary - Finance	167,054	
14	(25-05-00) Director - Accounting	131,391	
15	(25-06-00) Director - Revenue	141,672	
16	(25-07-00) Director - State Lottery		123,446
17	(35-01-00) Secretary - Health and Social Services	178,644	
18	(35-01-00) Director - Management Services	122,918	13,658
19	(35-02-00) Director - Medicaid and Medical Assistance	68,408	68,407
20	(35-05-00) Director - Public Health	215,373	
21	(35-06-00) Director - Substance Abuse and Mental Health	170,225	
22	(35-07-00) Director - Division of Social Services	68,408	68,407
23	(35-08-00) Director - Visually Impaired	105,745	
24	(35-09-00) Director - Health Care Quality*	110,782	
25	(35-10-00) Director - Child Support Services	37,625	73,038
26	(35-11-00) Director - Developmental Disabilities Services	136,695	
27	(35-14-00) Director - Services for Aging and Adults	136,817	
28	with Physical Disabilities		
29	*- Director of Health Care Quality position funding split may vary based on caseloads billable to Medicaid.		

			<u>General</u>	<u>All Other</u>
	<u>Budget Unit</u>	<u>Line Item</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>
3	(37-01-00)	Secretary - Services for Children,	160,625	
4		<u>Youth and Their Families</u>		
5	(37-01-00)	Director - Management Support Services	124,225	
6	(37-04-00)	Director - Prevention and Behavioral Health Services	124,225	
7	(37-05-00)	Director - Youth Rehabilitative Services	124,225	
8	(37-06-00)	Director - Family Services	124,225	
9	(38-01-00)	Commissioner - Correction	165,425	
10	(38-01-00)	Bureau Chief - Administrative Services	121,982	
11	(38-02-00)	Bureau Chief - Healthcare, Substance Abuse and	124,225	
12		<u>Mental Health Services</u>		
13	(38-04-00)	Bureau Chief - Prisons	145,938	
14	(38-06-00)	Bureau Chief - Community Corrections	139,598	
15	(40-01-00)	Secretary - Natural Resources and Environmental Control	146,423	
16	(40-01-00)	Deputy Secretary - Natural Resources and	133,952	
17		<u>Environmental Control</u>		
18	(40-03-02)	Director - Parks and Recreation	113,718	
19	(40-03-03)	Director - Fish and Wildlife	56,859	56,859
20	(40-03-04)	Director - Watershed Stewardship	113,718	
21	(40-04-02)	Director - Air Quality	113,718	
22	(40-04-03)	Director - Water	113,718	
23	(40-04-04)	Director - Waste and Hazardous Substances	113,718	
24	(40-04-05)	Director - Climate, Coastal, and Energy	113,718	
25	(45-01-00)	Secretary - Safety and Homeland Security	160,625	
26	(45-01-00)	Director - Delaware Emergency Management Agency	53,997	53,997
27	(45-04-00)	Director - Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement	101,070	
28	(45-05-00)	Commissioner - Marijuana	128,960	
29	(45-06-00)	Superintendent - State Police	225,453	
30	(45-06-00)	Assistant Superintendent - State Police	206,838	
31	(55-01-01)	Secretary - Transportation		156,602

		<u>General</u>	<u>All Other</u>
	<u>Budget Unit</u> <u>Line Item</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>Funds</u>
3	(55-01-02) Director - Finance		132,712
4	(55-02-01) Director - Technology and Innovation		132,712
5	(55-03-01) Director - Planning		132,712
6	(55-04-70) Director - Maintenance and Operations		132,712
7	(55-08-30) Chief Engineer		142,890
8	(55-11-10) Director - Motor Vehicles		132,712
9	(60-01-00) Secretary - Labor	14,500	130,501
10	(60-06-00) Director - Unemployment Insurance		118,308
11	(60-07-00) Director - Industrial Affairs		115,293
12	(60-08-00) Director - Vocational Rehabilitation		115,293
13	(60-09-00) Director - Employment and Training	23,058	92,235
14	(65-01-00) Secretary - Agriculture	145,001	
15	(65-01-00) Deputy Secretary - Agriculture	103,722	
16	(70-01-01) State Election Commissioner	99,309	
17	(70-01-01) Director, New Castle County Elections	86,758	
18	(70-01-01) Deputy Director, New Castle County Elections	85,077	
19	(70-01-01) Director, Kent County Elections	86,758	
20	(70-01-01) Deputy Director, Kent County Elections	85,077	
21	(70-01-01) Director, Sussex County Elections	86,758	
22	(70-01-01) Deputy Director, Sussex County Elections	85,077	
23	(75-01-01) State Fire Marshal	128,520	
24	(75-02-01) Director - State Fire School	105,930	
25	(76-01-01) Adjutant General	145,001	
26	(95-01-00) Secretary of Education	182,181	
27	(95-01-00) Deputy Secretary of Education	145,811	
28	(95-06-00) Executive Secretary - Advisory Council on Career	109,843	
29	<u>and Technical Education</u>		

- 1 (b) (i) Salaries of designated positions in Section 10(a) of this Act shall have no further increase
2 applied by any other section of this Act, except as provided in Section 10(b)(ii), (iii), (iv), (v)
3 ~~and~~, (vi) and (vii).
- 4 (ii) In reviewing requests made pursuant to this section, the Secretary of the Department of
5 Human Resources shall provide an analysis of the request and shall solicit the advice and
6 written consent of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller
7 General in the event the salary is higher than the amount listed in Section 10(a).
- 8 (iii) Positions designated in Section 10(a) of this Act may be paid a salary that is less than the
9 designated salary if the position is filled on an "acting" basis.
- 10 (iv) An agency may request a dual incumbency for a division director or equivalent position in
11 Section 10(a), provided that the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the
12 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General determine that
13 the position is essential to fill during the interim period it would otherwise be vacant. The
14 agency shall submit a request to the Department of Human Resources. The Secretary of the
15 Department of Human Resources shall review this request and seek the advice and written
16 consent of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.
- 17 (v) If the incumbent in the position of Secretary - Health and Social Services holds a state
18 medical license, the salary listed in Section 10(a) of this Act for that position shall be
19 increased by \$12.0. Additionally, if the incumbent in the position of Secretary - Health and
20 Social Services is a board-certified physician, a \$3.0 supplement shall be added to the annual
21 salary listed in Section 10(a) of this Act.
- 22 (vi) Notwithstanding any other provision of law or Section of this Act to the contrary, positions
23 designated in Section 10(a) that were reviewed and recommended for salary adjustment
24 during the prior fiscal year will be eligible to receive the recommended increase retroactively
25 to the first full pay period of fiscal year upon the approval of the Director of the Office of
26 Management and Budget and the Controller General.
- 27 (vii) In accordance with the 2021 Delaware Compensation Commission Report recommendation,
28 the salary for the Governor shall increase by a 2.0 percent market adjustment each year for
29 four years effective with the Governor's oath of office.

1 (c) By May 1, the Department of Human Resources shall submit to the Joint Finance Committee a listing
 2 of employees designated in Section 10(a). The listing shall indicate for each position the number of Hay points
 3 applicable for Fiscal Year 2024 and the number of Hay points of any recommended changes for any position for
 4 Fiscal Year 2025.

5 (d) For this fiscal year, the following represent the maximum salaries appropriated within Section 1 of this
 6 Act. These maximum salaries may be increased upon approval of the Secretary of the Department of Human
 7 Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General to accommodate
 8 changes in statutory requirements.

Budget Unit	Line Item	General Fund	All Other Funds
(10-02-32)	Board Members - Pensions		\$15.0
(10-02-50)	Board Members - Architectural Accessibility Board	\$2.3	
(15-01-01)	Board Members - Consumer Protection	3.5	
(20-01-00)	Board Members - Public Employment Relations Board	7.4	
(20-01-00)	Board Members - Merit Employee Relations Board	20.0	
(20-02-00)	Board Members - Human Relations	2.5	
(20-04-00)	Board Members - Professional Regulation		71.5
(20-04-00)	Board Members - Public Service Commission		155.0 188.1
(20-16-00)	Board Members - Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission	8.6	
(25-01-00)	Board Members - Revenue	33.0	
(35-01-10)	Board Members - Diamond State Hospital Cost Review Board	285.0	
(38-04-00)	Board Members - Institutional Classification	12.0	
(45-04-00)	Board Members - Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission	8.6	
(60-07-00)	Board Members - Industrial Accident Board		245.4
(65-01-05)	Harness Racing Commission		13.6
(65-01-10)	Thoroughbred Racing Commission		13.6
(65-01-12)	Nutrient Management Commission	22.4	
(70-01-01)	Board Members - State Board of Elections	21.5	
(95-01-40)	Board Members - State Board of Education	21.6	

1 **Section 11.** In an effort to ensure the efficiency of operations of state government, the Office of
2 Management and Budget will work with agencies to identify positions within their organizations that can be targeted
3 for reallocation and/or attrition. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Director of Office
4 of Management and Budget shall, upon the concurrence of the Controller General, have the authority to reallocate
5 personnel costs, as well as positions, throughout and among respective state agencies, including the Judiciary and
6 Other Elective offices, in order to meet critical workforce needs. Further, the Director of the Office of Management
7 and Budget, upon the concurrence of the Controller General, shall de-authorize targeted positions, where
8 appropriate, as they become vacant throughout the fiscal year.

9 **Section 12.** With the exception of the custodial work associated with Legislative Hall and the Governor's
10 Office, the Office of Management and Budget may not hire any permanent, full-time custodial employees in any
11 fiscal year without the concurrence of the Controller General.

12 **Section 13.** All agencies receiving an Energy appropriation in Section 1 of this Act must work through
13 Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control and the Office of Management and Budget to attain
14 any contract(s) dealing with the retail wheeling of natural gas or electricity. This includes agencies 01 through 95
15 with the exception of the University of Delaware.

16 During the current fiscal year, all energy use systems for new facilities and/or rental/leasing changes must
17 be coordinated with the Division of Climate, Coastal, and Energy within the Department of Natural Resources and
18 Environmental Control and with the Office of Management and Budget.

19 Any internal program unit/budget unit having energy funding (electricity, natural or propane gas and
20 heating oils) for the purpose of reimbursing a host internal program unit/budget unit must release the remaining
21 sums to the host internal program unit/budget unit in the event that the tenant internal program unit/budget unit
22 vacates the premises. It is the responsibility of the host internal program unit/budget unit to initiate the transfer
23 request. Those agencies which are budgeted energy as a result of occupying a portion of a host facility's property,
24 and do not directly pay energy bills, may not transfer energy funds other than to the host agency.

25 **Section 14.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, the
26 Office of Management and Budget, subject to the approval of the Controller General, is authorized to make technical
27 adjustments to the personnel complement of any agency as appropriated in Section 1 of this Act in those situations
28 where, due to the rounding of split-funded positions, such an adjustment is necessary so that an agency may
29 establish its authorized complement.

1 **Section 15.** Notwithstanding Merit Rules 4.4.2 and 4.4.3, approval of a rate higher than 80 percent of the
2 midpoint which results in a need for leveling-up to address pay compression or pay equity, as defined by a criteria
3 established by the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, shall only occur with the concurrence of the
4 Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
5 Controller General, provided that sufficient funds exist within the agency’s base budget to fund such actions.
6 Notwithstanding any provisions of this Act or the Delaware Code to the contrary, no provision of Chapter 4.0 of the
7 Merit Rules shall be considered compensation for the purposes of collective bargaining under 19 Del. C. § 1311A or
8 for Merit Employees organized under 19 Del. C. c. 16. The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the
9 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General, with the concurrence of the Co-
10 Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee, shall promulgate policies and procedures to implement this section.

11 **Section 16.** In an effort to reduce the financial impact of workers’ compensation and property losses to the
12 State, agencies and school districts shall work with the Insurance Coverage Office to implement safety and return to
13 work policies. Any employee who has been on workers’ compensation shall be a preferential hire for any position
14 for which the employee is qualified. In accordance with state law, the employee shall receive a salary supplement
15 based on that employee’s prior earnings in the event the new salary is less than their current salary.

16 **Section 17.** In accordance with the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 5106, effective for all fiscal years
17 commencing after June 30, 2003, exceptions to the standard practice of paycheck deductions shall be made for
18 employees paying dues to the Delaware State Education Association (DSEA). All employees designating that DSEA
19 membership dues be deducted from their bi-weekly paycheck shall have those dues deducted from the 22 pay
20 periods occurring within the 10 month school year. This change will facilitate the maintenance of the state payroll
21 system, as well as establish a consistent process for managing the collection of dues from members of DSEA.

22 **Section 18.** Notwithstanding Chapter 10.0 and Chapter 19.0 of the Merit Rules, upon approval by the
23 Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
24 Controller General, temporary appointees may be assigned to the same position as that already assigned to a
25 permanent employee.

26 **Section 19.** Employees of the State of Delaware who are enrolled in a health insurance benefit plan must
27 actively participate in the open enrollment process each year by selecting a health plan or waiving coverage. Should
28 such employee(s) neglect to enroll in a plan of their choice during the open enrollment period or waive coverage,

1 said employee(s) and any spouse or dependents enrolled at the time will be enrolled into the default health plan(s) as
2 determined by the State Employee Benefits Committee.

3 **Section 20.** Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code to the contrary, 29 Del. C. § 5207 shall
4 not apply to individuals employed in accordance with 29 Del. C. § 5903(17).

5 **Section 21.** Any group defined in 29 Del. C. § 5209(a), (d) or (e) that elects to participate in the State of
6 Delaware Group Health Insurance Program (GHIP) is required to submit a letter of intent to the Director of
7 Statewide Benefits and Insurance Coverage at least four months prior to their effective date of coverage. Groups
8 who choose to join the GHIP will be required to execute a Participating Group Agreement in the form required by
9 the Statewide Benefits Office.

10 **Section 22.** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act or the Delaware Code to the contrary, the
11 Director of the Office of Management and Budget, with the concurrence of the Secretary of the Department of
12 Human Resources and the Controller General, is authorized to transfer funds from unaffiliated participant premium
13 revenues as repayment for any State-funded Group Health Insurance deficit.

14 **Section 23.** The responsibilities and authorities established by 75 Del. Laws, c. 243 shall remain in effect
15 through the current fiscal year or upon passage of legislation by the General Assembly. The following provisions
16 shall apply:

17 (a) The Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall provide the Controller General with a
18 detailed description of any significant change in energy procurement strategy and procedures previously approved
19 by the Controller General. The detailed description shall be provided to the Controller General at least two weeks
20 prior to the execution of an energy supply contract that incorporates the changes.

21 (b) The Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall have the authority to enter into wholesale
22 or retail supply contracts for natural gas and other types of fuel and energy in accordance with the responsibilities
23 and authorities established for the purchase of electricity as per 75 Del. Laws, c. 243.

24 (c) Aggregation partner, as defined in 75 Del. Laws, c. 243, shall also be construed to mean public
25 libraries, corporations and authorities established by the General Assembly including, but not limited to, the
26 Delaware Riverfront Development Corporation, Delaware River and Bay Authority and Diamond State Port
27 Corporation upon approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

28 (d) The provisions of 75 Del. Laws, c. 243, § 1(b) shall be construed to include electricity, gas and other
29 sources of fuel and energy procured on both retail and wholesale energy markets.

1 **Section 24.** (a) For the purposes of meeting the public notice and advertising requirements of 29 Del. C. c.
2 69, the announcement of bid solicitations and associated notices for the required duration on
3 ~~www.bids.delaware.gov~~ a single site accessible to the public and administered by the Section shall satisfy the public
4 notice and advertisement requirements under this chapter.

5 (b) The Office of Management and Budget, Department of Education, local school districts and the Data
6 Service Center shall continue to meet, at least quarterly, to identify and implement purchasing opportunities that will
7 increase cost savings, improve efficiencies and maximize flexibility. Where two or more districts procure ~~items~~
8 materials and services of similar nature, districts shall aggregate these purchasing efforts through the Office of
9 Management and Budget.

10 **Section 25.** Notwithstanding the provisions of the Administrative Procedures Act, 29 Del. C. c. 101 or any
11 other laws to the contrary, the State Employee Benefits Committee is authorized to amend the rules for Employees
12 Eligible to Participate in the State Group Health Insurance Program and the State Disability Insurance Program by
13 approving such amendments and causing the amendments to be published in the Register of Regulations with such
14 amendments to be effective as of the date of such publication unless otherwise specified by the State Employee
15 Benefits Committee.

16 **Section 26.** During the current fiscal year, the State Employee Health Fund and Department of Health and
17 Social Services, Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance (35-02-01) shall participate in the Delaware Health
18 Information Network (DHIN). Charges for participation shall be established as a result of 16 Del. C. § 10303.

19 **Section 27.** Section 1 of this Act makes appropriations to the Department of Transportation, ~~and~~ the
20 Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, the Department of Health and Social Services, the
21 Department of State, and the Department of Human Resources. In an effort to best utilize resources available to the
22 State, including federal funding, to the State's benefit and, notwithstanding 29 Del. C. c. 69 or any other statutory
23 provision to the contrary, the General Assembly hereby permits the departments, within the limits of funding
24 provided to support research and education efforts, to enter into agreements directly with the University of
25 Delaware, Delaware State University and Delaware Technical Community College. This authorization is limited to
26 conducting basic or applied research; transferring knowledge regarding scientific and technological advancements;
27 providing practical training to the state and local governments in the application of science or technology; and
28 healthcare professionals education/training, and encourages these departments to consider these three institutions as
29 the resource of first resort in meeting any of their research and/or educational needs.

1 **Section 28.** The Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall report to the Co-Chairs of the
 2 Joint Finance Committee on January 15 of each year the number of vacancies in each agency and the vacancy rate of
 3 each agency. Additionally, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall report the total number of
 4 General Fund positions authorized July 1 and January 1 of each year to the members of the Joint Finance
 5 Committee.

6 **Section 29.** State Employees in full-time appointed exempt positions except elected officials, judges
 7 (excluding justices of the peace), casual and seasonal employees, temporary employees and interns enumerated on
 8 the comparability list that are assigned a comparable class and/or pay grade in the Merit System, who are otherwise
 9 eligible for annual and sick leave accrual per Delaware Code, that are approved to work a standard work week of 40
 10 hours, shall accrue annual leave at the rate of 14.0 hours and sick leave at the rate of 10 hours for each completed
 11 calendar month of state service. Agencies who have granted annual leave to employees in excess of 13.25 hours and
 12 sick leave to employees in excess of 9.5 hours per month based on a 40-hour work week shall not be required to
 13 recoup accruals. These employees shall be compensated for unused annual leave and sick leave to be consistent with
 14 Merit rules and 29 Del. C. § 5905(c).

15 **Section 30.** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act or the Delaware Code to the contrary, the
 16 Director of the Office of Management and Budget, with the concurrence of the Controller General and the Secretary
 17 of the Department of Human Resources, is authorized to make changes to pay matrices should such changes be
 18 required to meet critical shortages in direct service areas of operation.

19 **Section 31.** For the Fiscal Year 2026 budget process, all budget submissions made to the Office of
 20 Management and Budget and Office of the Controller General in October 2024 shall include an addendum regarding
 21 vacant FTEs. Each agency with authorized FTEs listed in Section 1 of this Act shall provide a listing of all FTEs
 22 vacant for three or more fiscal years, the amount and funding source associated with each vacant FTE, and an
 23 explanation of whether or not the vacant FTE is still necessary for agency operations.

24 **Section 32.** (a) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in the following accounts shall
 25 remain as continuing appropriations and shall not be subject to reversion until June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025. Any
 26 appropriation listed below that has a balance of zero on June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, shall not continue:

Fiscal Year(s)	Appropriation	Description
2016/17/18/19/20/21/22/23/24	01-01-01-00140	Travel
2017/18/ <u>2019/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-01-01-00141	Legislative Travel

1	<u>2019/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-01-01-00145	House Member Expenses
2	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-01-01-00150	Contractual Services
3	2021/ <u>2022/23/24</u>	01-01-01-00160	Supplies and Materials
4	<u>2020/21/22/24</u>	01-01-01-00180	House Committee Expenses
5	2022/ <u>2023/24</u>	01-02-01-00140	Travel
6	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-02-01-00141	Legislative Travel
7	<u>2023/24</u>	01-02-01-00145	Senate Member Expenses
8	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-02-01-00150	Contractual Services
9	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-02-01-00160	Supplies and Materials
10	<u>2023/24</u>	01-02-01-00170	Capital Outlay
11	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-02-01-00180	Senate Committee Expenses
12	<u>2020/21/22/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00140	Travel
13	<u>2019/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00141	Legislative Travel
14	<u>2016/17/18/19/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00150	Contractual Services
15	2023	01-05-01-00153	National Conference of State Legislatures
16	<u>2020/21/22/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00160	Supplies and Materials
17	2019/ <u>2020/21/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00183	Eastern Trade Council
18	2020/21/ <u>2022/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00184	Interstate Agriculture Commission
19	2021/23 <u>2024</u>	01-05-01-00240	Delaware River Basin Commission
20	2021/23 <u>2024</u>	01-05-01-00429	Council of State Governments
21	<u>2011/12/15/18/19/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00432	State and Local Legal Center, NCSL
22	2023	01-05-01-00491	National Foundation for Women Legislators
23	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00509	National Black Caucus of State Legislators
24	<u>2015/16/17/18/19/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-05-01-00514	Legislation for Gaming States
25	2017/22/23/24	01-08-01-00140	Travel
26	<u>2017/20/21/22/23/24</u>	01-08-01-00150	Contractual Services
27	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-01-00152	Printing - Laws and Journals
28	2017/ <u>2018/19/22/23/24</u>	01-08-01-00160	Supplies and Materials
29	<u>2023/24</u>	01-08-01-00170	Capital Outlay

1	2021/ <u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-01-00185	Sunset Committee Expenses
2	2023 <u>2024</u>	01-08-01-00199	Contingency - Security
3	2020/21/ <u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-02-00140	Travel
4	2019/20/ <u>2021/22/23/24</u>	01-08-02-00150	Contractual Services
5	2017/18/19/20/21/22/23/24	01-08-02-00160	Supplies and Materials
6	2020/21/22/ <u>2023/24</u>	01-08-02-00170	Capital Outlay
7	2009	01-08-02-00186	TriCent Committee
8	2017/18/19/20/21/ <u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-02-00189	Contingency - Legislative Council
9	2017/ <u>2018/19/20/21/22/24</u>	01-08-02-00190	Contingency - Family Law Commission Expenses
10	2017/18/19/20	01-08-02-00195	Contingency - Clean Air Policy Committee
11	2020/21/ <u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-02-00196	Contingency - JFC/CIP
12	2020	01-08-02-00197	Contingency – Internship
13	<u>2024</u>	01-08-02-08035	Fire Service Sustainability Study
14	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-02-08916	DELIS
15	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-03-00140	Travel
16	2018/19/20/21/22/23/24	01-08-03-00150	Contractual Services
17	2022/23/24	01-08-03-00160	Supplies and Materials
18	<u>2022/23/24</u>	01-08-06-00140	Travel
19	2023	01-08-06-00150	Contractual Services
20	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	01-08-06-00160	Supplies and Materials
21	2022/ <u>2023/24</u>	02-03-10-00202	Jury Expenses
22	<u>2024</u>	02-13-10-00621	Housing/Landlord Contingency
23	2023/ <u>2024</u>	02-17-01-00203	Retired Judges
24	2023 <u>2024</u>	02-17-01-00204	Continuing Judicial Education
25	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	02-17-01-00210	Court Appointed Attorneys/Involuntary Commitment
26	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	02-17-01-00211	Interpreters
27	2023 <u>2024</u>	02-17-01-00212	New Castle County Courthouse
28	2023 <u>2024</u>	02-17-04-00201	Technology Maintenance
29	<u>2024</u>	02-18-01-00216	Special Needs Fund

1	<u>2023 2024</u>	02-18-05-00207	Child Attorneys
2	<u>2023 2024</u>	02-18-05-00217	Ivy Davis Scholarship Fund
3	<u>2023 2024</u>	02-18-05-00616	Youth in Transition
4	<u>2023 2024</u>	10-02-11-00230	Legal Fees
5	<u>2023/24</u>	10-02-11-00232	Salary/OEC
6	<u>2023 2024</u>	10-02-11-00236	Kids Count
7	<u>2022/23 2024</u>	10-02-11-00239	Elder Tax Relief and Education Expense Fund
8	2016	10-02-11-00270	UD Study
9	2023	10-02-11-00299	Health Care Services Contingency
10	2023	10-02-11-00314	Expungements/Clean Slate
11	2019	10-02-11-00330	Child Care
12	2023	10-02-11-00392	DSP Vehicle Replacement and Equipment
13	<u>2020/21/22/23/24</u>	10-02-11-00507	Behavioral Health Consortium
14	<u>2022/23</u>	10-02-11-00519	Body Camera Program
15	<u>2022/23/ 2024</u>	10-02-11-00597	Veteran Tax Relief Education Expense Fund
16	<u>2022/23</u>	10-02-11-00607	Operations I
17	<u>2024</u>	10-02-11-00622	<u>Early Childhood and Preschool Contingency</u>
18	<u>2024</u>	10-02-11-00623	<u>Education Compensation Contingency</u>
19	<u>2024</u>	10-02-11-00670	<u>Marijuana Control Act</u>
20	2022	10-02-11-08004	Clean Slate Act Contingency
21	2023	10-02-11-08034	Landlord Mitigation Fund
22	2022/23	10-02-11-08900	One Time Salary Supplement
23	2020	10-02-11-08904	Behavioral Health Consortium
24	<u>2023/ 2024</u>	10-02-11-08911	Primary and General Election
25	<u>2019/24</u>	10-02-11-08912	Delaware Health Care Claims Database
26	2020	10-02-11-08914	Opportunity Fund
27	<u>2022/23/24</u>	10-02-11-08916	USC Server Replacement/OMB Technology Needs
28	2020	10-02-11-08918	Higher Education Enhanced Land Grant/ Workforce Development Fund
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1	2022/23	10-02-11-08922	Body Camera Program
2	<u>2023/24</u>	10-02-11-08939	Fuel Contingency/Legal Fees Contingency/Trauma
3			Informed Services Contingency/ <u>Medicaid</u>
4			<u>Contingency</u>
5	<u>2024</u>	10-02-11-08940	<u>Landlord Obligations & Tenant Remedies</u>
6	2023	10-02-11-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
7	2023	10-02-11-08949	Family Leave Act
8	<u>2024</u>	10-02-11-08952	<u>Marijuana Control Act</u>
9	<u>2024</u>	10-02-32-08916	<u>ERP Cloud Migration</u>
10	<u>2024</u>	10-02-47-08916	<u>ERP Cloud Migration</u>
11	2020	10-02-50-00607	Operations I
12	<u>2024</u>	10-02-50-08922	<u>Equipment</u>
13	<u>2024</u>	10-02-50-08939	<u>Clearfield House Engineering Study</u>
14	<u>2024</u>	10-02-50-08940	<u>Delaware Veteran's Cemetery Expansion</u>
15	2023 <u>2024</u>	10-07-01-00348	Targeted Youth Prevention Program
16	2023 <u>2024</u>	10-07-01-00539	Law Enforcement Education Fund
17	2023 <u>2024</u>	10-07-01-00559	Public Attorney Student Loan Repayment
18	2023	10-07-01-08939	Trauma Informed Services Contingency
19	2022	10-07-02-08004	Clean Slate Act Contingency
20	<u>2024</u>	11-04-06-08916	<u>ERP Cloud Migration</u>
21	<u>2024</u>	11-05-01-08916	<u>ERP Cloud Migration</u>
22	2023	12-05-06-08939	Delaware EARNs
23	<u>2024</u>	12-05-06-08940	<u>Delaware EARNs</u>
24	<u>2024</u>	15-01-01-00620	<u>Marijuana Control Act</u>
25	2022	15-02-01-08922	Body Camera Program
26	2023 <u>2024</u>	15-02-03-00206	Contract Conflict Attorneys
27	2022	16-01-01-08916	Recruitment, Retention, and Technology Initiatives
28	2023	16-02-02-00504	First State Quality Improvement Fund
29	2023	16-02-02-00595	GEAR Award
30	2022	16-02-02-00607	GEAR Award

1	2023 <u>2024</u>	16-05-02-00150	Contractual Services
2	2023 <u>2024</u>	16-05-02-00262	Self Insurance
3	<u>2024</u>	16-07-01-00504	<u>First State Quality Improvement Fund</u>
4	<u>2023/24</u>	16-07-01-00595	<u>GEAR Award</u>
5	<u>2022</u>	16-07-01-00607	<u>GEAR Award</u>
6	2020/ <u>2021/22/23/24</u>	20-01-01-00241	International Council of Delaware
7	<u>2024</u>	20-01-01-00629	<u>Equity Ombudsperson Program</u>
8	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	20-01-02-00259	Veterans Commission Trust
9	<u>2024</u>	20-01-02-08940	<u>Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery</u>
10	2023	20-01-08-08916	Online Ethics Training
11	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	20-03-01-00287	Delaware Heritage Commission
12	2022	20-03-01-08920	Renovation/Historic Site Improvements
13	2020	20-03-01-08923	Centennial Celebration – Women’s Suffrage
14	2022	20-03-01-08940	Delaware Heritage Commission
15	2023 <u>2024</u>	20-07-01-00296	Delaware Art
16	2023 <u>2024</u>	20-08-01-00297	Library Standards
17	2023 <u>2024</u>	20-08-01-00434	Scholarships
18	2023 <u>2024</u>	20-08-01-00538	Public Education Project
19	2023	20-10-01-08939	Entertainment Industry Fund
20	<u>2024</u>	20-16-10-08922	<u>ERP Cloud Migration</u>
21	<u>2024</u>	25-05-01-08916	<u>ERP Cloud Migration</u>
22	<u>2022/23/24</u>	35-01-10-00523	Health Care Provider State Loan Repayment
23	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-01-10-00534	DIDER Loan Repayment
24	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-01-10-00535	DIMER Loan Repayment
25	2023	35-01-10-00548	DIMER Operations
26	<u>2023/24</u>	35-01-10-00610	Health Care Innovation
27	2022	35-01-10-08005	Health Care Provider Loan
28	2022	35-01-10-08939	Health Care Loan Provider State Loan Repayment
29	2023	35-01-20-08916	DHSS Technology Needs

1	2023	35-01-20-08922	Centralized Command Center/Security Equipment
2	2020	35-01-20-08938	Pandemic Contingency
3	2023	35-02-01-00303	Disproportionate Share Hospital
4	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00301	Non-Medicaid State Match
5	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00308	Health-Child <u>Delaware Healthy Children Program</u>
6	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00367	Technology Operations
7	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00428	Medicaid
8	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00528	Medicaid State Match
9	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00570	Medicaid Projects
10	<u>2024</u>	35-02-01-00625	Skilled Nursing Facility Contingency
11	<u>2024</u>	35-02-01-08916	Technology
12	<u>2024</u>	35-02-01-08939	Medicaid
13	<u>2024</u>	35-02-01-08940	Program Supplement
14	<u>2024</u>	35-05-10-00477	Health Disparities
15	2023	35-05-10-08916	My Healthy Community Data Portal
16	<u>2024</u>	35-05-10-08940	Health Disparities & Health Inequity Program
17	2023	35-05-20-00315	School Based Health Centers
18	2023	35-05-20-00507	Behavioral Health Consortium
19	2023	35-05-20-00594	Delaware CAN
20	<u>2024</u>	35-05-20-00620	Marijuana Control Act
21	<u>2024</u>	35-05-20-00631	Childhood Lead Poisoning
22	<u>2024</u>	35-05-20-08939	Residential Lead Remediation
23	<u>2024</u>	35-05-20-08940	Evaluation and Assessment of School Facilities
24	2022/23	35-05-20-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
25	<u>2024</u>	35-05-30-00399	Substance Use Disorder Services
26	2022 <u>2024</u>	35-06-10-08916	DMES Development
27	<u>2024</u>	35-06-20-00302	Community Housing Support
28	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-06-20-00521	CMH Group Homes
29	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-06-20-00583	Community Placements

1	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-06-40-00399	Substance Use Disorder Services
2	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-07-01-00328	General Assistance
3	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-07-01-00330	Child Care
4	<u>2024</u>	35-07-01-00630	<u>Summer EBT Program</u>
5	<u>2024</u>	35-07-02-00332	<u>Emergency Assistance</u>
6	2022	35-09-01-00607	Operations
7	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-10-01-00367	Technology Operations
8	2023 <u>2024</u>	35-11-30-00335	Purchase of Community Services
9	2023	35-12-30-00332	Emergency Assistance
10	2023 <u>2024</u>	37-01-50-00351	MIS Development
11	2022	37-05-30-08930	Juvenile Re-Entry Services Fund
12	2023 <u>2024</u>	37-06-40-00354	Child Welfare/Contractual Services
13	2022	38-01-12-08004	Clean Slate Act Contingency
14	2023 <u>2024</u>	38-01-14-00552	Information Technology
15	2023 <u>2024</u>	38-02-01-00359	Medical Treatment and Services
16	2023	38-02-01-00361	Drug and Alcohol Treatment
17	2023 <u>2024</u>	38-04-20-00358	Warehouse
18	2023	38-06-07-08922	Security and Safety Equipment
19	2023	38-06-08-08922	Security and Safety Equipment
20	2023	38-06-13-08922	Security and Safety Equipment
21	2023	38-06-14-08922	Security and Safety Equipment
22	<u>2024</u>	40-01-01-00197	<u>Internship Program</u>
23	2022/23	40-01-01-08922	In-Car Cameras for Enforcement Officers
24	2023	40-01-05-08916	Permitting and Data Management Projects
25	2022	40-03-02-08922	Veterinary Equipment
26	<u>2024</u>	40-03-02-08922	<u>Biden Center Equipment</u>
27	2022/ <u>2023/24</u>	40-03-03-00371	Spraying and Insecticides
28	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	40-03-03-00375	Beaver, Phragmites and Deer
29	2023 <u>2024</u>	40-03-03-00497	Tick Control Program

1	2023 <u>2024</u>	40-03-03-00566	Natural Heritage Program
2	2023 <u>2024</u>	40-03-04-00374	Sand Bypass
3	2023 <u>2024</u>	40-04-04-00380	SARA
4	2022	40-04-04-08922	Emergency Carbon Vessel
5	<u>2024</u>	40-04-05-08922	<u>Tree for Every Delawarean</u>
6	<u>2024</u>	40-04-05-08939	<u>Electric Grid Study</u>
7	2022 <u>2024</u>	45-01-01-00519	Body Camera Program
8	2022/23	45-01-01-08922	Body Camera Program/Special Equipment
9	2023 <u>2024</u>	45-01-60-00257	Brain Injury Trust Fund
10	2023	45-02-10-08922	Supplies and Materials
11	<u>2024</u>	45-04-10-00620	<u>Marijuana Control Act</u>
12	<u>2024</u>	45-04-10-08952	<u>Marijuana Control Act</u>
13	<u>2024</u>	45-05-10-00620	<u>Marijuana Control Act</u>
14	2022/23	45-06-05-00519	Body Camera Program
15	2022	45-06-05-08922	Body Camera Program
16	<u>2023/24</u>	45-06-08-00617	Firearm Transaction Approval Program
17	2023	45-06-08-00618	Lethal Weapons
18	2022	45-06-08-08004	Clean Slate Act Contingency
19	<u>2024</u>	45-06-11-08922	<u>Equipment</u>
20	2023 <u>2024</u>	45-06-12-08922	Vehicles and Equipment
21	2023	55-01-02-93082	Prior Year Operations
22	2020	60-01-10-00607	Operations
23	2023	60-01-10-08949	Family Leave Act
24	2023	60-07-02-00150	Contractual Services
25	2023	60-07-02-08939	Wage Theft Investigations
26	2021/22/23 <u>2024</u>	60-08-10-00150	Contractual Services
27	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	60-08-10-00396	Supported Employment
28	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	60-09-20-00394	Workforce Development
29	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	60-09-20-00397	Summer Youth Program

1	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	60-09-20-00506	Learning for Careers
2	2022/23 <u>2024</u>	60-09-20-00531	Elevate Delaware
3	<u>2024</u>	65-01-04-08940	<u>Tree for Every Delawarean</u>
4	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-01-01-08911	Primary and General Elections
5	2023	70-01-01-08922	Early Voting Equipment
6	2023	70-01-01-08939	Early Voting Contingency
7	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-02-01-00412	School Elections
8	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-02-01-08911	Primary and General Elections
9	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-03-01-00412	School Elections
10	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-03-01-08911	Primary and General Elections
11	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-04-01-00412	School Elections
12	2023 <u>2024</u>	70-04-01-08911	Primary and General Elections
13	2022	75-01-01-08916	Technology Equipment
14	2022	75-02-01-08916	Technology Equipment
15	2023 <u>2024</u>	75-03-01-00423	Fire Safety
16	2023 <u>2024</u>	76-01-01-00427	Educational Assistance
17	2023 <u>2024</u>	76-01-01-00612	Joint Enlistment Enhancement Program
18	2023 <u>2024</u>	90-01-01-00424	SEED/Inspire Marketing
19	<u>2024</u>	90-01-01-00589	<u>College of Engineering</u>
20	<u>2023/24</u>	90-01-01-00615	Redding Consortium/WLC
21	2023	90-01-01-08940	College of Earth, Ocean and Environment
22	2023	90-01-02-08916	Delaware Geological Survey Technology
23	2023 <u>2024</u>	90-03-01-00474	Nursing Expansion
24	2021/22/23 <u>2024</u>	90-03-01-00479	Cooperative Extension
25	2021/22/23 <u>2024</u>	90-03-01-00480	Cooperative Research
26	2021/22/23 <u>2024</u>	90-03-01-00516	Cooperative Forestry
27	2023	90-03-01-00547	Racial Equity Consortium
28	<u>2022/23/24</u>	90-03-01-00619	<u>Early Childhood Innovation Center</u>
29	2020	90-03-01-08937	Forestry

1	2022	90-03-01-08940	Nursing Program Transition
2	<u>2023/24</u>	90-03-05-00615	Redding Consortium/WLC
3	2023	90-04-01-00424	SEED/Inspire Marketing
4	<u>2022/23 2024</u>	90-04-01-00443	Career Pathways
5	2023	90-04-02-08940	Welding Apprenticeship Program
6	<u>2024</u>	95-01-01-08940	Mentoring Program Needs
7	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-01-02-00385	Higher Education Operations
8	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-01-02-05277	Student Assessment System
9	2022	95-01-02-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
10	2022/ <u>2023/24</u>	95-01-03-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
11	2022/23	95-01-03-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
12	<u>2024</u>	95-01-04-00627	Governor's Summer Fellowship
13	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-01-04-05199	Education Certification and Development
14	<u>2023/24</u>	95-01-04-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
15	2022	95-01-04-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
16	2020/21	95-01-05-00230	Legal Fees
17	2022	95-01-05-00607	Operations
18	2017	95-01-05-05214	Infrastructure Capacity
19	2018	95-01-05-05215	Educator Accountability
20	2023	95-01-05-08939	Legal Fees
21	2022/23	95-01-05-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
22	<u>2022/23/24</u>	95-01-06-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
23	2022/23	95-01-06-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
24	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-01-40-05191	State Board of Education Operations
25	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-01-40-05284	P-20 Council
26	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-02-02-00231	World Language Expansion
27	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-02-02-00368	College Access
28	2023	95-02-02-05107	School/County Ombudsperson
29	<u>2023 2024</u>	95-02-02-05115	Teacher Recruitment/Retention

1	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-02-02-05181	Unique Alternatives
2	2022/ <u>2023/24</u>	95-02-02-05244	School Improvement Funds
3	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-02-02-05275	Delaware Science Coalition
4	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-02-02-05301	Math Coaches
5	<u>2023/24</u>	95-02-02-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
6	<u>2024</u>	95-02-02-05322	DE Math Plan
7	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-02-02-05400	Year Long Residencies
8	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-02-02-05401	DE Literacy Plan
9	2023	95-02-02-08940	Education Funding Assessment
10	2023	95-02-02-08942	Mental Health Services Unit Contingency
11	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-02-05-05225	Professional Accountability and Instructional Advancement Fund
12			
13	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-20-05108	Reading Interventions
14	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-20-05216	Early Childhood Assistance
15	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-20-05240	Early Childhood Initiatives
16	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-40-00591	Inspire
17	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-40-00613	Mental Health Services Scholarship
18	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-40-05247	Scholarships and Grants
19	2017	95-03-40-05248	Ferguson DSTP Scholarship
20	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-40-05252	SEED Scholarship
21	2023 <u>2024</u>	95-03-40-05304	Loan Forgiveness
22	2022/23	95-13-00-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
23	2022	95-13-00-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC
24	2023	95-31-00-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
25	2022/ <u>2023</u>	95-33-00-05305	Wilmington Schools Initiative
26	<u>2024</u>	95-33-00-08939	Wilmington Schools Initiative
27	2023	95-33-00-05320	Redding Consortium/WLC
28	2022	95-33-00-08945	Redding Consortium/WLC

1 ~~2023~~ _____ ~~95 82 00 05320~~ ~~Redding Consortium/WLC~~

2 ~~2022/23~~ _____ ~~95 82 00 08945~~ ~~Redding Consortium/WLC~~

3 (b) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024 Professional and
4 Curriculum Development (appropriation 05205), ~~Educator Prep Partnership (appropriation 05105)~~, Driver Education
5 (appropriation 05142), Early Childhood Assistance (appropriation 05216), Transportation (appropriations 05138,
6 05149, 05150, 05152, ~~05153~~, 05177, 05179 and 05298), 4 Hour Driver Training (appropriation 05109) and 12 Hour
7 Driver Training (appropriation 05110), Substitute Teacher Block Grant (appropriation 05113), Adult Education and
8 Workforce Training (appropriation 05154), Related Services for Students with Disabilities (appropriation 05190),
9 Education Salary Supplement Contingency (appropriations 00623 and 08900), and Year Long Residencies
10 (appropriation 05400) programs within school districts and charter schools shall be appropriated on a 15 month basis
11 and not be subject to reversion until September 30, ~~2023~~ 2024. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, any sums
12 in Fiscal Year 2023 World Languages Expansion (appropriation 00231) and Math Coaches (appropriation 05301)
13 within school districts and charter schools shall be appropriated on a 15 month basis and not be subject to reversion
14 until September 30, 2024. Program expenses may not be incurred subsequent to the start of the regular ~~2023-2024~~
15 2024-2025 school year.

16 (c) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024 Driver Education
17 (appropriation 05142) within the Department of Education shall be appropriated on a 15-month basis and not be
18 subject to reversion until September 30, ~~2023~~ 2024. Program expenses may not be incurred subsequent to the start of
19 the regular ~~2023-2024~~ 2024-2025 school year. For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in the Fiscal
20 Years ~~2022~~ 2023 and ~~2023~~ 2024 Pupil Transportation (appropriation 05242) program, within the Department of
21 Education, shall not be subject to reversion until December 30, ~~2023~~ 2024.

22 (d) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024 Charter School
23 Operations (appropriation 05213), Charter Transportation Surplus (appropriation 05318), and Charter Exclusions
24 (appropriation 05313), ~~and Salary/OEC Contingency—27th 7 Pay Adjustment (appropriation 08900)~~ shall remain as
25 continuing and not be subject to reversion until June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025.

26 (e) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums for Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024 Division II - All
27 Other Costs (appropriation 05165), Division II - All Other Costs for Vocational Education (appropriation 05265),
28 Division II - Energy (appropriation 00159), Division III - Equalization (appropriation 05186), Teacher of the Year
29 (appropriation 05162), World Language (appropriation 00231), Unique Alternatives (appropriation 05181), College

1 Access (appropriation 00368), Student Success Block Grant Reading (appropriation 05310), Dual Enrollment
2 (appropriation 05314), ~~Critical Needs Scholarship (appropriation 05316)~~, Reading Interventions (appropriation
3 05108), Operations (appropriation 05288), Educational Support Professional of the Year (appropriation 05402),
4 Mid-Year Unit Count (appropriation 05112), Behavioral Health Professional of the Year (appropriation 05114),
5 Teacher Recruitment/Retention (appropriation 05115), Math Coaches (appropriation 05301), Mental Health
6 Services (appropriations 05319 ~~and 08942~~), ~~and~~ Mental Health Cash Option (appropriation 05321), School Safety
7 and Security (appropriation 05323), and Filter First Initiative (appropriation 08940) shall become a continuing
8 appropriation in school districts and charter schools and not be subject to reversion until June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025. ~~For the~~
9 ~~fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, any sums for Fiscal Year 2022 and Fiscal Year 2023 Mental Health Services Unit~~
10 ~~Contingency (appropriation 08940) shall become a continuing appropriation in school districts and charter schools~~
11 ~~and not be subject to reversion until June 30, 2024.~~

12 (f) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in Fiscal Year ~~2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, or~~
13 ~~2023~~ and 2024 School Improvement Funds (appropriation 05244) shall become a continuing appropriation in each
14 local district and charter school and not be subject to reversion until June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025. For the fiscal year ending
15 June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024 Contractual Sub Reimbursement (appropriation 05388), in
16 the Fiscal Year 2022, Fiscal Year 2023, and Fiscal Year 2024 Redding Consortium/WLC (appropriations 05320 and
17 08945), in Fiscal Year 2023 and Fiscal Year 2024 Wilmington Learning Collaborative (appropriations 05403,
18 05404, 05405, 05406, 05407, 05408, 05409, and 05410), and in the ~~Fiscal Year 2020, Fiscal Year 2021, Fiscal Year~~
19 ~~2022, and Fiscal Year 2023,~~ and Fiscal Year 2024 Opportunity Funding (appropriations ~~05297, and 05311, 08914~~
20 ~~and 08915~~) shall become a continuing appropriation in each local district and charter school and not be subject to
21 reversion until June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025.

22 (g) The Department of Transportation shall promulgate and carry out the policies and procedures necessary
23 to deauthorize any unexpended, unencumbered or unprogrammed operating appropriations remaining at the end of
24 the fiscal year.

25 (h) The Department of Transportation shall provide a list of operating appropriations to be continued into
26 the next fiscal year to include the following: 1) unprogrammed appropriations from prior years and 2)
27 unencumbered or unprogrammed appropriations from the immediately preceding fiscal year. The list shall be
28 comprised of the accounting code, fiscal year and program description for each appropriation to be continued. The

1 department may request additional authority, on a project by project basis, during the fiscal year. Such requests
2 shall be submitted to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General for approval.

3 (i) For the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024, any sums in Fiscal Year 2019 and Fiscal Year 2024
4 Delaware Health Care Claims Database (appropriation 08912) shall remain as continuing and not be subject to
5 reversion until June 30, ~~2024~~ 2025. Funds shall be used for the development of the Delaware Health Care Claims
6 Database established and authorized pursuant to 16 Del. C. c. 103. Notwithstanding any other section of law to the
7 contrary, the Delaware Health Care Claims Database shall be developed as part of the Delaware Health Information
8 Network (DHIN), a previously funded initiative through state, federal and private resources. Said funding shall be
9 subject to DHIN making initial data sets available for the Delaware Health Care Claims Database, the submission of
10 a total project budget, including non-state resources, to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, the
11 Chief Information Officer of the Department of Technology and Information, the Secretary of the Department of
12 Health and Social Services and the Controller General and DHIN submitting a written status update to the Governor
13 and General Assembly to include, but not be limited to, the development of the Delaware Health Care Claims
14 Database and the anticipated timeline that the database will be fully operational.

15 (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the DHIN may seek technical
16 assistance from the Department of Health and Social Services, in collaboration with the Delaware Health
17 Care Commission, in support of DHIN's efforts to develop long-term sustainable funding strategies for the
18 Delaware Health Care Claims Database.

19 (2) In the calculation of any statewide, regional or local health care cost calculation target or
20 benchmark program (as defined in House Joint Resolution 7 of the 149th General Assembly), which
21 program or initiative shall not carry a penalty, the total cost of care calculation, report, study or formulation
22 shall utilize, to the fullest extent practicable, data obtained from the Delaware Health Care Claims Database
23 maintained by the DHIN. To the extent that any data used to develop, calculate or otherwise support any
24 statewide, regional or local health care cost target or benchmark program is not from the Delaware Health
25 Care Claims Database maintained by the DHIN, such data shall be made publicly available by the Secretary
26 of the Department of Health and Social Services and disclosed to the Delaware Health Care Commission in
27 an open meeting, subject to existing legal protections for any confidential or proprietary data.

28 (3) Notwithstanding any other provision of the law to the contrary the Department of Health and
29 Social Services may require in support of any statewide, regional or local health care cost calculation target

1 or benchmark program, the submission of claims data, as defined in 16 Del. C. § 10312, by any health
2 insurer, as defined in 16 Del. C. § 10312. Such entity shall be treated as a mandatory reporting entity as
3 defined in 16 Del. C. § 10312 for purposes of submission of claims data pursuant to this section.

1 **TOBACCO - MASTER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

2 **Section 33.** (a) Section 1 of this Act includes ~~\$30,140.2~~ \$31,086.8 ASF from funds received as a result of
3 the Master Settlement Agreement on tobacco funds. These funds are allocated as follows:

4 (15-01-01) Department of Justice

5 \$ ~~228.9~~ 278.1 2.0 ASF FTEs - legal matters relating to tobacco laws and regulations

6 (35-01-20) Health and Social Services - Administration

7 \$ ~~440.0~~ 115.0 DHSS Library

8 (35-02-01) Health and Social Services - Medicaid and Medical Assistance

9 \$ 750.0 Medical Assistance Transition (MAT) Program

10 \$ 1,871.6 Delaware Prescription Drug Program

11 \$ 667.0 Increase Medicaid eligibility for pregnant women/infants to 200 percent of poverty

12 \$ 1,000.0 Social Determinants of Health

13 (35-05-10) Health and Social Services - Director's Office/Support Services

14 \$ 1,500.0 Innovation Fund

15 \$ 5.0 Health Equity

16 (35-05-20) Health and Social Services - Community Health

17 \$ ~~3,011.7~~ 3,221.0 New Nurse Development Program at Delaware Technical Community College

18 \$ 1,227.8 Personnel Costs associated with Tobacco Control Programs

19 \$ ~~573.6~~ 585.4 Uninsured Action Plan

20 \$ 292.2 Diabetes

21 \$ ~~483.8~~ 214.3 Delaware State University Nursing Program

22 \$ 500.0 Healthy Communities Delaware

23 \$ 150.0 Community Mobile Health

24 This Act makes an appropriation to the Division of Community Health for Tobacco Fund: Contractual Services.

25 Of that appropriation, funds are allocated as follows:

26 \$ 2,492.9 Tobacco Prevention through Community-Based Organizations

27 \$ 1,040.0 Nurse Family Partnership

28 \$ 620.4 Non Public School Nursing

29 \$ 397.7 ~~Delaware Breast Cancer Coalition~~—Women's Health Screening Program

1	\$ 350.0	Paramedic Instructional Program Expansion
2	\$ 149.5	Children and Families First <u>Nurse Family Partnership Nurse Home Visitors</u>
3	\$ 82.0 <u>86.2</u>	Planned Parenthood of Delaware <u>Family Planning Program</u>
4	\$ 80.1 <u>73.7</u>	St. Francis Hospital <u>Charity Care Program</u>
5	\$ 150.0	Delaware -Hospice
6	\$ 70.0 <u>80.5</u>	Polytech Adult Education Nursing Program
7	\$ 41.9 <u>45.0</u>	American Lung Association Asthma Project
8	\$ 15.0	AIDS Delaware
9	\$ <u>200.0</u>	Health Literacy Council of Delaware
10	\$ <u>169.9</u>	More Than Fitness <u>Wellness and Prevention Program</u>

11 Also appropriated in this Act is ~~\$9,468.8~~ \$9,516.3 for Cancer Council Recommendations. Of this amount, \$1,000.0
 12 is dedicated to cancer screening and treatment; in addition, funding is included for the following agencies:

13	\$ 265.1	Cancer Council
14	\$ 99.5 <u>147.0</u>	Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment (35-02-01)
15	\$ 138.6	The Cancer Support Community <u>Cancer Supports and Services</u>
16	\$ 194.8	Cancer Care Connection <u>Oncology Social Work and Psychosocial Care</u>
17	\$ 150.0	Delaware Breast Cancer Coalition <u>Breast Cancer Wellness</u>
18		(35-05-30) Health and Social Services - Emergency Medical Services
19	\$ 59.9	Public Access Defibrillation Initiative
20		(35-06-40) Health and Social Services - Substance Abuse
21	\$ 18.3	University of Delaware - Delaware School Survey
22	\$ 324.1 <u>250.0</u>	Limen Recovery and Health <u>Recovery and Wellness</u>
23		(35-07-01) Health and Social Services - Social Services
24	\$ 984.0	SSI Supplement
25		(35-11-10) Health and Social Services - Administration
26	\$ 575.0	Autism Supports
27		(35-11-30) Health and Social Services - Community Services
28	\$ 55.9	Family Support Services

1 (35-14-01) Health and Social Services - Administration/Community Services

2 \$ 568.5 Attendant Care

3 \$ ~~133.2~~ 153.2 Caregivers Support

4 \$ 25.0 ~~Easter Seals Recreation and~~ Respite Care Services

5 (37-04-20) Services for Children, Youth and Their Families - Prevention/Early Intervention

6 \$ 40.0 Tobacco Prevention Programs for Youth

7 (45-04-10) Safety and Homeland Security - Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement

8 \$ ~~481.4~~ 607.5 Enhanced Enforcement and 3.0 ASF FTEs Agent and 1.0 ASF FTE Clerical

9 All of the above allocations are contained in the specified budget units in Section 1 of this Act including
10 associated positions and line item funding. The funds herein appropriated shall be disbursed in accordance with the
11 recommendations of the Delaware Health Fund Advisory Committee as amended by the Joint Finance Committee.

12 (b) All remaining unallocated funds for the current fiscal year shall be invested by the Cash Management
13 Policy Board and any interest accrued shall be deposited to the credit of the funds of the Master Settlement
14 Agreement. All funds from the above allocations left unexpended or unencumbered shall be transferred back to the
15 Delaware Health Fund.

16 (c) These funds shall be available for the current fiscal year only.

17 **Section 34.** The Delaware Health Fund Advisory Committee is directed to submit their proposed
18 recommendations each fiscal year to the Governor, General Assembly and Office of Management and Budget no
19 later than November 15 per Senate Bill 8 as amended by the 140th General Assembly. It is the intent of the General
20 Assembly that the Delaware Health Fund Advisory Committee will present their proposed recommendations before
21 the Joint Finance Committee in a public budget hearing.

22 **Section 35.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6082, the fiscal year interest earnings of the
23 Innovation Fund shall, to the extent of such interest earnings, be used to fund pilot projects to help the state respond
24 to emerging health trends. The Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Services, after consultation with
25 the Delaware Health Fund Advisory Committee, shall give priority to those projects that address vaping prevention,
26 social determinants of health, school health, increasing dental access, and reducing obesity and increasing physical
27 activity throughout an individual's lifespan. An annual report shall be submitted to the Joint Finance Committee,
28 the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General by May 1 of each year which will
29 include the number of funded projects and related expenditures.

1 **JUDICIAL**

2 **Section 41.** Upon the approval of a plan submitted to the Director of the Office of Management and
3 Budget, the Controller General and the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee, the Chief Justice shall have the
4 flexibility to transfer positions from individual courts to the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) for the
5 purpose of further centralizing personnel, finance, collections and filing/records management functions therein.
6 Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act or the Delaware Code to the contrary, positions and related
7 operating funds may be transferred from Supreme Court (02-01-00), Court of Chancery (02-02-00), Superior Court
8 (02-03-00), Court of Common Pleas (02-06-00), Family Court (02-08-00) and Justice of the Peace Court (02-13-00)
9 to the Administrative Office of the Courts - Court Services, Office of the State Court Administrator (02-17-01), the
10 Administrative Office of the Courts - Court Services, Office of State Court Collections Enforcement (02-17-03) or
11 the Administrative Office of the Courts - Court Services, Information Technology (02-17-04). Only positions from
12 the courts or other judicial positions located in New Castle County may be considered for transfer under this section.
13 In the cases where Merit System positions are transferred, the incumbents shall retain their Merit System status.

14 **Section 42.** This Act appropriates ASF authority to Judicial, Court of Chancery (02-02-00) and to Judicial,
15 Court of Common Pleas (02-06-00). Notwithstanding other statutes to the contrary, the Court of Chancery is
16 authorized to retain a portion of the fees, costs and interest it will collect in an amount sufficient to cover the
17 personnel and operating costs of the statewide Register in Chancery office. Notwithstanding other statutes to the
18 contrary, the Court of Common Pleas is authorized to retain a portion of the fines and fees it will collect in an
19 amount sufficient to cover the personnel and operating costs of three Judicial Case Processors and one Controller.
20 Adjustments to ASF spending authority for these courts may be made upon the concurrence and approval of the
21 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

22 **Section 43.** The positions of ~~Master~~ Magistrate in Chancery/Chief Staff Attorney (BP#s 56683, ~~and~~
23 100226, ~~and~~ 135489), as well as any additional ~~Master~~ Magistrate in Chancery/Chief Staff Attorney position(s) that
24 may be established in the future for the Court of Chancery (02-02-10), shall receive the same salary as a
25 Commissioner of Superior Court. Retired ~~Masters~~ Magistrates may be designated to work on a per diem basis,
26 similar to retired Commissioners under 10 Del. C. § 513

27 **Section 44.** Section 1 of this Act includes appropriations to Judicial, Administrative Office of the Courts -
28 Non-Judicial Services, Office of the Child Advocate (02-18-05) for Child Attorneys, and Judicial, Administrative
29 Office of the Courts - Court Services, Office of the State Court Administrator (02-17-01) for Court Appointed

1 Attorneys. Section 1 further includes an appropriation to Judicial, Family Court (02-08-10) for Family Court Civil
2 Attorneys. The Chief Justice may use said appropriations to recruit and retain contract attorneys under these
3 programs. The Chief Justice may decide upon, but is not limited to, the following options: implementing new
4 contract rates, including setting regional or market-based contract rate structures; increasing the number of contracts;
5 or splitting full-time contracts into part-time contracts. Upon the approval by the Director of the Office of
6 Management and Budget and the Controller General, the Chief Justice may implement any combination of these or
7 other reasonable options in an effort to maximize the recruitment and retention of qualified attorneys to serve these
8 programs.

9 **Section 45.** AOC shall coordinate with the Department of Technology and Information to develop
10 electronic document systems projects for the courts, subject to review and approval by the Technology Investment
11 Council (TIC); provided however, that such review and approval by TIC shall not apply to existing licensing
12 agreements, contracts or projects related to electronic document systems entered into or approved by AOC on or
13 prior to June 30, 2006. Notwithstanding 29 Del. C. c. 69, or any other law to the contrary, AOC is authorized to
14 enter into licensing agreements or other contracts with private companies or other entities on behalf of the courts for
15 electronic document systems. Such systems shall include: filing and publication of judicial opinions and related
16 docket files, electronic tracking and researching services, as well as Internet access for video transmission of court
17 proceedings, video conferencing and other technological services. Fees derived from such contracts or licensing
18 agreements shall be applied by the respective court for expenses related to e-filing, video conferencing, video
19 streaming, technological or other improvements and operational costs.

20 **Section 46.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Judicial, Administrative Office of the Courts -
21 Non-Judicial Services, Delaware Nursing Home Residents Quality Assurance Commission (02-18-07) to fund ~~4-0~~
22 2.0 FTEs and associated operating costs. ~~This position~~ These positions, including any casual/seasonal positions,
23 shall report to the commission.

24 **Section 47.** (a) Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 1.0 ASF FTE Management Analyst III
25 (BP# 114608) in Judicial, Administrative Office of the Courts - Non-Judicial Services, Office of the Public
26 Guardian (02-18-01) for the Guardianship Monitoring program. The Court of Chancery (02-02-10) shall transfer
27 ASF cash for this position to the Office of the Public Guardian annually.

28 (b) Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 1.0 ASF FTE, former Chief of Court Security
29 position (BP# 88980) in the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, Capitol Police (45-02-10) for a Capitol

1 Police Officer in the Court of Chancery Sussex County facility. The Court of Chancery (02-02-10) shall transfer
2 ASF cash for this position to the Department of Safety and Homeland Security annually.

3 **Section 48.** The Contractual Child Attorney that was allocated in Fiscal Year 2012 shall be utilized for
4 both Kent County and Sussex County, or other arrangements to meet the needs in both counties shall be made.

5 **Section 49.** (a) Section 1 of this Act authorizes Judicial, Administrative Office of the Courts - Court
6 Services, Office of the State Court Administrator (02-17-01) to maintain an ASF account with the State Treasurer.
7 Revenue generated from court fees and costs associated with court rules shall be deposited into this account, until
8 the balance of the account is equal to \$1,200.0. From that point forward, unless otherwise designated, all revenue
9 generated from court fees and costs associated with court rules shall be deposited into the General Fund. By May 15
10 of each year, the Judiciary shall submit a plan, subject to the approval of the Director of the Office of Management
11 and Budget and the Controller General, detailing the planned expenditures for the Judiciary and the Office of
12 Defense Services of said \$1,200.0 for the upcoming fiscal year.

13 (b) In the event that such collections exceed the expenditure authority in this act, the ASF authority may be
14 amended by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. Revenue generated
15 that exceeds the revised authority shall be deposited to the General Fund.

16 **Section 50.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$400.0 in Parental Representation to the
17 Judicial, Family Court (02-08-10). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the passage of House
18 Bill 86 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

19 **Section 51.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$1,650.0 in Right to Representation to
20 Judicial, Administrative Office of the Courts – Court Services, Office of the State Court Administrator (02-17-01).
21 Notwithstanding any provision of 29 Del. C. c. 69, rules, or legislation to the contrary, this appropriation shall be
22 provided to the Right to Representation Coordinator (“Coordinator”) from the State Court Administrator
23 (“Administrator”). The Administrator or the Attorney General does not need to designate or contract with any
24 organization(s) that will carry out the services required under 25 Del. C. c. 56. The Coordinator shall be responsible
25 for determining how tenants are referred to other organizations that provide services under the aforementioned
26 Chapter. In addition to the annual reporting requirements outlined in 25 Del. C. § 5605, the Coordinator shall make a
27 final accounting annually of all expenditures related to the services provided under 25 Del. C. c. 56, including those
28 expenditures of other organizations that may provide services utilizing funding from the Right to Representation
29 appropriation.

1 EXECUTIVE

2 **Section 52.** Section 1 of this Act authorizes 1.0 FTE, Administrative Management (BP# 65750), within the
3 Office of the Governor (10-01-01). This position shall coordinate and facilitate services for Delaware veterans,
4 including representing the state in concert with other states' veteran agencies and the U.S. Veterans' Administration;
5 assist in the oversight of the Delaware State Veterans Home; and pursuing and maximizing federal funding
6 opportunities, leveraging existing state funds, and reporting such opportunities to the Governor, the Secretary of
7 State, the Delaware Commission of Veterans Affairs, and the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee. Preference
8 in hiring for this position shall be given to a veteran qualified by training and experience to perform the
9 abovementioned duties.

10 **Section 53.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$150.0 in Local Law Enforcement Education to Executive,
11 Office of Management and Budget, Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11) for educational reimbursement
12 as provided for in subsection (a).

13 (a) A certified police officer or other law enforcement officer as defined in 11 Del. C. § 1911(a) or a State
14 of Delaware Probation and Parole Officer employed by the Department of Correction who is employed full-time in
15 the State is eligible for post-secondary education tuition reimbursement under the following conditions:

- 16 (1) The officer must apply for tuition reimbursement in accordance with rules and regulations
17 promulgated by the Director of the Criminal Justice Council or the Director's designee.
- 18 (2) Education benefits authorized by this section may be used only at a college or university within
19 the State.
- 20 (3) An officer may not attend a class or course of instruction during scheduled work hours unless
21 the officer uses his or her earned leave or earned compensatory time.
- 22 (4) An officer may be reimbursed under this program for only two classes or courses of instruction
23 for undergraduate study or one class or course for graduate study each grading period. The
24 classes will be reimbursed at 100 percent of the tuition paid following the completion of the
25 course with a grade of "C" or better at a college or university within the State for classes related
26 to Corrections, Public Safety, Criminal Justice, Computer Science, Psychology, Sociology,
27 Education and related fields. Related fields shall include any courses necessary to complete a
28 degree program in Criminal Justice, Corrections, Public Safety, Computer Science, Psychology,
29 Sociology or Education.

- 1 (5) A class or course of instruction taken under this section must:
- 2 (i) Improve an officer's competence and capacity in employment;
- 3 (ii) Have direct value to the State; and
- 4 (iii) Provide knowledge or skills that are not available through in-service or other professional
- 5 training.
- 6 (6) In order to receive tuition reimbursement for a post-secondary class or course of instruction
- 7 authorized by this section, an officer must:
- 8 (i) Earn a grade no lower than a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale, or its equivalent, for each class or course
- 9 of instruction for which the tuition reimbursement is granted. In any class or course of
- 10 instruction for which a specific grade is not issued, the officer must show documentation
- 11 to verify satisfactory completion; and
- 12 (ii) Submit to the Director of the Criminal Justice Council or the Director's designee within
- 13 30 days after completing a class or course of instruction proof of:
- 14 (1) Course title and grade received;
- 15 (2) Amount of tuition paid for the course; and
- 16 (3) Name of the post-secondary institution where the course was taken.
- 17 (7) The Director of the Criminal Justice Council or the designee shall adopt rules and regulations as
- 18 deemed necessary and proper for the efficient administration of this section. The rules and
- 19 regulations must contain appeal procedures.
- 20 (8) An officer who receives tuition reimbursement pursuant to this section but is terminated from
- 21 law enforcement employment for cause, or who otherwise fails to comply with any requirement
- 22 of this section, shall immediately become ineligible to receive education benefits pursuant to
- 23 this section and shall repay all tuition reimbursement previously extended to the employee,
- 24 including interest on a pro rata basis from the time of termination or noncompliance. The
- 25 Director of the Criminal Justice Council or the Director's designee shall determine the amount
- 26 of repayment due by the employee pursuant to this subsection. If law enforcement employment
- 27 is terminated for other than just cause, the officer will not be required to repay previously
- 28 reimbursed tuition.

1 (9) Nothing in this section is intended to inhibit or deny officer promotion or transfer to other law
2 enforcement agencies within this State.

3 (10) The Director of the Criminal Justice Council shall include in the agency's annual report:

4 (i) The number of officers who participated at each post-secondary educational institution
5 during the year;

6 (ii) The total amount of tuition expenditures made pursuant to this section during the year, not
7 to exceed \$150.0; and

8 (iii) The total amount required to be repaid to the State by defaulting officers during the year;
9 and the total amount actually repaid by defaulting officers during the year transferred via
10 Intergovernmental Voucher.

11 **Section 54.** Effective July 1, 2006, BP# 879 shall receive compensation at a rate of a Tier 1 level Cabinet
12 position as determined by the Compensation Committee.

13 **Section 55.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, the
14 Office of Management and Budget and the Office of the Controller General is authorized to contract with the
15 University of Delaware and/or Delaware State University for statistical analysis of data for state operated programs,
16 services, policies and/or procedures. The University of Delaware and/or Delaware State University may not charge
17 an overhead or administrative fee in excess of 10 percent to the state in relation to these contracts.

18 **Section 56.** The General Assembly finds that the establishment of the federal Temporary Assistance for
19 Needy Families (TANF) block grant has left the State vulnerable to deficits from caseload increases attributable to
20 an economic downturn. In order to minimize such exposure, the funds within the Reserve Account for Children
21 Services Cost Recovery Project (CSCR) Disallowances (10-02-10-20268) shall be available to mitigate, to the
22 extent possible, projected deficits in TANF supported programs within the Department of Health and Social
23 Services. The use of such funds for such purposes shall require the approval of the Director of the Office of
24 Management and Budget and the Controller General.

25 **Section 57.** The amount appropriated to Executive, Office of Management and Budget, Contingencies and
26 One-Time Items (10-02-11), Prior Years' Obligations shall be used to pay Personnel Costs and other obligations
27 except coding errors by a school district, which require adjustment of the State's accounts. Except for Personnel
28 Costs obligations, any use of the Prior Years' Obligations appropriation by any agency receiving funds in Section 1
29 of this Act, in excess of the amount reverted from the applicable appropriation within the requesting agency's

1 internal program unit on June 30 of the fiscal year in which the expense was incurred, will require the requesting
2 agency or school district to reimburse the Prior Years' Obligations appropriation by the amount equal to the excess
3 requested. An appropriation reversion sum does not negate the necessity of encumbering sufficient funds to cover
4 known expenses; proof of circumstances beyond an agency's ability to encumber must be documented on the request
5 for transfer to be excluded from the reimbursement clause. Except for Personnel Costs obligations, all requests for
6 prior year funds to complete the payment of one-time items will require a reimbursement to the Prior Years'
7 Obligations appropriation by the requesting agency from any appropriation other than Personnel Costs. The
8 reimbursement shall be removed from the current fiscal year's budget. The reimbursement clause shall not apply to
9 legal judgments against the agency or school district. A reimbursement under this section shall not be deemed to be
10 prohibited by 10 Del. C. § 8111.

11 **Section 58.** (a) For the current fiscal year, 29 Del. C. § 6529 is interpreted to include the ability to
12 implement a hiring review process. All state agencies with the exception of Legislative, Judicial, Higher Education
13 and school districts shall be subject to the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6529 as interpreted by this section.
14 Implementation of a hiring review process shall require all positions to be reviewed and approved by the Secretary
15 of the Department of Human Resources and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget prior to filling.
16 All non-cabinet agency hiring requests shall also require the review and approval of the Controller General prior to
17 filling.

18 (b) In the event the authority granted in subsection (a) of this section is implemented, Chapters 3.0 and
19 13.0 of the Merit Rules notwithstanding, the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources and the Director of
20 the Office of Management and Budget shall have the authority to extend temporary promotions based on agency
21 need until the hiring review process has ended. At the time the hiring review process has ended, those temporary
22 promotions granted during the hiring review process shall be subject to the limitations identified in the Merit Rules
23 governing the duration of temporary promotions.

24 **Section 59.** For the current fiscal year, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, pursuant to
25 29 Del. C. § 6529, in conjunction with the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, may implement an
26 overtime management practices review process for all state agencies with the exception of Legislative, Judicial,
27 Higher Education and school districts. Said review shall include, but not be limited to, operational guidelines,
28 guidelines to prohibit excessive utilization, staffing ratios and standard work week schedules for employees. The
29 Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall report to the Governor and the Co-Chairs of the Joint

1 Finance Committee no later than May 1 of each fiscal year on the status of any review process implemented
2 pursuant to this section.

3 **Section 60.** The appropriation in Section 1 of this Act to Executive, Office of Management and Budget,
4 Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11) for Appropriated Special Funds for \$55,000.0 ASF shall be used to
5 make adjustments in the amount of state special fund appropriations in the event additional state special funds are
6 received which were not previously anticipated. Such adjustments shall be made in accordance with the approval of
7 the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

8 **Section 61.** Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, for the purposes of developing, implementing,
9 upgrading, and modernizing the State's Enterprise Resource Programs - PHRST Time & Labor, and other
10 PeopleSoft modules, necessary adjustments to existing state human resource, benefits and payroll procedures, as
11 well as fiscal and budget procedures shall be implemented during the current fiscal year with the written approval of
12 the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, the Secretary
13 of the Department of Human Resources and the Controller General.

14 All state organizations shall use all components of the PHRST system if so designated by the State's
15 Enterprise Resource Planning Executive Sponsors.

16 **Section 62.** Whenever the annual valuation of the market value of the assets of the Special Pension Fund
17 exceeds the actuarial value of benefits available to persons entitled to receive special pensions by a factor of at least
18 20 percent, the Board of Pension Trustees may transfer the excess over 20 percent or any part of it to the State
19 Employees Pension Fund for the benefit of that fund.

20 **Section 63.** The Board of Pension Trustees may allocate the pension/health insurance monies received
21 from the State during any month to ensure that funds are available to pay health insurance premiums for retirees in
22 each month and pension benefits as defined in 29 Del. C. §8308(c)(14).

23 **Section 64.** During the fiscal year, the Office of Management and Budget, Facilities Management (10-02-
24 50) shall retain rental fees as ASF authority. The retained portion must be deposited as per state laws and shall be
25 disbursed per Section 1 of this Act.

26 **Section 65.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 5117, state agencies may pay for employee
27 parking in the Government Center Parking Garage as long as such payments are continuances of payments made
28 prior to May 31, 1998. Such payments shall cease when the employee leaves the position he or she occupied prior to
29 May 31, 1998.

1 **Section 66.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$374.0 in Technology to Executive, Office of Management
2 and Budget, Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11). These funds are to be used for the purpose of providing
3 ongoing replacement needs associated with statewide IT initiatives and/or wireless Internet connectivity in state
4 facilities (e.g., replacement of computers and network switches).

5 **Section 67.** For the current fiscal year, 29 Del. C. § 6529 is interpreted to include the ability to deposit
6 Special Funds into the General Fund as a measure to control expenditures but not with regard to funds raised by
7 local school districts. The Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall notify the Co-Chairs of the Joint
8 Finance Committee and the Controller General as to the deposit of these Special Funds into the General Fund.

9 **Section 68.** The Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall transfer the unencumbered
10 General Fund balance at the end of each fiscal year in excess of the 2 percent set-aside as determined by the most
11 recent revenue resolution for such fiscal year as per the Delaware Constitution and 29 Del. C. § 6533 as follows: (a)
12 an initial amount not to exceed one percent of the General Fund Grand Total from 83 Del. Laws, c. 54 to the Other
13 Post-Employment Benefits Fund as established by 29 Del. C. § 5281; and (b) any additional excess to a special fund
14 holding account entitled “Budget Stabilization Fund.” Allocations from the Fund shall occur through an act of the
15 General Assembly, whether that be the Annual Appropriations Act, the Bond and Capital Improvements Act and/or
16 a supplemental appropriations act.

17 **Section 69.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Delaware National Guard (76-01-01) for
18 Educational Assistance. The General Assembly finds that the Delaware National Guard Educational Assistance
19 appropriation may not be sufficient during periods of heightened educational reimbursement requests from Delaware
20 National Guard members. In order to address such demands, the funds within the Office of Management and
21 Budget, Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11), shall be available to mitigate, to the extent possible,
22 projected deficits in the Delaware National Guard Educational Assistance. The use of funds for such purposes shall
23 require the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

24 **Section 70.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Law or this Act to the contrary, pursuant
25 to federal rules and regulations promulgated by the U.S. Department of the Treasury, all Coronavirus Relief Fund
26 and American Rescue Plan, Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, and Infrastructure Investment and
27 Jobs Act records and expenditures are subject to a review or audit conducted by the U.S. Department of Treasury’s
28 Inspector General, the State Auditor’s Office or designee. Any misrepresentation, misuse, or mishandling of these

1 funds may be subject to claw-back and other appropriate measures, including the possible reduction or withholding
2 of other State funds.

3 **Section 71.** The Director of the Office of Management and Budget has the authority to establish up to 61.0
4 FTEs for the implementation and enforcement efforts associated with Senate Substitute 2 for Senate Bill 1 of the
5 151st General Assembly.

6 **Section 72.** Section 1 of this Act includes appropriations for Elder Tax Relief and Education Expense
7 Fund and Veterans Tax Relief Education Expense Fund in the Office of Management and Budget, Contingencies
8 and One-Time Items (10-02-11). Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act or the Delaware Code to the
9 contrary, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General may transfer funds
10 between these appropriations on an as-needed basis.

11 **Section 73.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funding in the Executive, Office of Management and
12 Budget, Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11) for DE Demographic Studies. Annual public school
13 enrollment projections and other demographic studies will be completed at the direction of the Director of the Office
14 of Management and Budget.

15 **Section 74.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$1,161,8 in Judicial Pensions to Executive,
16 Office of Management and Budget, Contingencies and One-Time Items (10-02-11). The expenditure of these funds
17 shall be contingent upon the passage of Senate Substitute 1 to Senate Bill 174 or similar legislation of the 152nd
18 General Assembly.

19 **Section 75.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funding for 1.0 FTE ~~Senior Secretary~~ Exempt
20 Administrative Specialist III in Executive, Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice Council (10-07-01) to be used as
21 dedicated secretarial support for the Executive Director of the Domestic Violence Coordinating Council. This
22 position shall be an exempt position and shall be excluded from classified service as defined under 29 Del. C. §
23 5903.

24 **Section 76.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funding for personnel costs and 2.0 FTEs to Executive,
25 Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice Council (10-07-01) for the Board of Parole. While the Criminal Justice Council
26 shall provide administrative support and fiscal oversight, the Board of Parole shall otherwise operate independently
27 of the Criminal Justice Council. The Criminal Justice Council shall develop reporting requirements for the Board of
28 Parole; reports shall be submitted by the Board of Parole to the Criminal Justice Council, the Office of Management
29 and Budget and the Office of the Controller General.

1 **Section 77.** Amend Chapter 60E, Title 29 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by
2 striketthrough and insertions as shown by underline as follows:

3 § 6095. Decision and disbursement.

4 (a) The ability to make awards each year is contingent upon the availability of funds.

5 (b) Funds are to be distributed evenly amongst the qualified applicants per year, with the loan award
6 committee meeting annually to oversee the allocation of funds.

7 (c) Notwithstanding subsection (b) of this section, if there are insufficient funds to make an award to every
8 applicant who satisfies the requirements of this subchapter, the loan award committee shall give priority to
9 applicants having the greatest financial need.

10 (d) The applicants having the greatest financial need is determined in the sole discretion of the loan award
11 committee. The Council shall request all of the following information, but the weight to be given to the
12 information shall be determined in the sole discretion of the loan award committee:

13 (1) The applicant's income.

14 (2) The applicant's spousal income.

15 (3) The number of the applicant's dependents.

16 (4) The total amount of the applicant's qualified educational loans.

17 (5) The applicant's monthly loan payment amount.

18 (e) The Council shall make payment directly to the applicant's lending agency on behalf of the applicant.

19 (f) An applicant may receive only 1 award per year and may receive no more than 10 awards in the
20 applicant's lifetime. An award may be made as a single annual payment or disbursed over periodic intervals,
21 at the Council's discretion.

22 (g) Applicants who make over ~~\$140,000~~130,000 a year are ineligible for an award under this subchapter.

23 **Section 78.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$171.2 in Family Justice Centers and 2.0
24 FTE positions to Executive, Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice Council (10-07-01). The expenditure of these funds
25 shall be contingent upon the passage of House Bill 340 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

26 **Section 79.** Section 1 of this Act authorizes Executive, Criminal Justice, Delaware Justice Information
27 System (DELJIS) (10-07-02) to spend up to \$260.0 ASF. Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code or
28 this Act to the contrary, DELJIS is authorized to utilize these funds to undertake expenditures relating to operational
29 costs.

1 **Section 80.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$260.0 in Contractual Services to Criminal
2 Justice, Delaware Justice Information System (10-07-02). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon
3 the passage of Senate Bill 283 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

4 **Section 81.** (a) The Delaware State Housing Authority (10-08-01) shall be responsible for administering
5 the Neighborhood Assistance Tax Credit as defined in 30 Del. C. § 2001-2007. The Neighborhood Assistance Tax
6 Credit Program is intended to foster business investment in low-income communities through financial support to
7 neighborhoods as well as job training, education, crime prevention and community services.

8 (b) The Delaware State Housing Authority shall submit an annual report to the Director of the Office of
9 Management and Budget and the Controller General by May 1 of each year, which will include but not be limited to
10 a synopsis of the tax credit program, a detailed list of expenditures and a list of projects that have received tax credit
11 awards.

12 **Section 82.** The Delaware State Rental Assistance Program shall be administered by the Delaware State
13 Housing Authority to provide rental housing vouchers or affordable rental housing opportunities to program
14 participants referred by state agencies with a need for community-based supportive services. The Director of the
15 Delaware State Housing Authority shall report to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
16 Controller General no later than November 15 and March 15 on the expenditures of the Delaware State Rental
17 Assistance Program and include any cost savings achieved by state agencies as a result of a reduction in demand on
18 state institutions.

1 **TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATION**

2 **Section 83.** The Chief Information Officer shall not make any changes to the department’s compensation
3 plan regarding any aspect of employee compensation without the approval of the Secretary of the Department of
4 Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. Further,
5 sufficient funding within the department must be available for any change to be approved.

6 **Section 84.** The state government of Delaware recognizes the inherent value in implementing common
7 technology standards. In an effort to establish a single, common electronic messaging platform throughout the State,
8 no state agency shall migrate, change or switch to an alternative network or messaging platform without the express
9 written consent of the Chief Information Officer, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
10 Controller General. Any agency seeking exemption from this requirement must submit a request to the Chief
11 Information Officer clearly stating the reasons why migrating to an alternative platform is necessary.

12 **Section 85.** (a) The Department of Technology and Information (11-00-00) shall receive a lump sum
13 amount which shall be the product of the general salary increase in Section 8 of this Act and Personnel Costs lines
14 less non-salary driven Other Employment Cost components. Overtime and casual/seasonal components of the
15 Personnel Costs line shall not be part of the calculation. The resultant lump sum amount may be distributed to
16 employees as determined by the Chief Information Officer. However, in no case shall individually awarded
17 increases exceed 10 percent of an individual’s base salary, nor shall the aggregate amount awarded exceed the
18 product of the calculation as described above. Further, in no case shall individually awarded amounts be given
19 retroactively.

20 (b) Adjustments to the Department of Technology and Information pay scale will not be made during the
21 fiscal year without the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, the Controller General and
22 the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources.

23 (c) As part of agency IT consolidation requiring the redistribution and assignment of agency personnel to
24 support centralized IT services within the Department of Technology and Information, employees in Merit positions
25 that transfer to the department will have the option to remain in a merit status or, within 60 days of transfer, may
26 request to be reclassified to a non-merit status. For purposes of this section, the Department may request to
27 reclassify incumbents choosing a non-merit status within their current budgeted position. Vacant merit positions
28 will be reclassified to non-merit positions with the approval of the Secretary of the Department of Human
29 Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. Personnel funding for

1 General Fund merit positions will transfer to DTI and agencies will be charged the personnel cost for special funded
2 positions.

3 **Section 86.** The Department of Technology and Information shall provide the Director of the Office of
4 Management and Budget and the Controller General a complete accounting of all direct and indirect charges to state
5 agencies and total revenue derived for the prior fiscal year by September 15. No direct or indirect rates may be
6 increased, nor may additional charges be levied on a state agency without prior approval by the Director of the
7 Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

8 **Section 87.** Notwithstanding any provisions of the Delaware Code to the contrary, the Delaware
9 Department of Technology and Information is hereby prohibited from accessing or providing a legislator's e-mails,
10 other electronic communications, or phone calls upon the request of another state department or agency, or branch of
11 state government, except pursuant to the consent of the legislator, an Attorney General subpoena or a search warrant
12 or other court order.

1 **OTHER ELECTIVE**

2 **Section 88.** For the purpose of the audits contracted by the Auditor of Accounts, agencies will be
3 responsible for the cost of the audit written into the signed contract, if the agency was consulted and agreed to the
4 costs prior to the contract being signed. Any overages billed by the contracted audit will be the responsibility of the
5 Auditor of Accounts office unless the agency was made aware of the additional time needed for the audit and
6 approved the time and the additional costs.

7 **Section 89.** The Auditor of Accounts shall provide an annual plan demonstrating current ASF revenue
8 generation and additional ASF revenue opportunities to the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee, the Director
9 of the Office of Management and Budget, and the Controller General. Upon receipt and review of the plan, it is the
10 intent of the General Assembly to ensure funding is provided to support adequate staffing levels within the Office of
11 the Auditor of Accounts.

12 **Section 90.** The Department of Insurance is authorized to borrow from other special fund balances within
13 the Department to address deficits in the Regulatory Revolving Fund as they may occur during the fiscal year.
14 provided, however, that said funds must be reimbursed prior to the end of the fiscal year.

15 **Section 91.** (a) Section 1 of this Act provides ~~\$3,999.9~~ \$5,032.9 ASF to Other Elective, State Treasurer,
16 Operations and Fund Management (12-05-02), Cash Management Policy Board, authorized by 29 Del. C. c. 27, for
17 the purpose of providing staff support and operational expenses, including payment of fees for banking services. The
18 ~~\$3,999.9~~ \$5,032.9 in interest income on bank deposits shall be coded as special fund revenue to provide funds for
19 operation of the Cash Management Policy Board.

20 (b) The State Treasurer is not otherwise authorized to retain banking and/or investment services without
21 the consent of the Cash Management Policy Board, and funds under the custody of the State Treasurer shall be
22 invested consistent with Cash Management Policy Board guidelines pursuant to 29 Del. C. c. 27.

23 **Section 92.** The Office of the State Treasurer shall develop a rate for the purpose of recovering costs
24 associated with the State’s acceptance of funds through the use of credit, debit and purchasing cards. Cost
25 recoverable activities shall include online transactions as well as traditional card transactions. The initial rate and
26 periodic necessary adjustments to the rate shall be approved by the Office of Management and Budget. The Office
27 of the State Treasurer may initiate an automated revenue reduction process, equal to the approved rate, for all cash
28 receipts received by the aforementioned methods. The Office of the State Treasurer shall provide the agency with a
29 statement of total revenue or payment, less transaction costs and net revenue. In lieu of an automated revenue

1 reduction process, the Office of the State Treasurer may invoice a state agency for necessary reimbursement. The
2 use of these recovered funds shall be for the sole purpose of payment of Merchant Services fees.

3 **Section 93.** The Office of the State Treasurer, with the assistance of the Department of Technology and
4 Information and the Delaware Government Information Center, where appropriate, shall evaluate and approve the
5 payment component of all new web-based technology initiatives involving the electronic remittance of funds to the
6 State. Specifically, those projects promoting the use of online credit card payment, online debit card payment,
7 Automated Clearing House payments, “e-checks” and other forms of electronic funds transfer shall be subject to this
8 joint review and approval process. For those agencies that already use online credit card payment, online debit card
9 payment, Automated Clearing House payment, “e-check” or other forms of electronic funds transfer, those agencies
10 shall be exempt from this requirement unless and until such time as their current electronic payment component
11 must undergo any type of upgrade or the contract is due to expire, at which point the agency shall investigate the
12 feasibility of implementing the State’s designated payment component. A standard evaluation form will be designed
13 by the Office of the State Treasurer with the assistance of the Department of Technology and Information and the
14 Government Information Center, where appropriate, and approved by the Office of Management and Budget.

15 **Section 94.** The Plans Management Board and the Office of the State Treasurer, in conjunction with the
16 Department of Health and Social Services, the Office of Management and Budget and the Office of the Controller
17 General, shall explore funding sources to cover the administrative cost of the Achieving a Better Life Experience
18 (ABLE) program established pursuant to 16 Del. C. § 96A.

19 **Section 95.** Section 1 of this Act includes 1.0 ASF FTE and associated costs to Other Elective, State
20 Treasurer, Reconciliation and Transaction Management (12-05-06) for the Expanding Access for Retirement and
21 Necessary Saving (EARNNS) Program authorized by 19 Del. C. c. 38, for the purpose of providing a state
22 administered retirement savings program for small businesses.

1 **LEGAL**

2 **Section 96.** The Department of Justice shall submit a semi-annual report to the Director of the Office of
3 Management and Budget and Controller General that details the number of Deputy Attorney General FTEs, the
4 source of their funding and the divisions to which they are assigned. These reports are due on November 30 and
5 May 15 of each fiscal year.

6 **Section 97.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates Personnel Costs and 17.0 split-funded FTEs (66 percent
7 ASF and 34 percent GF) to Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01) to support the Child Support Services function.
8 The Child Support Services function in the Department of Justice will operate on a reimbursement basis, wherein
9 the State makes the initial expenditures and is reimbursed from federal funds controlled by the Department of Health
10 and Social Services. The reimbursement rate for operations will be 66 percent of total direct costs; the
11 reimbursement rate for indirect costs will be 40.75 percent of federal dollars spent on direct salary costs.

12 Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6404(h)(1) and (2), the Department of Justice shall be
13 allowed to retain the federal reimbursement of direct costs in an ASF account to pay the ASF share of operating
14 expenses associated with the Child Support Services function.

15 The Department of Justice shall also be allowed to retain up to a maximum of \$30.0 of the departmental
16 portion of indirect cost recoveries for this function to support the agency's overhead and \$16.3 to be applied to the
17 State's share for four clerical positions. The statewide portion of indirect cost recoveries will be deposited into the
18 indirect cost account in the Office of Management and Budget. The remainder of the indirect cost recoveries and any
19 unused portion of indirect cost funds in the Department of Justice will be deposited into a separate account and
20 retained to support the General Fund portion of the budget for this function in subsequent years.

21 Adjustments to ASF spending authority for the Department of Justice may be made upon the concurrence
22 and approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

23 **Section 98.** Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 1.0 ASF FTE Legal Administrative
24 Specialist II (BP# 8131) in Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01). In order to provide funding for this position, the
25 Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control (40-00-00) shall allocate monies to the Department of
26 Justice by July 15 of each fiscal year.

27 **Section 99.** Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs in Consumer Protection and 3.0 ASF FTEs in
28 Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01) for activities associated with the regulation of credit counseling and debt
29 management companies as authorized in 6 Del. C. c. 24A, the Delaware Uniform Debt-Management Services Act.

1 **Section 100.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds for the Victim Compensation Assistance Program in
2 Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01). The Department of Justice shall provide semi-annual reports regarding the
3 Victim Compensation Assistance Program to the Office of Management and Budget and the Office of the Controller
4 General by July 31 and January 31 of each fiscal year. The report shall include financial updates for the Victim
5 Compensation Assistance Program, including federal and state expenditures, revenues and balances.

6 **Section 101.** Section 1 of this Act includes 1.0 FTE Deputy Attorney General and associated funding in
7 Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01) for the Criminal Division to prosecute cases involving special victim's unit
8 in either Sussex and/or Kent Counties and must be used exclusively in the Special Victim's Unit.

9 **Section 102.** Effective January 3, 2019 no person holding one of the following positions shall retain tenure
10 pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 2511 while serving in that position unless, prior to immediately occupying the position,
11 said person had been regularly employed on a full-time basis by the Department of Justice for at least 18 months:
12 BP# 9386, BP# 1265, BP# 100275, BP# 6722, BP# 67521, BP# 6260 and BP# 6705. Any employee who has
13 already attained tenure prior to the effective date shall not be affected by this section.

14 **Section 103.** Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation to Legal, Office of Defense Services, Office
15 of Conflicts Counsel (15-02-03) for the Office of Conflicts Counsel. The Office of Defense Services, per the Chief
16 Defender, may use such appropriation to recruit and retain contract attorneys in the Office of Conflicts Counsel.
17 The Chief Defender and the Chief of the Office of Conflicts Counsel, Assistant Public Defender V/Chief Conflicts
18 Counsel (BP# 85743), may decide upon, but are not limited to, the following options: implementing new contract
19 rates, including setting regional or market-based contract rate structures; increasing the number of contracts; and/or
20 splitting full-time contracts into part-time contracts. Upon the approval by the Director of the Office of
21 Management and Budget and the Controller General, the Chief Defender may implement any combination of these
22 or other reasonable options in an effort to maximize the recruitment and retention of qualified attorneys to serve the
23 Office of Conflicts Counsel.

24 **Section 104.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$194.8 in Personnel Costs and 2.0 FTE
25 positions to Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the
26 passage of House Bill 280 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

27 **Section 105.** Section 1 of this Act provides spending authority of \$104.6 in Personnel Costs and 3.0 ASF
28 FTE positions to Legal, Department of Justice (15-01-01). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon
29 the passage of Senate Substitute 1 for Senate Bill 245 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

1 **Section 106.** Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, the Department of Justice may use existing
2 available Appropriated Special Funds appropriations to rectify compensation inequities, including retroactive
3 payments among Victim Service Specialist job classifications upon approval of the Secretary of the Department of
4 Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and the Controller General.

5 **Section 107.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$194.3 in Personnel Costs and 3.0 FTE
6 positions to Legal, Office of Defense Services, Public Defender (15-02-02). The expenditure of these funds shall be
7 contingent upon the passage of House Bill 86 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

1 **HUMAN RESOURCES**

2 **Section 108.** The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources is authorized to create a State of
3 Delaware Merit Employee Mediation Program within state agencies selected by the Secretary and, notwithstanding
4 Chapters 12.0 and 18.0 of the Merit Rules and/or any provision of Delaware Code to the contrary, the Secretary of
5 the Department of Human Resources is further authorized to promulgate rules and regulations to implement the said
6 program. Matters that may be grieved shall be eligible for mediation. Matters that are otherwise not subject to the
7 Merit grievance procedure may be eligible for the Mediation Program. With the consent of the employee and
8 employing agency, participation in the Mediation Program will be offered as a voluntary alternative to the ordinary
9 grievance procedure. All mediation proceedings shall be deemed confidential. If a grievance is subjected to
10 mediation pursuant to this section, normal timelines associated with the filing of a grievance shall be tolled pending
11 the completion of mediation. If an employee has filed a formal grievance, subsequent mutual consent to mediation
12 will cause the grievance to be held in abeyance pending completion of mediation and the timelines that would
13 otherwise have applied to the grievance shall likewise be tolled pending completion of mediation. Upon completion
14 of mediation, an employee may continue to grieve and the normal timelines provided for grievances shall then
15 apply. The Mediation Program is not intended to limit other dispute resolution procedures available to an agency or
16 an employee or to deny a person a right granted under federal or other state law, including the right to an
17 administrative or judicial hearing.

18 **Section 109.** The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources shall continue to assume the central
19 leadership role for the Executive branch over all matters relating to personnel and labor relations affecting the
20 Executive branch and its departments and agencies, including collective bargaining negotiations with employee
21 organizations, labor arbitration, Public Employment Relations Board, Department of Labor, Equal Employment
22 Opportunity Commission and other administrative proceedings. The Secretary of the Department of Human
23 Resources shall also, on behalf of the State, approve and sign all collective bargaining agreements and any other
24 agreements or arrangements made involving employee organizations that represent employees subject to Executive
25 branch authority.

26 **Section 110.** Any other statutory provision notwithstanding, any change to the Merit Rules required by an
27 Act of the Legislature shall be codified in the Merit Rules by the Department of Human Resources.

28 **Section 111.** The Secretary of the Department of Human Resources in conjunction with agencies is
29 authorized to develop pilot talent acquisition and retention initiative programs for hard to fill positions. The criteria

1 to define and identify hard to fill positions shall be developed by the Department of Human Resources.
2 Notwithstanding any provisions of law to the contrary, such programs shall be approved by the Secretary of the
3 Department of Human Resources, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.
4 Agencies approved for a talent acquisition or retention program must have resources available to fund such
5 initiatives. Approvals granted will be through the remainder of the fiscal year in which approved. Justification to
6 support continuation of programs through the next fiscal year shall be submitted to the Department of Human
7 Resources no later than May 1. Such justification shall include, but not be limited to, baseline data, new initiatives,
8 results from new initiatives, i.e. increased applicant pool, etc.

9 **Section 112.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$25.0 in GEAR Award to Department of Human
10 Resources, Division of Training and Human Resource Solutions (16-07-01). Notwithstanding 29 Del. C. c. 59 or
11 any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, the Department of Human Resources is further
12 authorized to establish the GEAR Public-Private (P3) Innovation and Efficiency Award (GEAR Award) in
13 conjunction with the existing Governor’s Team Excellence Award program managed by the Department of Human
14 Resources. The GEAR Award recognizes and incentivizes individuals or groups of State employees who can
15 demonstrate successful implementations of innovative, continuous improvement projects with verifiable and
16 sustainable results in process and/or service quality, speed or cost savings. Those selected for the award will serve
17 as models that promote interest and awareness in State government continuous improvement activities, encourage
18 information sharing and demonstrate the advantage of leveraging successful strategies to other organizations.
19 Awardees will receive GEAR Award funds as a one-time supplemental bonus as part of their compensation. The
20 State appropriates funds to cover 50 percent of the base award plus associated other employment costs with the
21 remaining 50 percent of the base award to be matched by contributions from non-State entities. The GEAR Award,
22 including award criteria, and funds for this award shall be administered by the Department of Human Resources in
23 partnership with the GEAR Board, or team selected by the GEAR Board.

1 STATE

2 **Section 113.** (a) Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 2.0 FTEs (BP# 65750 and 927),
3 ~~\$350.0 in World Trade Center Delaware~~, and \$180.0 for International Trade of Delaware in the Department of
4 State, Office of the Secretary, Administration (20-01-01). The employees will remain exempt from classified
5 service in accordance with 29 Del. C. § 5903 and will retain current compensation levels in addition to enacted
6 salary policy.

7 (b) The International Development Group shall be the primary entity for the State related to all
8 international trade matters including: export and import assistance to Delaware residents and businesses;
9 international trade missions; and coordination with other state agencies, departments, international organizations,
10 international commissions and councils.

11 (c) The International Development Group shall be designated as the primary contact for the State
12 regarding all international trade matters with the business community; U.S. federal agencies; regional, national and
13 international organizations; foreign governments; and other domestic and international trade organizations
14 worldwide.

15 (d) The International Development Group shall be responsible to host, arrange and coordinate the schedule
16 for international trade delegations and foreign government officials visiting the State.

17 **Section 114.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of State, Delaware Public
18 Archives (20-03-01) for the Delaware Heritage Commission. Of that amount, \$7.0 shall be used at the discretion of
19 the Delaware Heritage Commission for scholar awards, challenge grants and publications.

20 **Section 115.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates ASF authority in the line item Historical Marker
21 Maintenance to the Department of State, Delaware Public Archives (20-03-01) for replacement, repair and
22 refurbishing of historical markers.

23 **Section 116.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates ASF authority for Technology Infrastructure Fund in the
24 Department of State, Corporations (20-05-01). All revenues derived as a result of 8 Del. C. § 391(h)(1), 6 Del. C. §
25 15-1207(b)(1), 6 Del. C. § 17-1107(b)(1), 6 Del. C. § 18-1105(b)(1) and 12 Del. C § 3813(b)(1) will be deposited
26 into this fund to be used for technological and infrastructure enhancements, ongoing maintenance, operational
27 expenses for Corporations, additional technology projects in the Department of State including projects that support
28 the operations of the Delaware Veterans Home, electronic government information projects and library technology
29 initiatives including grants to ensure a three-year replacement cycle for hardware, software and peripherals used to

1 support public access computing and other statewide and local library services. Of the amount appropriated to the
2 Technology Infrastructure Fund, \$25.0 will be used for the operation of the Newline Service as provided by the
3 Department of Health and Social Services, Visually Impaired, Visually Impaired Services (35-08-01). Quarterly
4 reports regarding the status of this fund shall be made by the Department of State to the Director of the Office of
5 Management and Budget and the Controller General.

6 **Section 117.** The Delaware Heritage Commission shall explore the feasibility of the publication of out of
7 print and new books and writings on Delaware History. Further, the Delaware Heritage Commission shall
8 investigate which writings in these categories would be valuable for republication. A report shall be made to the
9 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General and by December 1 of each fiscal
10 year.

11 **Section 118.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of State, Libraries (20-08-01) for
12 Library Standards. Of that amount, Libraries may reserve up to 10 percent for planning and evaluation grants to
13 determine each library's attainment of state and federal library standards. The remaining funds shall be paid to
14 libraries in two installments equal to 50 percent of the total amount allocated to that library, one installment upon
15 signature of the contract and the second installment in January of the fiscal year. Funds granted to any library under
16 the provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 66, if unspent at the end of the fiscal year, shall not revert to the General Fund, but
17 instead shall be held in an account for the benefit of the library from which the unspent funds came. These funds
18 may be spent in subsequent years for purposes described in 29 Del. C. c. 66. The use of such carryover funds shall
19 not be used as part of any subsequent years' formula payment.

20 **Section 119.** The Department of State shall establish the shift differential for Licensed Practical Nurses
21 employed at the Delaware Veterans Home at 10 percent for 3-11 shifts on weekdays and 7-3 shifts on weekends.
22 The shift differential shall be established at 15 percent for 11-7 shifts on weekdays and 3-11 shifts on weekends.
23 The shift differential for the 11-7 weekend shifts shall be established at 20 percent. To the extent or where an
24 employee is covered by a collective bargaining agreement pursuant to 19 Del. C. § 1311A, the terms and conditions
25 of said agreement shall apply.

26 **Section 120.** Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Delaware Code, the Department of State shall
27 have the authority to fill vacant positions at the Delaware Veterans Home with qualified applicants for the Certified
28 Nursing Assistant, Activity Therapist, Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse and Dentist classifications by
29 agency recruitment efforts unless an eligibility list is required by federal law for that position.

1 **Section 121.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6102(a) and 5 Del. C. § 1106, the Office of
2 the State Banking Commissioner is authorized to retain \$150.0 of the Bank Franchise Tax for costs associated with
3 the collection and administration of the Bank Franchise Tax. Also, an additional \$75.0 of the Bank Franchise Tax
4 shall be used for costs associated with consumer education and information programs with approval of final
5 allocations by the Controller General.

6 **Section 122.** The Delaware Economic Development Authority (20-10-01) will continue to use revenue
7 from the Blue Collar Training Fund for the Workforce Development Grant. Funding for this grant shall be
8 maintained at current levels.

9 **Section 123.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates ASF authority to Department of State, Division of Small
10 Business, Delaware Tourism Office (20-10-02) for Tourism Marketing, ~~Kalmar Nyckel~~ and National High School
11 Wrestling Tournament. These funds shall be payable by the Delaware Tourism Office in annual allotments.

12 **Section 124.** Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, the fiscal year interest earnings of the
13 Delaware Strategic Fund as provided for in 29 Del. C. § 8727A shall, to the extent of such interest earnings, be used
14 in the following order and manner, not to exceed the amounts so noted:

15 (a) The first \$320.9 shall be used for the general operating expenses of the Division of Small Business.
16 Should interest earnings not be available by September 1, funding shall be made available directly from the
17 Delaware Strategic Fund.

18 (b) The next \$400.0 shall be used for the general operating expenses of the Small Business Development
19 Center. Should interest earnings not be available by December 31 the center shall receive funding directly from the
20 Delaware Strategic Fund for said expenses and shall waive further interest earnings for that period.

21 (c) The next \$300.0 shall be used to continue the Delaware Business Marketing Program within the
22 Delaware Economic Development Authority (20-10-01). Should interest earnings not be available by September 1,
23 funding shall be made directly from the Delaware Strategic Fund. It is the intent of the General Assembly that these
24 funds shall be used for business marketing and recruitment. These funds may be used together with non-state
25 contributions to the Delaware Business Marketing Program. However, in the event that non-state contributions are
26 not available, or in the event such contributions are insufficient to fully access the resources of the Delaware
27 Business Marketing Program, it is the intent of the General Assembly that the Delaware Business Marketing
28 Program shall continue to fully operate using only the interest earnings on the Delaware Strategic Fund as provided
29 for in 29 Del. C. § 8727A.

1 In the event that non-state contributions are available, they may be made in cash or in-kind. Non-state cash
2 contributions shall be deposited in a special fund for business marketing and recruitment purposes only. Non-state
3 in-kind contributions shall be valued at their fair market value and documented by the Delaware Economic
4 Development Authority in connection with the Delaware Business Marketing Program.

5 When non-state contributions are used, expenditures of the program shall be divided between non-state
6 contributions and state funds for any fiscal year's appropriations such that non-state contributions are not less than
7 50 percent of total expenditures. Of the 50 percent non-state contributions, up to 25 percent shall be cash
8 contributions, and up to 25 percent shall be in-kind contributions. These funds shall not be used for hiring full-time
9 employees. Allocations shall be made by the Director of the Division of Small Business with the approval of the
10 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

11 On or before December 1 the Director of the Division of Small Business shall provide to the Director of
12 the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General a report on the Delaware Business Marketing
13 Program. The report shall include an itemized list of all non-state cash and in-kind contributions received, total
14 expenditures and an assessment of the program to date.

15 (d) The next \$150.0 shall be used to provide customized information technology training to small and
16 medium-sized businesses through grants made by Delaware Technical Community College I.T. Learning Center.
17 Should interest earnings not be available by September 1, funding shall be made available directly from the
18 Delaware Strategic Fund.

19 (e) Any remaining funds shall be used for the purposes of the Delaware Strategic Fund.

20 **Section 125.** ~~There is ASF authority allocated to the Department of State, Division of Small Business,~~
21 ~~Delaware Tourism Office (20-10-02) pursuant to 30 Del. C. § 6102(b) contained in Section 1 of this Act for the~~
22 ~~Kalmar Nyckel.~~ During the fiscal year the State of Delaware, through the Delaware Tourism Office and the
23 Riverfront Development Corporation, shall be entitled to charter the Kalmar Nyckel. Said use is to include docked
24 guest entertaining privileges and/or day sails at no cost for as many State of Delaware guests as is consistent with
25 Kalmar Nyckel safety policies. Scheduling for State and Riverfront Development Corporation use of the Kalmar
26 Nyckel shall be at mutually agreeable times and locations to the Kalmar Nyckel, the Delaware Tourism Office on
27 behalf of the State of Delaware and the Riverfront Development Corporation.

28 **Section 126.** The Kalmar Nyckel Foundation shall provide to the Division of Small Business, the Office
29 of Management and Budget and the Office of the Controller General financial reports detailing year to date

1 expenditures and revenues as well as projected expenditures and revenues for the remainder of the fiscal year. Such
2 reports shall be due October 1 and March 1 of each fiscal year.

3 **Section 127.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of State, Division of Small
4 Business, Delaware Economic Development Authority (20-10-01) for Business Incubators. ~~Of this amount, \$200.0~~
5 ~~shall be allocated to the Kent Economic Partnership, \$250.0 shall be allocated to the New Castle County Chamber~~
6 ~~of Commerce's business incubator, the Emerging Enterprise Center, \$50.0 shall be allocated to the Middletown~~
7 ~~Chamber of Commerce's business incubator, \$75.0 shall be allocated to the Delaware Black Chamber of~~
8 ~~Commerce, and \$50.0 shall be allocated to the Sussex County Economic Development business incubator.~~
9 Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law to the contrary, \$150.0 of the fiscal year interest earnings of the
10 Delaware Strategic Fund as provided for in 29 Del. C. § 8727A shall be allocated to the Sussex County Economic
11 Development business incubator. This appropriation is supplemented by \$175.0 of the fiscal year interest earnings
12 of the Delaware Strategic Fund. The Department shall award these funds to local economic development
13 organizations supporting business development. The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not apply.

14 **Section 128.** ~~Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to World Trade Center Delaware in the~~
15 ~~Department of State, Office of the Secretary, Administration (20-01-01).~~ The World Trade Center Delaware shall
16 work in cooperation with the Delaware Prosperity Partnership, the Department of State, and other state offices to
17 promote foreign trade and investment in the State of Delaware. As such, the World Trade Center may be a contact
18 for the State regarding international trade matters with the business community; U.S. federal agencies; regional,
19 national and international organizations; and other domestic and international trade organizations worldwide, as
20 well as assist in hosting and coordinating international trade delegations and foreign government officials visiting
21 the State.

22 **Section 129.** In accordance with an Order of the Court of Chancery, dated October 12, 2020, approving a
23 settlement between the parties in *In Re Delaware Public Schools Litigation*, Section 1 of this Act makes an
24 appropriation to Department of State, Administration, Office of the Secretary (20-01-01) in Equity Ombudsperson
25 Program to provide three Ombudspersons, one to serve in each county. The program shall focus on non-legal
26 interventions with school districts to resolve disputes or complaints concerning different or unfair treatment of
27 students, including disparate discipline, inequitable access to school programs, or other similar disputes or
28 complaints. The program shall also serve students in charter schools. The Ombudspersons shall act as non-lawyer
29 advocates for students and their families in any proceedings conducted by schools or local, state, or federal

1 education agencies. If determined to be appropriate and desirable, the contracted supplier may seek pro bono, or
2 subcontract for, legal services.

3 **Section 130.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$83.6 in Personnel Costs and 1.0 FTE
4 positions to State, Small Business, Delaware Economic Development Authority (20-10-01). The expenditure of
5 these funds shall be contingent upon the passage of Senate Bill 254 or similar legislation of the 152nd General
6 Assembly.

1 **FINANCE**

2 **Section 131.** The Department of Finance, Office of the Secretary (25-01-01) is authorized during the fiscal
3 year to maintain special funds with the State Treasurer for the acquisition of technology and payment of other costs
4 incidental (including the hiring of seasonal employees) to the implementation and maintenance of computer systems
5 at the Office of the Secretary or Revenue (25-06-01). Deposits to the special funds shall be from the collection of
6 delinquent taxes and shall not exceed the amount specified in Section 1 of this Act. Within that amount, a revenue
7 collection and reporting system is authorized to be funded from the deposit of all revenues derived from penalties
8 and interest associated with the collection of such delinquent taxes to accumulate in such fund with quarterly reports
9 regarding the status of this fund made by the Department of Finance to the Director of the Office of Management
10 and Budget and the Controller General.

11 **Section 132.** Revenue (25-06-01) is authorized to establish and maintain a special fund with the State
12 Treasurer for the purpose of contracting and/or employing personnel for the collection of delinquent state taxes and
13 other debts that Revenue has undertaken to collect. The contracts and/or personnel may provide for 1) collection or
14 assistance in collection of delinquent accounts from businesses or persons; and/or 2) audit of business and personal
15 taxables under the direct supervision of Revenue management; and/or 3) audit of physical inventory of alcoholic
16 beverage wholesalers. Deposits to the special fund shall be from the collection of delinquent taxes. A detailed
17 report on all expenditures from and collections to this special fund shall be sent annually to the Director of the
18 Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. Unencumbered balances on June 30 in excess of
19 \$300.0 shall revert to the General Fund. The Department of Finance may undertake pilot programs to improve the
20 collection of delinquent state taxes and other debts including, but not limited to, the domestication of judgments
21 outside of Delaware, additional legal processing efforts, related follow-up and staffing, and associated technology.
22 In the event that the Department of Finance’s operational or contractual expenses related to such collections
23 programs shall exceed the amount in Section 1 in the Division of Revenue (25-06-01) of this Act, the ASF budget in
24 Section 1 of this Act may be amended by the Secretary of Finance, the Controller General and the Director of the
25 Office of Management and Budget.

26 **Section 133.** The Director of Revenue shall have the authority to accept, on whatever terms and conditions
27 they may establish, payment by credit card of taxes, fees and other obligations that Revenue has undertaken to
28 collect. The Director is authorized to enter into contracts for the processing of credit card payments and fees

1 associated with such contracts. The ASF authority for delinquent collections may be used to pay for fees and
2 expenses associated with the collection of taxes by credit cards.

3 **Section 134.** Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, the Secretary of Finance or their designee
4 shall have the authority to enter into agreements according to which contingency and other fees are provided to
5 persons locating or substantiating property to be escheated to the State or to other persons identifying abandoned
6 property by means of audit or otherwise. Section 1 of this Act authorizes the Department of Finance, Office of the
7 Secretary (25-01-01) to maintain an Escheat ASF account (appropriation 60507) with the State Treasurer from
8 which charges relating to receiving and processing remittances and reports by holders, and claims by owners of
9 abandoned property, as well as advertising and travel fees and associated costs may be paid, and into which
10 abandoned property remittances may, at the discretion of the Secretary, be deposited; and from which contingency
11 and other fees, including legal expenses incident to escheat compliance and enforcement, may be paid to
12 compensate persons locating or substantiating property or developing or maintaining systems that permit the State
13 to substantiate and accept property to be escheated to the State or to other persons identifying abandoned property
14 by means of audit or otherwise, and into which abandoned property remittances may, at the discretion of the
15 Secretary, be deposited.

16 Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, the Secretary of Finance or their designee may enter into
17 or maintain escrow, custodian or similar agreements for the purpose of protecting the State's interest in property to
18 be escheated or fees payable pursuant to the aforesaid agreements. In the event that the Department of Finance's
19 amount of contractual services for escheat enforcement shall exceed the amount in Section 1 of this Act due to
20 higher than anticipated legal expenses or audit or other collections, the ASF budget in Section 1 of this Act may be
21 amended by the Secretary of Finance, the Controller General and the Director of the Office of Management and
22 Budget. In the event that such excess collections result in revenues exceeding the threshold established by 29 Del.
23 C. § 6102(s), such threshold shall be increased by an amount equal to any increases in appropriation 60507.
24 Unencumbered cash balances on June 30 for Escheat in excess of \$7,275.0 shall revert to the General Fund.

25 **Section 135.** (a) In the event that the State Lottery Office (25-07-01) amount of Contractual Services
26 exceeds the amount in Section 1 of this Act due to increased lottery ticket sales (traditional, sports and other
27 products), the ASF budget in Section 1 of this Act may be amended by the Secretary of Finance, the Controller
28 General and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, provided that the total operating budget for this
29 fiscal year shall not exceed 20 percent of gross sales as limited by 29 Del. C. § 4815(a).

1 (b) In the event that the State Lottery Office’s amount of Contractual Services shall exceed the amount in
2 Section 1 of this Act due to increased video lottery net proceeds, the ASF budget in Section 1 of this Act may be
3 amended by the Secretary of Finance, the Controller General and the Director of the Office of Management and
4 Budget, subject to the limitations outlined in 29 Del. C. § 4815(b).

5 **Section 136.** Pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 4815(b)(3)(c) and 29 Del. C. § 4815(d)(1)(b), funds from the State
6 Lottery Fund shall be released to an appropriately established account within the Department of Health and Social
7 Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health (35-06-00) on or before the 15th day of each month, the amount of
8 which shall be based on the results of video lottery operations and table game operations, respectively conducted
9 during the immediately preceding month.

10 **Section 137.** Pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 4805(b)(4), the State Lottery Office (25-07-01) is authorized to enter
11 into an agreement with other state lotteries for participation in multi-jurisdictional, wide-area, progressive video
12 lottery games. The State Lottery Office is authorized to contract with these other state lotteries for the procurement
13 of services for implementation of multi-jurisdictional, wide-area, progressive video lottery games, and the
14 provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not apply.

15 **Section 138.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$52,808.3 ASF in the Department of
16 Finance, State Lottery Office (25-07-01) for Contractual Services. Up to \$300.0 ASF of that amount may be used for
17 the marketing and promotion of prevention and treatment services related to compulsive gambling, including mobile
18 betting.

19 **Section 139.** Amend 4 Del C. §1387 by making deletions as shown by strikethrough and insertions as
20 shown by underline as follows:

21 (a) The funds in the Marijuana Regulation Fund in each fiscal year must be appropriated by the General
22 Assembly as follows:

23 (1) To the administrative costs and expenses of the Commissioner and the Division, including
24 administrative expenses, including payroll and other employment costs.

25 (2) To the administrative costs and expenses of the Department of Finance, Department of Health and
26 Social Services, Department of Agriculture, and other agencies responsible for taxing and regulating personal use
27 marijuana in the State of Delaware. These departments shall submit a proposed expenditure plan for approval by the
28 Commissioner, Controller General, and Director of the Office of Management and Budget prior to the expenditure
29 of these funds

1 ~~(2)~~ (3) To the administrative costs and expenses of the Criminal Justice Council incurred to administer the
2 Justice Reinvestment Fund.

3 ~~(3)~~ (4) After the payment under paragraphs (a)(2) and (3) of this section, and the transfer to the Justice
4 Reinvestment Fund set forth in § 1386(a)(2) of this title, any remainder may be appropriated as determined by the
5 General Assembly.

6 **Section 140.** Amend 16 Del. C. § 2613 by making deletions as shown by strike through and insertions as
7 shown by underline as follows:

8 (a) A special fund of the State is created ~~in~~ under the Department of Finance to be known as the “The
9 Delaware Lead-Based Paint Abatement and Remediation Fund” (“the Fund”). All appropriations and other moneys,
10 including gifts, bequests, grants, or other funds from private or public sources specifically designated for the Fund
11 must be ~~deposited or transferred~~ credited to the Fund. ~~Moneys in the Fund may be saved and deposited in an~~
12 ~~interest-bearing savings or investment account. Interest or other income earned on the moneys in the Fund must be~~
13 ~~deposited or transferred into the Fund.~~ The State Treasurer shall credit interest to the Fund on a monthly basis
14 consistent with the rate established by the Cash Management Policy Board. The Fund may not lapse or revert to the
15 General Fund.

1 **HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

2 **Section 141.** Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Delaware Code, the Department of Health and
3 Social Services shall have authority to fill vacant positions with qualified applicants for the Certified Nursing
4 Assistant, Active Treatment Facilitator, Activity Therapist, Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse, Physician,
5 Dentist, Psychiatrist and Teacher of students with visual impairment classifications by agency recruitment efforts
6 unless an eligibility list is required by federal law for that position.

7 **Section 142.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funding and ~~1-0~~ 2.0 FTEs to the Department of Health and
8 Social Services, Office of the Secretary (35-01-10) for a Home and Community-Based Services Ombudspersons
9 (HCBSO). ~~This~~ These positions will report directly to the State Long-Term Care Ombudsperson and will serve as a
10 principal point of contact for adult home and community-based consumers. The HCBSO will function as a mediator
11 and facilitate conflict resolution relative to services for adults residing in home and community-based settings
12 and/or receiving services from providers licensed to provide home and community-based services in the State of
13 Delaware. In addition, the HCBSO will contribute to the development of state long-term care policy by means of
14 sharing data, information and funding from an array of home and community-based service system monitoring and
15 related activities.

16 **Section 143.** (a) Results of investigations conducted by the Audit and Recovery Management Services
17 (ARMS) concerning any and all public welfare and Purchase of Child Care programs administered by the
18 Department of Health and Social Services that indicate intentional program violation, inadvertent household error or
19 agency error are processed for collection of overpayment. Additionally, cases of intentional program violation of
20 the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)
21 programs shall be adjudicated for Administrative Disqualification. Cases of probable or prosecutable fraud shall be
22 transmitted to the Department of Justice directly by the Director of the ~~Division of Management Services~~ Office of
23 the Secretary, Administration. The Department of Justice shall prosecute those cases deemed actionable and return
24 the rest to the Department of Health and Social Services for collection of overpayment. The Secretary of the
25 Department of Health and Social Services shall file an annual report directly with the Director of the Office of
26 Management and Budget and the Controller General.

27 (b) Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$232.8 ASF in the Department of Health and Social
28 Services, Office of the Secretary, Administration (35-01-20) for Program Integrity for the operation of the ARMS
29 unit. Revenue from ARMS collections related to Public Assistance and Purchase of Child Care programs shall fund

1 this account. All revenue in excess of the Program Integrity's ASF authority shall be deposited as designated by 29
2 Del. C. § 6102.

3 **Section 144.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates ~~\$8,966.2~~ \$9,099.8 in Department of Health and Social
4 Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) under Early Intervention for the Part C Birth to Three
5 Program; ~~\$133.0~~ \$152.5 in Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Prevention and
6 Behavioral Health Services, Prevention/Early Intervention (37-04-20) for the Birth to Three Program; and \$267.9 in
7 the Department of Education, Pass Through and Other Support Programs, Special Needs Programs (95-03-20) for
8 the Interagency Resource Management Committee (IRMC). IRMC shall consult and advise the lead agency in
9 setting program eligibility standards, shall have the authority to allocate such funds and may advise on the use of
10 other funds specifically designated for this project. Section 1 of this Act includes 29.5 FTEs in Department of
11 Health and Social Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20); 2.0 FTEs in the Department of Services
12 for Children, Youth and Their Families, Prevention and Behavioral Health Services, Prevention/Early Intervention
13 (37-04-20); and 2.0 FTEs in the Department of Education, Pass Through and Other Support Programs, Special
14 Needs Programs (95-03-20) to provide appropriate service coordination and transition services for children birth to
15 three, selected through the early intervention process to ensure compliance with federal regulations and a
16 coordinated transition with their respective local education agencies. In addition, IRMC may recommend the
17 transfer of General Fund positions and/or General Fund dollars from the Department of Health and Social Services
18 as necessary to operate this program.

19 (b) The Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Services shall ensure that under the Part C Birth
20 to Three Program, no child will be denied services because of their parent's inability to pay. The following will be
21 adhered to by the Department of Health and Social Services in developing Part C-vendor agreements: 1) vendors
22 will agree to bill third party insurance including Medicaid and clients; 2) client fees will be based on the
23 Department of Health and Social Services scale developed by the Ability to Pay Committee and found in the
24 department's policy Memorandum 37; and 3) those agencies who have sliding payment scales currently will be
25 permitted to continue using them as long as those scales do not require a greater financial burden than that of the
26 Department of Health and Social Services scale.

27 (c) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social Services, for the
28 Birth to Three Program. Of that amount, \$150.0 is appropriated to provide evaluation and direct services for
29 children.

1 **Section 145.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$1,980.2 in DIMER Operations to Department of
2 Health and Social Services, Office of the Secretary (35-01-10) for the Delaware Institute of Medical Education and
3 Research (DIMER) to provide funding to medical schools and health systems to promote the availability of seats for
4 further education. The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not apply. This amount shall be allocated as follows:

5 Sidney Kimmel Medical College	\$ 1,000.0
6 Philadelphia School of Osteopathic Medicine	500.0
7 Christiana Care Health Systems	200.0
8 Tuition Assistance	280.2

9 (b) Any changes ~~in this~~ from the current allocation must receive prior approval from the Director of the
10 Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

11 (c) Any scholarship program developed by the DIMER Board will be repaid under terms and conditions
12 that will be coordinated with the Delaware Health Care Commission, who shall be responsible for monitoring and
13 enforcement. In designing a scholarship program, the DIMER Board will consider the need to assure that there is a
14 continuing supply of physicians for Delaware. Scholarships will be approved by the Delaware Health Care
15 Commission, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

16 **Section 146.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$200.0 in DIDER Operations to the Department of
17 Health and Social Services, Office of the Secretary (35-01-10) for the Delaware Institute of Dental Education and
18 Research (DIDER) to provide funding to dental schools to promote the availability of seats for further education.
19 The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not apply. This amount shall be allocated as follows:

20 Temple University School of Dentistry	\$ 200.0
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21 (b) Any scholarship program developed by the DIDER Board shall be repaid under terms and conditions
22 coordinated with the Delaware Health Care Commission, who shall be responsible for monitoring and enforcement.
23 In designing a scholarship program, the DIDER Board shall consider the need to assure that there is a continuing
24 supply of dentists for Delaware. Scholarships shall be approved by the Delaware Health Care Commission, the
25 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

26 **Section 147.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$198.4 to the Department of Health and Social
27 Services, Office of the Secretary (35-01-10) for the DIMER Loan Repayment Program.

28 (b) Any loan program developed by the DIMER Board will be repaid under terms and conditions
29 coordinated by the Delaware Health Care Commission, who shall be responsible for monitoring and enforcement.

1 In designing a loan program, the DIMER Board will consider the need to assure that there is a continuing supply of
2 physicians for Delaware. The loan repayment allocation of \$198.4 shall be used to recruit physicians or other
3 practitioners eligible under the loan repayment program and to recruit and retain practitioners in underserved areas
4 of Delaware. Loans and loan repayment programs will be approved by the Delaware Health Care Commission, the
5 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

6 **Section 148.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$17.5 to the Department of Health and Social Services,
7 Office of the Secretary (35-01-10) for the DIDER Loan Repayment Program.

8 (b) Any loan program developed by the DIDER Board will be repaid under terms and conditions
9 coordinated by the Delaware Health Care Commission, who shall be responsible for monitoring and enforcement.

10 In designing a loan program, the DIDER Board will consider the need to assure that there is a continuing supply of
11 dentists for Delaware. The loan repayment allocation of \$17.5 shall be used to recruit dentists or other practitioners
12 eligible under the loan repayment program. Loans and loan repayment programs will be approved by the Delaware
13 Health Care Commission, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

14 **Section 149.** The Department of Health and Social Services is authorized to contract with a cooperative
15 multi-state purchasing contract alliance for the procurement of pharmaceutical products, services and allied
16 supplies. The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not apply to such contract. Prior to entering into any such
17 contracts, the department will obtain the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

18 **Section 150.** (a) The amount appropriated by Section 1 of this Act to the Department of Health and Social
19 Services for Title XIX Federal Programs Medicaid shall be expended solely in accordance with the following
20 conditions and limitations:

21 (1) This appropriation shall be used for the purpose of continuing the program of medical assistance
22 provided within the State Plan under Title XIX of the Social Security Act and the requirement of
23 Section 121(a) of P.L. 89-97 and all subsequent amendments enacted by the Congress of the
24 United States and commonly known as Title XIX of the Social Security Act; and

25 (2) The State Plan of medical care to be carried out by the Department of Health and Social Services
26 shall meet the requirement for Federal Financial Participation under the aforementioned Title
27 XIX.

28 (b) Funds appropriated by Section 1 of this Act for Title XIX Medicaid may be expended by the Department
29 of Health and Social Services for covered direct client services as well as transportation and disease management.

1 Funds may be expended for other administrative costs involved in carrying out the purpose of this section if
2 approved by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

3 (c) The funds hereby appropriated for Medicaid shall be expended only on condition that the program is
4 approved and federal matching funds are provided by the appropriate federal agency except that funds may be
5 expended to cover certain mental health services received by Medicaid eligible clients even though the federal
6 government has terminated matching funds.

7 (d) The Department of Health and Social Services shall file a report to the Director of the Office of
8 Management and Budget and the Controller General of all services provided by the Medicaid appropriation. The
9 report shall clearly identify any services that were changed, added or deleted during the current fiscal year. This
10 report is due by May 15 of each fiscal year.

11 **Section 151.** (a) Section 1 of this Act makes appropriations to the Department of Health and Social Services,
12 Medicaid and Medical Assistance (35-02-01) for various programs that pay for health care. In the Medicaid
13 program, federal regulations mandate that drug companies must provide rebates in order to participate in the
14 program. The Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance (DMMA) shall establish a drug rebate process for any
15 prescription benefits provided to clients enrolled in the following non-Medicaid programs administered by the
16 Department of Health and Social Services, including but not limited to: the Delaware Prescription Assistance
17 Program, the Delaware Healthy Children Program, the Renal Disease program and the Cancer Treatment program.
18 The division shall establish a rebate process that it determines is in the best interests of the citizens who are being
19 served. The rebate amount shall be calculated using the full methodology prescribed by the federal government for
20 the Medicaid program. In addition, the division is authorized to negotiate rebates with drug companies for both
21 Medicaid and other programs. Notwithstanding any provisions of the Delaware Code to the contrary, the division
22 shall deposit any drug rebate funds received, as well as third party insurance collections (minus retention amounts)
23 and other collections into the appropriate Medicaid and Medical Assistance program account and use them to meet
24 program costs.

25 (b) Section 1 of this Act also makes appropriations to other agencies of state government for health care
26 programs that purchase drugs. DMMA shall work with other state agencies to develop a drug rebate process for
27 these programs.

28 (c) The Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Secretary of the Department of Health
29 and Social Services shall continue to analyze cost containment initiatives in the area of additional drug rebates for

1 prescription drugs. The Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Secretary of the Department of
2 Health and Social Services shall confer with the Controller General and the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance
3 Committee.

4 **Section 152.** The Department of Health and Social Services is authorized to contract for the procurement
5 of managed care services for the Delaware Medical Assistance Program. The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not
6 apply to such contracts.

7 **Section 153.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
8 Services, Medicaid and Medical Assistance (35-02-01) for Renal ~~Disease~~.

9 Medicaid and Medical Assistance will provide the following support for the Chronic Renal Disease
10 Program: 1) provide staff support for the Chronic Renal Disease Advisory Committee, including the maintenance of
11 the committee membership and appointment system; 2) develop standards for determining eligibility for services
12 provided by the program, with the advice of the Advisory Committee; 3) extend assistance to persons suffering
13 from chronic renal disease who meet eligibility criteria; 4) periodically provide information to the Advisory
14 Committee on services provided and expenditures for these services; and 5) coordinate benefits with the Medicare
15 Part D program for non-state employee clients. Those clients not Medicaid eligible will receive the same level of
16 services as in previous years.

17 **Section 154.** Section 1 of this Act provides ASF spending authority to the Department of Health and
18 Social Services, Medicaid and Medical Assistance (DMMA) (35-02-01). Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del.
19 C. § 6102, the division shall be allowed to deposit Medicaid reimbursement for the federal share of Medicaid claims
20 for the Pathways Program Employment Navigators into its Medicaid ASF appropriation. Employment Navigators
21 are employees of the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, Community Services (35-11-30) and
22 Division of Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities, Administration/Community Services (35-14-
23 01). Revenue will be retained by DMMA to support the state share of claims for Pathways services.

24 **Section 155.** Section 1 of this Act includes 2.0 NSF FTEs in the Department of Health and Social
25 Services, Social Services (35-07-01). These Medicaid Eligibility Specialist positions will be funded through
26 voluntary contributions from medical facilities and from federal matching funds. These positions will expedite the
27 Medicaid eligibility application process for Medicaid clients and will ensure that these clients apply for services
28 through Medicaid, if appropriate, thereby maximizing federal revenues for the State of Delaware. Other medical
29 facilities throughout the State may participate in this program.

1 **Section 156.** Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
2 Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) for Tobacco Fund: Contractual Services. ~~Of this amount,~~
3 \$620.4 ASF shall be used for the purpose of providing school nursing services five days a week to non-public
4 schools in New Castle County and Kent County.

5 The Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Services will ensure that the contracts with the
6 various schools in this program are executed no later than August 15 of each fiscal year. The Secretary will also
7 ensure that timely payments are made to all contractors.

8 **Section 157.** (a) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
9 Services, Public Health, Director's Office/Support Services (35-05-10) for a State Office of Animal Welfare. The
10 office shall be responsible for coordinating programs, standards and oversight to protect the State's animals and
11 ensure best practices with public health and safety as outlined by the Animal Welfare Task Force recommendations
12 in 2013.

13 (b) There shall be 15.0 FTEs authorized for the Office of Animal Welfare. It is the intent of the General
14 Assembly that some veterinarian experience be included in the office's structure, whether through one of the office
15 positions or in a contractual role.

16 (c) The General Assembly directs the Office of Animal Welfare within the Department of Health and
17 Social Services, Public Health, Director's Office/Support Services (35-05-10) to enforce animal control and
18 licensing, dangerous dog, rabies control and animal cruelty laws for the State of Delaware.

19 (d) Section 1 of this Act authorizes ~~\$3,500.0~~ \$4,000.0 ASF and 14.0 ASF FTEs and 9.0 casual/seasonal
20 ASF positions for the Office of Animal Welfare for animal control and enforcement officer positions. The City of
21 Wilmington and New Castle, Kent and Sussex Counties are to submit payment for dog control and dangerous dog
22 law enforcement to the Office of Animal Welfare upon transfer of these enforcement services. These payments, as
23 well as payments related to enforcement of animal control, cruelty and licensing laws, shall be deposited into an
24 ASF account established by the Office of Animal Welfare.

25 (e) Section 1 of this Act provides \$101.0 for Animal Welfare to Department of Health and Social Services,
26 Public Health, Director's Office/Support Services (35-05-10) for costs associated with the enforcement of animal
27 cruelty laws and Senate Bill 211 of the 146th General Assembly.

28 **Section 158.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$18.4 General Funds and ~~\$573.6~~ \$585.4 Tobacco Funds to
29 the Department of Health and Social Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) for the Uninsured

1 Action Plan. It is the intent of the Administration and the General Assembly that these funds shall be used for the
2 continuation of the services provided under the plan after all other available funds for this purpose have been
3 exhausted. The Division of Public Health shall submit a report to the Director of the Office of Management and
4 Budget and the Controller General no later than October 15 of each fiscal year detailing the plan for the expenditure
5 of these funds.

6 **Section 159.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
7 Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) to provide flu, pneumonia, Hepatitis B and other necessary
8 vaccinations (and ancillary supplies such as syringes and needles) required for the protection of the Delaware
9 public, especially those that do not have medical insurance or whose insurance does not cover vaccines. This Act
10 also provides for the reimbursement of vaccine administration fees to eligible providers for vaccines administered to
11 eligible children under the Vaccines for Children program in line with rates set by the Division of Medicaid and
12 Medical Assistance in conjunction with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. If funding levels allow,
13 these funds may also be spent as necessary to upgrade and maintain the immunization registry (DelVAX).

14 **Section 160.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
15 Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) for Toxicology to be used for equipment
16 replacement/upgrade and related support costs for the program.

17 **Section 161.** (a) Section 1 of this Act provides funding for the Department of Health and Social Services,
18 Public Health, Community Health, Health Systems Protection (35-05-20) to administer the Drinking Water State
19 Revolving Fund (DWSRF). This fund consists of funding from the State Twenty-First Century Fund and United
20 States Environmental Protection Agency and includes appropriations for technical assistance and water operator
21 training for drinking water systems in the State. ~~The Environmental Training Center at Delaware Technical~~
22 ~~Community College and the Delaware Rural Water Association are the current providers of water operator training~~
23 ~~and drinking water system technical assistance in Delaware. Therefore, An available 2 percent set-aside funding~~
24 ~~through the DWSRF for training and technical assistance shall be distributed appropriately to these agencies~~
25 providing water operator training and drinking water system technical assistance. The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69
26 shall not apply.

27 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, upon approval of the Director of the Office of
28 Management and Budget and the Controller General, the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program may

1 administer a competitive Request for Proposal (RFP) process for drinking water system technical assistance, if other
2 providers are available and cost savings exist.

3 **Section 162.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to the Department of Health and Social Services,
4 Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) and to Judicial, Administrative Office of the Courts - Non-Judicial
5 Services, Maternal and Child Death Review Commission (02-18-06) to improve birth outcomes and reduce infant
6 mortality. More specifically, the funds are to implement recommendations of the Infant Mortality Task
7 Force/Delaware Healthy Mother and Infant Consortium and other evidence-based recommendations. Included are
8 \$4,201.6 for the Infant Mortality Task Force and Personnel Costs for 2.0 FTEs in Department of Health and Social
9 Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20). Section 1 also appropriates funding for Personnel Costs for
10 3.0 FTEs in the Infant Mortality Task Force/Delaware Healthy Mother and Infant Consortium directly to Judicial,
11 Administrative Office of the Courts - Non-Judicial Services, Maternal and Child Death Review Commission (02-
12 18-06). The Department of Health and Social Services shall submit an update on the spending plan and staffing
13 details for review and approval for these funds to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
14 Controller General no later than November 1 of each fiscal year.

15 **Section 163.** Of the funds derived from those State Lottery funds transferred to the Department of Health
16 and Social Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health (35-06-00) pursuant to 29 Del. C. § 4815(b)(2), \$20.0
17 shall be used by the division to create and/or continue an Addiction Prevention Program in all Delaware high
18 schools on the subject of compulsive gambling. These funds shall provide, but not be limited to, the following:

- 19 (1) A prevention education booklet to be given to every high school student in the State;
- 20 (2) A teacher guideline instructional booklet to assist teachers to impart this information to students; and
- 21 (3) On-site training to teachers on appropriate teaching methods.

22 **Section 164.** The Department of Health and Social Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health (35-06-
23 00) is encouraged, where appropriate, to reallocate resources so as to create a balanced system of services and
24 treatment for persons with mental illness. Such reallocation initiatives must be made within the division's
25 appropriation limit with the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller
26 General. These reallocation initiatives shall not compromise the standard of care of the division's clients.

27 **Section 165.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$17,450.9 in Community Placements in the Department of
28 Health and Social Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health, Community Mental Health (35-06-20). The
29 department shall utilize the funds to support clients in the least restrictive settings and transition Delaware

1 Psychiatric Center residents into the community. As a result, the department shall realize savings in future fiscal
2 years through analyzing staffing and operational needs.

3 **Section 166.** The Merit Rules notwithstanding, Department of Health and Social Services, Division of
4 Substance Abuse and Mental Health (35-06-00), Board Certified Psychiatrists, Physicians and Chief Physician,
5 which support the Delaware Psychiatric Center, shall be eligible for standby pay and call back pay.

6 **Section 167.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
7 Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health, Delaware Psychiatric Center (35-06-30) for Contractual Services.
8 Of that amount, \$41.2 shall be made available for a Direct Patient Care Education Program to enable direct care
9 professionals to take courses to increase their skills in specialty areas. It is understood that participants in this
10 program will provide clinical services with compensation to Delaware Psychiatric Center during the duration of
11 their education. It is further understood that these individuals shall remain employees of Delaware Psychiatric
12 Center for a minimum of one year after graduation or shall reimburse the State for any and all tuition received. It is
13 further understood that any individuals who do not successfully complete their courses shall be required to
14 reimburse the State for the cost of the tuition per divisional policy.

15 **Section 168.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
16 Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health, Substance Abuse (35-06-40) for Substance Use Disorder Services.
17 Substance exposed pregnant women shall receive priority in placement on any wait list for these services to the
18 extent allowable under federal guidelines.

19 **Section 169.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
20 Services, Social Services (35-07-01) for the recovery of TANF Child Support Pass Through costs. The division
21 shall be allowed to collect and deposit funds into this appropriation as a result of child support payments collected
22 and retained by the Division of Child Support Services (DCSS). DCSS is able to retain payments of Temporary
23 Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) clients based on the Assignment of Rights, which is a condition of TANF
24 eligibility. These retained funds will be used by Social Services to make supplemental payments to clients who are
25 eligible to receive a portion of their child support collections under state and federal TANF budgeting rules.

26 **Section 170.** Notwithstanding any provisions of the Delaware Code to the contrary, the Department of
27 Health and Social Services, Social Services (35-07-01) is authorized to make such policy changes in the
28 administration of the TANF and Child Care Development Block Grant programs as may be necessary to ensure that

1 Delaware will qualify for the full amount of its federal block grant entitlement funds. Any changes require the prior
2 approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and Controller General.

3 **Section 171.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates Personnel Costs and 47.0 FTEs to the Department of
4 Health and Social Services, Visually Impaired, Visually Impaired Services (35-08-01). Of this appropriation 19.0
5 FTEs itinerant teachers are available to meet caseload requirements for the Braille Literacy Act per the provisions
6 of 14 Del. C. § 206(e).

7 (b) The Secretary may implement any combination of reasonable options to effectively meet Individual
8 Education Program (IEP) plans for students with visual impairments, including, but not limited to, straight time
9 overtime for itinerant teachers and Certified Orientation Mobility Specialists and professionals who are not covered
10 by the Fair Labor Standards Act. The method of compensation is subject to the availability of funds and/or the
11 operational needs of the department.

12 **Section 172.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
13 Services, Visually Impaired, Visually Impaired Services (35-08-01) for Contractual Services. Of that amount, ~~\$15.9~~
14 \$23.8 shall be used to compensate correctional inmates for the purpose of producing Braille materials for visually
15 impaired school children.

16 **Section 173.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of ~~\$1,263.4~~ \$1,463.4 ASF in the Department
17 of Health and Social Services, Child Support Services (35-10-01) for the operation of the division. Revenue from
18 child support collections shall fund this account and the related 2.1 ASF FTEs. The department shall continue its
19 efforts to maintain collections related to child support programs, and all revenue in excess of the division's ASF
20 authority shall be deposited as designated by 29 Del. C. § 6102.

21 **Section 174.** Section 1 of this Act provides appropriations to the Department of Health and Social
22 Services, Child Support Services (35-10-01) for Technology Operations for maintenance and operating costs of the
23 Delaware Child Support System and the State Disbursement Unit. Child Support Services shall have the authority to
24 contract for IT resource augmentation, software maintenance and licensing, and other related IT costs for the
25 duration of these projects.

26 **Section 175.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$575.0 ASF in Tobacco Fund: Autism Supports to the
27 Department of Health and Social Services, Developmental Disabilities Services, Administration (35-11-10) for
28 Autism Spectrum Disorder. These funds are pass-through funding to the University of Delaware's Center for
29 Disabilities Studies and will be used to implement the Delaware Network for Excellence in Autism (DNEA), which

1 will provide a resource for training and technical assistance for Delaware state agencies, organizations and other
2 private entities operating in the State of Delaware that provide services and support to individuals and families
3 affected by Autism Spectrum Disorder. These funds will support the following positions: one Network Director, one
4 Administrative Support and two Team Leaders. The remainder of the funding will be used to provide operational
5 support for DNEA. It is the intent that the DNEA and the Department of Education's Statewide Autism Supports
6 program coordinate spending plans and programmatic initiatives in order to avoid duplicative programming and to
7 improve outcomes. A report detailing the coordination efforts shall be submitted to the Co-Chairs of the Joint
8 Finance Committee, the House and Senate Chairs of the Education Committees, the Controller General's Office, and
9 the Office of Management and Budget by May 1, ~~2024~~ of each year.

10 **Section 176.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6102(a), the Department of Health and Social
11 Services, Developmental Disabilities Services, Community Services (35-11-30) shall be permitted to retain revenue
12 collected above and beyond the first \$350.0 deposited annually into the General Fund, resulting from Medicaid
13 reimbursement in an amount sufficient to cover costs associated with case management services.

14 **Section 177.** ~~(a)~~ Section 1 of the Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
15 Services, Developmental Disabilities Services (DDDS), Community Services (35-11-30) for Purchase of
16 Community Services for costs associated with providing transportation. This appropriation will support the
17 provision of door to door transportation to and from day service providers for DDDS eligible consumers. DDDS
18 shall maintain Fiscal Year 2013 rates and shall implement an add on rate for door to door transportation for pre-
19 vocational and day habilitation services. Such add on rates will only be paid to providers that were providing door to
20 door transportation for pre-vocational and day habilitation services as of July 1, 2013.

21 ~~(b) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social Services,
22 Developmental Disabilities Services, Community Services (35 11 30) for Purchase of Community Services. Of that
23 amount, \$300.0 is directed to support providers for the additional cost of providing paratransit tickets as a result of
24 the rate increases during Fiscal Year 2017. These funds shall be distributed among the providers with the highest
25 numbers of adult day program participants who utilize paratransit tickets. The providers must submit requests for
26 funding to the department by September 1 of each year. The department will submit an allocation plan for approval
27 by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General by September 30 of each year.~~

28 **Section 178.** The Department of Health and Social Services, Developmental Disabilities Services (35-11-
29 00) is encouraged, where appropriate, to reallocate resources so as to maximize community-based residential

1 placements for persons with developmental disabilities. Such reallocation initiatives must be made within the
2 division's appropriation limit with the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
3 Controller General. These reallocation initiatives shall not compromise the standard of care of the remaining
4 Stockley Center population.

5 **Section 179.** It is not the intent of the Department of Health and Social Services to pursue systems of
6 managed long term services and supports for the intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) population in an
7 attempt to limit healthcare costs. If the Division of Developmental Disabilities and Services determines systems of
8 managed long term services and supports to be a viable solution to addressing increasing costs, the department must
9 first receive approval of the Joint Finance Committee prior to pursuing such a solution.

10 **Section 180.** Section 1 of this Act provides \$4,843.5 ASF to the Department of Health and Social Services
11 (DHSS), Developmental Disabilities Services, Community Services (35-11-30) for the Purchase of Community
12 Services. Developmental Disabilities Services is allowed to retain revenue from Medicaid reimbursement for respite
13 services provided at the Stockley Center, and administrative services as specified in the DHSS public assistance
14 cost allocation plan. The division also receives revenue from ability to pay collections based on a sliding fee scale
15 and tenant and other fines and fees. Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6102, the division shall be
16 allowed to collect and deposit the revenue into the Purchase of Community Services ASF account in Community
17 Services (35-11-30). Receipts in the account may be used for the benefit of DDDS community clients.

18 **Section 181.** Section 1 of this Act includes funding for Contractual Services for Department of Health and
19 Social Services, Social Services, State Service Centers (~~35-12-30~~ 35-07-02). Of this amount, \$182.2 shall be used
20 for the Delaware Helpline. Available funds designated for the Delaware Helpline may be distributed annually in a
21 lump sum at the beginning of the contract year. The department shall submit to the Office of Management and
22 Budget and the Office of the Controller General a proposed current year spending plan and a report of prior year
23 expenditures by August 31 of each year.

24 **Section 182.** Section 1 of this Act includes funding for Contractual Services for Department of Health and
25 Social Services, Social Services, State Service Centers (~~35-12-30~~ 35-07-02). Of this amount, \$3.0 shall be used to
26 reimburse emergency shelters and/or Code Purple Sanctuaries for operational costs, supplies and/or equipment
27 expended to house individuals and families that experience homelessness in Kent County during Code Purple
28 weather conditions. Code Purple weather declarations are made when weather poses a threat of serious harm to

1 those without shelter at night. It is declared when the combination of air temperature and wind chill is expected to
2 be 32 degrees or less.

3 **Section 183.** The Department of Health and Social Services, Services for Aging and Adults with Physical
4 Disabilities (35-14-00) is encouraged, where appropriate, to reallocate resources so as to create a balanced system of
5 services and treatment between the internal program units: Hospital for the Chronically Ill (35-14-20) and
6 community-based services for persons aging and/or with physical disabilities in Administration/Community
7 Services (35-14-01). Such reallocation initiatives must be made within the division's appropriation limit with the
8 approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. These reallocation
9 initiatives shall not compromise the standard of care of the remaining Long Term Care population.

10 **Section 184.** Section 1 of this Act provides ASF spending authority to the Department of Health and
11 Social Services, Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance (35-02-01) and the Division of Substance Abuse and
12 Mental Health (DSAMH), Community Mental Health (35-06-20) and Substance Abuse (35-06-40).
13 Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. § 6102, DSAMH shall be allowed to collect and deposit Medicaid
14 reimbursement, sliding fee scale client payments and additional insurance reimbursement for Promoting Optimal
15 Mental Health for Individuals through Support and Empowerment (PROMISE) and other behavioral health and
16 substance use disorder services by DSAMH operated programs. DSAMH will ~~deposit~~ transfer the state share of
17 Medicaid payments into a DMMA ASF appropriation, and the remaining funds will be retained by DSAMH.
18 Revenue retained by DSAMH will be used to fund community residential, day program, care management, respite
19 and other behavioral health and substance use disorder services for program participants.

20 **Section 185.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
21 Services, Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities, Administration/Community Services (35-14-01)
22 for Respite Care. Of that appropriation, \$110.0 is appropriated to support families provided respite care services
23 through the Caregiver Program.

24 **Section 186.** Section 1 of this Act includes \$25.0 ASF in the Department of Health and Social Services,
25 Services for Aging and Adults with Physical Disabilities, Hospital for the Chronically Ill (35-14-20) for Hospice.
26 The division shall be allowed to collect and deposit funds into this account as a result of revenue generated from
27 pharmaceuticals associated with Hospice services being provided.

28 **Section 187.** Any non-state agency whose employees are required to receive criminal background checks
29 pursuant to 16 Del. C. § 1141 and § 1145, shall provide to the Department of Health and Social Services quarterly

1 reports including a list of all employees hired over the preceding quarter for the purposes of verification. The
2 Department of Health and Social Services shall review those lists to ensure compliance with 16 Del. C. § 1141 and
3 § 1145.

4 **Section 188.** The Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Substance Abuse and Mental
5 Health shall review its services and billing practices for generating and retaining revenue at the Delaware
6 Psychiatric Center (35-06-30). In the event of declining Disproportionate Share Hospital funds, the Division of
7 Substance Abuse and Mental Health shall submit a plan for approval to the Director of the Office of Management
8 and Budget and the Controller General to retain revenue to sustain operations at their current levels.

9 **Section 189.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
10 Services, Public Health, Community Health (35-05-20) for School Based Health Centers. Of this amount, \$340.0
11 shall be used to establish school-based health centers in high needs elementary schools. Centers shall be compliant
12 with 18 Del. C. § 3571G. For purposes of this subsection, high needs elementary schools shall be defined as any
13 elementary school that has greater than 90 percent of its student population classified as low-income, ~~English~~
14 ~~Learner (EL)~~ multilingual learner (MLL), or underrepresented minority, or is in the top quartile in three or more of
15 the following: percent low income students, percent ~~EL~~ MLL students, percent students with disabilities, or percent
16 underrepresented minority students. School-based health centers shall be established at a rate of two per year,
17 contingent on availability of funding, through the Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Public
18 Health. The Department of Education shall provide a list of eligible schools and transfer appropriated funds to the
19 Division of Public Health at the start of each fiscal year. School districts and charter schools that meet the
20 provisions of this subsection but have already established school-based health centers may apply for reimbursement
21 of expenses associated with establishing said health centers. The Secretary of the Department of Health and Social
22 Services, in consultation with the Secretary of Education, may establish and promulgate rules and regulations
23 governing the administration of such reimbursement.

24 **Section 190.** If the Department of Health and Social Services and the Division of Services for Aging and
25 Adults with Physical Disabilities release a Request for Proposal impacting awards for current providers of the Home
26 Delivered Meals Program, the department must first receive approval of the Director of the Office of Management
27 and Budget, the Controller General, and the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee prior to implementation of
28 the award.

1 **Section 191.** The Department of Health and Social Services shall work with the Department of Education
2 to make improvements to the Purchase of Care system to support children with special needs, including reducing the
3 administrative burden on families and child care providers. The Departments shall continue to make improvement
4 on steps as recommended in the progress report dated May 2023 regarding the identification and funding for
5 children with special needs, including:

6 (a) The Departments shall develop a system that relies on Individualized Education Programs (IEPs)
7 and Individualized Family Service Plans (IFSPs) as documentation and data matching, and conduct the related
8 implementation steps including:

9 i. The Departments shall complete a legal review by October 1, ~~2023~~ 2024, to ensure that the new
10 policies and procedures comply with State and Federal laws.

11 ii. The Departments shall identify components of regulation updates and develop agency MOUs by
12 November 1, ~~2023~~ 2024.

13 (b) The Departments shall develop a process by which other areas of need and diagnoses shall be
14 identified and supported by November 1, ~~2023~~ 2024.

15 ~~(c) The working group shall include various provider types and members of the Delaware Early~~
16 ~~Childhood Council and Interagency Coordinating Council. The working group shall meet at least bimonthly to~~
17 ~~provide input and receive updates on progress. The working group shall release a new report, by December 1,~~
18 ~~2023, to include:~~

19 ~~i. Updates to the May 2023 report.~~

20 ~~ii. Proposes a reimbursement rate structure for Birth to Three to align with the Individuals with~~
21 ~~Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part B needs-based levels (basic, intensive, complex).~~

22 ~~iii. Makes recommendations for a system whereby contracted slots are held to ensure accessibility to~~
23 ~~child care for children with special needs.~~

24 **Section 192.** Long-term care facilities must continue to provide 3.28 hours of direct care per resident per
25 day. However, the staffing ratios required in 16 Del. C. § 1162 are hereby suspended until ~~July~~ January 1, 2024
26 2025.

27 **Section 193.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to the Department of Health and Social Services,
28 Division of Social Services (35-07-01) for Child Care. Of this amount, funding is allocated to increase the purchase
29 of care income limit to 200 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL), effective July 1, 2024. The Secretary of the

1 Department of Health and Social Services shall report quarterly to the Director of the Office of Management and
2 Budget and the Controller General on the total resources (state and federal) expended, remaining funding available
3 for Child Care, as well as the number of children enrolled in the purchase of care program.

4 **Section 194.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to the Department of Health and Social Services,
5 Division of Social Services (35-07-01) for Child Care. In order to ensure program viability in providing access to
6 childcare for vulnerable populations, the General Assembly directs the department to set the purchase of care rate at
7 100% of the 50th percentile of the 2024 Market Rate Study, effective July 1, 2024. The General Assembly finds
8 that, through a combination of federal resources, prior year surplus funding, and funds appropriated in Section 1 of
9 this Act, there is sufficient funding to increase the purchase of care rate pursuant to this section.

10 **Section 195.** Section 1 of the Act provides an appropriation of \$5.0 to the Department of Health and Social
11 Services, Office of the Secretary, Lyme Disease Education (35-01-10). This appropriation shall be used to support
12 the cost of annual website maintenance and design fees for the Lyme Disease Education Oversight Board in
13 providing education to the public and medical profession.

14 **Section 196.** (a.) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
15 Services, Developmental Disabilities Services (DDDS), Community Services (35-11-30) for Purchase of
16 Community Services consistent with providing funding for services to adults with intellectual and developmental
17 disabilities (I/DD). The General Assembly finds that, through a combination of federal and state resources and funds
18 appropriated in Section 1 of this Act, there is sufficient funding to set the rates reflective of minimum wage
19 increases pursuant to this section, effective January 1, 2025. It is the intent of the General Assembly that DDDS
20 ensure all current rates reflect a calculated base rate of at least minimum wage across all DDDS-contracted
21 providers.

22 (b) In support of continued market rate adjustments, the Secretary of the Department of Health and Social
23 Services through DDDS, shall engage a rate market study beginning in Fiscal Year 2025.

24 **Section 197.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of 3.0 FTEs and \$240.9 in Animal Welfare to
25 the Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Public Health, Director's Office/Support Services (35-05-
26 10). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the passage of House Bill 124 or similar legislation of
27 the 152nd General Assembly.

28 **Section 198.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$240.2 in Other Items: Medicaid to the
29 Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance, Medicaid and Medical

1 Assistance (35-02-01). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the passage of House Substitute 2
2 for House Bill 110 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

3 **Section 199.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$766.5 in Contractual Services to the
4 Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Health Care Quality, Health Care Quality (35-09-01). The
5 expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the passage of Senate Amendment 2 for Senate Bill 215 or
6 similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

7 **Section 200.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$11.4 in Personnel Costs and 1.0 FTE
8 Management Analyst III position to the Department of Health and Social Services, Division of Medicaid and
9 Medical Assistance, Medicaid and Medical Assistance (35-02-01). The expenditure of these funds shall be
10 contingent upon the passage of Senate Substitute 1 for Senate Bill 13 or similar legislation of the 152nd General
11 Assembly.

12 **Section 201.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Health and Social
13 Services, Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance, Other Items: Medicaid (35-02-01). Of this amount, the
14 Fiscal Year 2024 budget increased the appropriation by \$5,000.0 to support enhanced rates for private, non-pediatric
15 skilled nursing facilities. For Fiscal Year 2025, an additional \$7,000.0 is appropriated to further enhance these rates,
16 beginning January 2025, based on recommendations from the Department of Health and Social Services, which shall
17 include the 5-year actuarial impact to the Medicaid budget. Enhanced rates shall require the approval of the Director
18 of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

19 **Section 202.** Section 1 of the Act provides an appropriation of \$2,931.2 to the Department of Health and
20 Social Services, Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance (DMMA), Other Items: Medicaid (35-02-01) to
21 enhance the Medicaid rates for Personal Care Services, effective January 1, 2025, based on recommendations from
22 the Department of Health and Social Services which shall include the 5-year actuarial impact to the Medicaid
23 budget. Funds provided to managed care organizations are to be used to provide per unit Medicaid rate
24 reimbursement increases to agency providers of MLTSS HCBS, specifically Healthcare Common Procedure Coding
25 System (HCPCS) codes; S5130; S5125; S5150; T1005, in compliance with applicable federal regulation. Upon
26 completion of the rate study completed by DMMA, it is the intent of the General Assembly that these rates should
27 be further reviewed for Fiscal Year 2026.

28 **Section 203.** All Delaware-licensed, long-term care facilities shall develop and submit a compensation
29 report outlining base compensation levels for all direct care providers operating in their facilities for calendar years

1 2023 and 2024. The report shall be submitted to the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Secretary of
2 the Senate, the Office of the Controller General, and the Office of Management and Budget no later than January 31,
3 2025.

1 **SERVICES FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES**

2 **Section 204.** During the fiscal year, the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families
3 may develop proposals to enhance or develop services provided in the State of Delaware. These proposals shall
4 include cost estimates that will demonstrate the cost effectiveness of the new or enhanced services. In the event that
5 a new service would require additional state employees, the department may request new positions that will be
6 funded by a structural change from existing appropriations within the department. Any new positions and funding
7 changes must be approved by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

8 **Section 205.** The Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Management Support
9 Services (37-01-00) shall have 1.0 FTE exempt position in addition to those authorized by 29 Del. C. § 5903.

10 **Section 206.** Section 1 of this Act provides ~~\$4,832.1~~ \$5,591.2 in K-5 Early Intervention to the Department
11 of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Prevention and Behavioral Health Services, Prevention/Early
12 Intervention (37-04-20) for prevention components administered by the Department of Services for Children, Youth
13 and Their Families and the Department of Education. Funding shall be used to provide early intervention services
14 through the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Family Crisis Therapist Program.
15 Services are intended for grades K-5 and shall address but not be limited to, problems such as Early Onset Conduct
16 Disorder. The Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families may enter into contractual
17 agreements or may employ casual/seasonal personnel to operate the program.

18 **Section 207.** ~~(a)~~ Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$1,725.0 in Targeted Prevention Programs to the
19 Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Prevention and Behavioral Health Services,
20 Prevention/Early Intervention (37-04-20) for the purpose of providing statewide after-school programs focused on
21 youth violence and child suicide prevention. The Secretary of the Department of Services for Children, Youth and
22 Their Families, supported by the Criminal Justice Council, may work with the Department of Education to
23 determine allocation of said funding.

24 ~~(b) Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their~~
25 ~~Families, Prevention and Behavioral Health Services, Prevention/Early Intervention (37-04-20) in Middle School~~
26 ~~Behavioral Health Consultants for in-school behavioral health services. Of this amount, \$45.0 shall be allocated to~~
27 ~~the Mental Health Association for related consultation services. An annual report shall be submitted by the Mental~~
28 ~~Health Association to the Joint Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the~~

1 ~~Controller General by May 1 of each year, which will include, but not be limited to, the number of clients served~~
2 ~~and related expenditures.~~

3 **Section 208.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to the Department of Services for Children,
4 Youth and Their Families, Youth Rehabilitative Services, Community Services (37-05-30). Of these funds, \$50.0
5 may be used, if necessary, for contractual services or to otherwise support statewide availability of the Juvenile
6 Offender Civil Citation Program.

7 **Section 209.** As a means of monitoring and continuing to improve the expenditure of casual/seasonal and
8 overtime in the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Youth Rehabilitative Services,
9 Secure Care (37-05-50), the Secretary of the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families shall
10 file a quarterly report with the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General on the
11 status of all Youth Rehabilitative Services operated facilities. The report shall include, but not be limited to,
12 casual/seasonal and overtime expenditures, leave usage, staffing vacancies, budgetary expenditures, population
13 statistics and incident reports at the Ferris School, Residential Cottages, New Castle County Detention Center and
14 Stevenson House. The report should reflect all actions (including disciplinary) being taken to expeditiously correct
15 the noted problem areas.

16 **Section 210.** Funds which are appropriated for foster care of children in Section 1 of this Act in the
17 Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families, Family Services (37-06-00), are made available
18 with the goal of limiting the number of children who remain in foster care for more than two years to 270. The 1997
19 Adoption and Safe Families Act (ASFA) codified reasonable exceptions for cases where youth may need to remain
20 in foster care for extended periods of time through proper planning. ASFA also allows for Alternative Planned
21 Permanency Living Arrangement designation, which allows more youth to enter long-term foster care placements.
22 The department shall file an annual report of the number of youth in foster care to the Director of the Office of
23 Management and Budget and the Controller General by October 1 of each year.

24 **Section 211.** In addition to the positions authorized in Section 1 of this Act for Department of Services for
25 Children, Youth and Their Families, Family Services, Intake/Investigation (37-06-30) and Intervention/Treatment
26 (37-06-40), the Director of the Office of Management and Budget may authorize additional training positions for
27 the purpose of training investigative and treatment workers.

1 **Section 212.** If the quarterly average daily population at the New Castle County Detention Center is below
2 114, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General may reduce the number of
3 casual/seasonal or full-time positions through attrition.

4 **Section 213.** Section 1 of this Act provides appropriations to Department of Services for Children, Youth
5 and Their Families, Division of Family Services (37-06-00). Of this amount, \$285.0 shall be used for the
6 development of Plans of Safe Care for infants with prenatal substance exposure. These funds shall be used to
7 support 4.5 contracted staff responsible for the completion of the plans.

8 **Section 214.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Department of Services for
9 Children, Youth and Their Families, Family Services, Intake/Investigation (37-06-30) has the authority to establish
10 up to 50.0 FTEs to achieve statutory child welfare investigation and treatment caseload compliance with the
11 approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

1 **CORRECTION**

2 **Section 215.** Section 1 of this Act includes 20.0 FTEs in the Department of Correction, Prisons, Steven R.
3 Floyd Sr. Training Academy (38-04-12) for the purposes of training classes. The department will use the salary
4 savings realized throughout the year to fund these positions. ~~The Director of the Office of Management and Budget~~
5 ~~may authorize additional recruit positions accordingly.~~ In the event that a training class would require additional
6 recruits, the department may request new positions that will be funded by a structural change from existing
7 appropriations within the department. Any new positions and funding changes must be approved by the Director of
8 the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

9 **Section 216.** The Department of Correction is authorized to contract for the procurement of health care
10 services to the department’s incarcerated population. For the current fiscal year, the provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69
11 shall not apply to such contracts when there is an emergency thereby warranting it with the approval of the Director
12 of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

13 **Section 217.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$110.1 to the Department of Correction, Prisons, James T.
14 Vaughn Correctional Center (38-04-03) for the Prison Arts Program. It is the intent of the General Assembly that
15 this funding is used to support programs that bring the arts into the state’s correctional institutions and facilities.
16 The department shall submit to the Office of Management and Budget, the Office of the Controller General, the
17 Chair of the Senate Corrections & Public Safety Committee, and the Chair of the House Corrections Committee a
18 proposed current year spending plan and a report of prior year expenditures by August 31 of each year.

19 **Section 218.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Correction, Prisons,
20 Bureau Chief - Prisons (38-04-01) for ~~Contractual Services~~ Supplies and Materials. Of this amount, \$31.0 shall be
21 used for the purpose of collecting DNA samples.

22 **Section 219.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation for Personnel Costs to the Department of
23 Correction, Prisons, James T. Vaughn Correctional Center (38-04-03). Included in this appropriation is 1.0 FTE and
24 associated funding to allow the department to oversee a program to manufacture reading materials in Braille for the
25 visually impaired.

26 **Section 220.** (a) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation of ~~\$8,645.5~~ \$8,689.8 to the Department of
27 Correction, Healthcare, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services, Medical Treatment and Services (38-02-01)
28 for Drug and Alcohol Treatment. Funds described in this section are intended to support drug and alcohol treatment

1 programs provided by the department to individuals in its custody or under its supervision. The administration of
2 these contracts shall be the responsibility of the Commissioner of Correction or the designee.

3 (b) On or before August 1 of each fiscal year, the department is to submit a plan on how these funds will
4 be spent during the fiscal year. This plan shall be submitted for approval to the Director of the Office of
5 Management and Budget and the Controller General.

6 (c) The Commissioner of Correction and the Secretary of the Department of Health and Social Services or
7 their designees shall jointly participate in developing the appropriate requests for proposals for contract services to
8 provide behavioral health services to include mental health and substance use disorder treatment. Providers of
9 behavioral and mental health services and providers of substance use disorder treatment shall be permitted to bid on
10 such services jointly or separately, but the Department of Correction shall evaluate proposals for such services
11 separately and independently. All selected contract providers shall report on a regular basis to the Department of
12 Correction on all follow-up regarding referrals and services provided to the offender population.

13 **Section 221.** (a) Of the total FTEs authorized in Section 1 of this Act for the Department of Correction,
14 the following shall be used to continue the existing highway beautification projects: Community Corrections, Kent
15 County Community Corrections (38-06-08) - at least 3.0 FTEs; Community Corrections, Sussex County
16 Community Corrections (38-06-07) - at least 3.0 FTEs; Community Corrections, Hazel D. Plant Women's
17 Treatment Facility (38-06-13) - at least 1.0 FTE; and Community Corrections, Plummer Community Corrections
18 Center (38-06-14) - at least 1.0 FTE.

19 (b) Section 1 of this Act also makes an appropriation for Contractual Services to the Department of
20 Correction, Community Corrections, Kent County Community Corrections (38-06-08).

21 **Section 222.** (a) The Department of Correction, Administration, Office of the Commissioner (38-01-01)
22 shall maintain an overtime expenditure report and shall provide such report quarterly to the Director of the Office of
23 Management and Budget and the Controller General. The report shall include the number of overtime hours worked
24 and the amount of overtime salary expended by each agency within the department and shall include a breakdown
25 of the reason for overtime.

26 (b) The Department of Correction shall work in conjunction with the Controller General and the Director
27 of the Office of Management and Budget on staffing analyses that are currently taking place within the department.
28 These analyses will provide necessary staffing levels according to National Institute on Corrections standards and
29 will be performed by the institution in an attempt to address existing overtime concerns.

1 **Section 223.** Prison education services shall be provided by utilizing existing teachers that are in the
2 Department of Correction, as well as authorized teaching FTEs in the Department of Education, Pass Through and
3 Other Support Programs, Special Needs Programs (95-03-20). The management of all educational positions shall be
4 provided by the Department of Education. Department of Correction teachers shall have the opportunity each year
5 to notify both agencies of their intent to transfer to the Department of Education. Such notification shall be made by
6 April 15 of each year to become effective July 1 of that calendar year. Any position transfer made pursuant to this
7 section shall be permanent.

8 If a remaining Department of Correction teacher applies for and is accepted into an authorized position in
9 the Department of Education, the position and associated funding shall be transferred to the Department of
10 Education for the operation of prison education services. If a remaining Department of Correction teacher position
11 becomes otherwise vacant, the position and associated funding shall be transferred to the Department of Education
12 for the operation of prison education services. In the event the Director of the Office of Management and Budget
13 proposes or implements position attrition or complement reduction initiative, the Director shall clearly indicate to
14 the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee when positions outlined in this section are included in the said
15 initiative(s).

16 **Section 224.** The Department of Correction, Community Corrections, Probation and Parole (38-06-02)
17 shall provide 24/7 supervision of Community Correction's offenders. The department shall determine the number of
18 employees needed on duty throughout each 24-hour period and arrange staff coverage accordingly. At no time shall
19 the ratio of Probation Officer Is to other staff exceed 50 percent during nighttime and weekend hours.

20 **Section 225.** The Merit Rules notwithstanding, Department of Correction employees designated as
21 Correctional Emergency Response Team members, as well as the Correctional Security Superintendent/Chief of
22 Security and Inspections (BP# 61023) in Prisons, Special Operations (38-04-08) shall be eligible for standby pay
23 regardless of their classification. In addition, the Correctional Emergency Response Team employees in FLSA
24 exempt positions shall be eligible for straight-time overtime pay for activation requiring them to work beyond their
25 respective work schedules. Activations are defined as time periods in which team members are called into service to
26 meet critical operational needs as directed by the Warden of Special Operations or a higher authority.

27 **Section 226.** The Department of Correction is hereby authorized to review the current security status
28 classification of its facilities and submit a report including, but not limited to, any proposed security level changes
29 deemed necessary and appropriate to accommodate the needs of the department. Such report shall be submitted to

1 the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General no later than January 1 of each
2 fiscal year. If no such security level changes are proposed, no report shall be submitted by the Department of
3 Correction. No change shall be made to the security status of the facility without the prior approval of the Director
4 of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

5 **Section 227.** (a) Section 1 of this Act appropriates ~~\$91,170.4~~ \$91,298.2 to the Department of Correction,
6 Healthcare, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services, Medical Treatment and Services (38-02-01). The
7 Department of Correction shall provide quarterly reports relating to medical vendor performance to the Co-Chairs
8 of the Joint Finance Committee, the Chairs of the House and Senate Correction Committees, the Controller General
9 and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget. Reports shall include, but not be limited to, medical
10 staffing levels, overall performance and plans for improvement.

11 (b) The Department of Correction shall provide a bi-annual report to the members of the Joint Finance
12 Committee, the Controller General and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget relating to the
13 diagnoses and number of individuals receiving medical treatment by the Department and the average cost of
14 pharmaceuticals associated with these various diagnoses. This report shall also include the number of outside
15 consultant visits, as well as the costs for outside hospital stays lasting longer than 24 hours. The department shall
16 follow all HIPAA rules that apply, with all data stripping to be done as necessary. These reports shall be due by
17 August 31 and January 31 of each fiscal year.

18 **Section 228.** Department of Correction Staff Lieutenants (MBDB05), Correctional Captains (MBDB06),
19 Correctional Officer Youth Rehab Food Service Director I (MCBC05) and Correctional Youth Rehab Food Service
20 Director II (MCBC06) not covered by the FLSA are entitled to receive compensation at their regular rate of pay for
21 all approved overtime services beyond the standard work week of 40 hours.

22 **Section 229.** Pursuant to 11 Del. C. c. 65 Subchapter VI, the Department of Correction is authorized to
23 expand Delaware Correctional Industries programs in Level IV and Level V facilities, should revenue be sufficient,
24 including a financial plan demonstrating a sustainable, self-funded operation. Upon approval by the Director of the
25 Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General, the Secretary of the Department of Human
26 Resources is authorized to increase the Department of Correction's ASF personnel complement to expand said
27 programs.

28 **Section 230.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary and in order to meet critical
29 workforce needs, the Department of Correction has the authority with the concurrence of the Director of the Office

1 of Management and Budget, the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources and the Controller General to
2 reallocate and use vacant correctional officer positions to meet immediate internal operational needs of the
3 department including, but not limited to, Staff Training Relief Officers, Court and Security Transportation,
4 maintaining an Intelligence Operations Center and pre-trial supervision staffing. Further, if the use of the vacant
5 correctional officer positions results in correctional officer vacancies below the expected recruits for the fiscal year,
6 the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General have the authority to establish
7 correctional officer positions to backfill the vacant positions used to address immediate operational needs.

8 **Section 231.** (a) The Merit Rules notwithstanding, Department of Correction employees designated as
9 Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Team Members and respond and who are not covered under the Fair
10 Labor Standards Act shall be entitled to receive compensation at their straight time rate of pay for all approved
11 overtime services beyond their standard work week.

12 (b) Merit Rules 4.16 and 4.17 notwithstanding, employees designated as CISM Team Members shall be
13 eligible for standby and call back pay when activated, regardless of their classification.

14 **Section 232.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$70.0 to the Department of Correction, Community
15 Corrections, Plummer Community Corrections Center (38-06-14) for the purposes of maintenance costs at
16 Riverview Cemetery. These funds may be expended on associated overtime costs, necessary equipment, equipment
17 maintenance, or other related expenses associated with Riverview Cemetery.

18 **Section 233.** The Commissioner of the Department of Correction shall provide an annual report, on or by
19 August 1, to the members of the Joint Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget,
20 and the Controller General relating to the status and timeline of addressing any salary compression for DOC
21 supervisor and manager affected job classes resulting from recent collective bargaining agreements of subordinate
22 employees.

23 **Section 234.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$53.0 in Personnel Costs, \$28.4 in
24 Contractual Services, \$0.5 in Supplies and Materials, and 1.0 FTE position to the Department of Correction,
25 Administration, Human Resources (38-01-02). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the passage
26 of Senate Substitute 1 for Senate Bill 164 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly.

1 **NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL**

2 **Section 235.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates 1.0 ASF FTE Enforcement Coordinator position, which
3 shall be exempt from the Merit System, to the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, Office
4 of the Secretary, Community Affairs (40-01-03) to be funded through expenses incurred and recovered by the
5 department related to processing of administrative enforcement actions under 7 Del. C. c. 60. Violators shall be
6 liable for the following expenses of the investigation incurred by the State after the notice of violation is issued:
7 direct costs of the investigation; legal assistance including paralegal assistance; public hearings; all other costs
8 expressly determined by the Secretary as reasonably related to the investigation of the incident; and the indirect
9 costs related to all of the above.

10 **Section 236.** The Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, Office of Natural
11 Resources, Division of Fish and Wildlife (40-03-03) is authorized to expend funds carried forward from the sale of
12 boat registration fees, effective Fiscal Year 2000 and thereafter, for the purpose of supporting fisheries programs
13 and marine enforcement.

14 **Section 237.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 7 Del. C. § 6042(c), Section 1 of this Act appropriates 0.5
15 ASF FTE Ombudsperson to the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, Office of the
16 Secretary, Community Affairs (40-01-03) to be funded through the Community Environmental Project Fund.

17 **Section 238.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Natural Resources and
18 Environmental Control, Office of Natural Resources, Division of Watershed Stewardship (40-03-04) for
19 Contractual Services. Of that amount, \$180.0 shall be used for additional field staff personnel for the preparation of
20 nutrient management plans.

21 **Section 239.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Natural Resources and
22 Environmental Control, Office of Environmental Protection, Division of Water (40-04-03). Of that amount, \$1.0
23 shall be set aside for the Environmental Science Scholarship program.

24 **Section 240.** The General Assembly herein acknowledges that certain programs within the department are
25 funded all or in part by fee-based revenues. The Secretary shall perform a review of fees assessed and collected by
26 the department to determine the revenue sufficiency of the fees and programs they support and a report shall be
27 submitted to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General ~~when a major fee~~
28 increase is proposed by the Secretary on January 1, 2025 and every two years thereafter.

1 The review shall identify program elements that are funded through fees and other sources and shall
2 include an evaluation of effectiveness and efficiency. The review may include, but is not limited to, identification of
3 operational changes that improve efficiency and effectiveness of operations and reduce costs. The Secretary shall
4 appoint a peer review team consisting of individuals familiar with the program under review and provide them an
5 opportunity for comment on the department's findings.

6 Any changes in fees that require the approval of the General Assembly shall be submitted by the
7 department as part of the annual budgetary process.

8 **Section 241.** The Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control shall submit an annual
9 report on the Weatherization Assistance Program to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the
10 Controller General on or before June 15. The report shall provide a synopsis of year to date activity, planned
11 activity for the remainder of the fiscal year, proposed activity for the next fiscal year and an assessment of the
12 program to date. Activity shall include an itemized list of funding received, total expenditures for each funding
13 source, eligibility compliance and the number of units completed from each funding source. Program assessment
14 shall include the percentage of completed units monitored, subgrantee evaluations (i.e. number of contractors,
15 contractor procurement methods, training administered, documentation retained as required and general contract
16 compliance), estimated energy savings for units completed and reporting metrics as required by the U.S.
17 Department of Energy.

18 **Section 242.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to Tire Clean-Up in the Department of Natural
19 Resources and Environmental Control, Office of Environmental Protection, Division of Waste and Hazardous
20 Substances (40-04-04). These funds are to be used per 7 Del. C. § 6041(c) to pay 90 percent of the cost of cleaning
21 up scrap tire piles that were in existence on June 30, 2006. The department may also use this funding for county,
22 municipal or community group initiatives to address illegally dumped tires. The department shall establish a
23 process for notification and award of such funds.

24 **Section 243.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Code to the contrary, the Department
25 of Natural Resources and Environmental Control, Office of Environmental Protection, Waste and Hazardous
26 Substances (40-04-04) is authorized to utilize up to ~~\$292.1~~ \$800.0 ASF from the Scrap Tire Management Fund for
27 costs associated with the Solid Waste Program.

1 **Section 244.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Natural Resources and
2 Environmental Control, Division of Fish and Wildlife (40-03-03). Of that amount, \$25.0 and \$5.0 ASF shall be set
3 aside for the Delaware Native Species Commission.

4 **Section 245.** Consistent with the exemption in 9 Del. C. § 8112 regarding county lodging taxes, rentals by
5 the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control are exempt from any lodging tax established by a
6 municipality.

7 **Section 246.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to the Department of Natural Resources and
8 Environmental Control, Office of the Secretary (40-01-01) for an Internship Program. The department, in
9 consultation with the Department of Human Resources, will develop an internship pilot program that will provide
10 work experience and valuable training for qualified students and graduates. A report on the development of the pilot
11 program and results shall be submitted to the Secretary of the Department of Human Resources, the Controller
12 General and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget no later than September 1.

13 **Section 247.** The Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control shall provide a quarterly
14 report to the members of the Joint Finance Committee and the Controller General on the status of the per-and
15 polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) settlement agreement and associated funding. The report shall include details on
16 the progress of the PFAS steering committee, the anticipated expenditures of the PFAS settlement funds, a listing of
17 the expenditures already incurred, and the available balance.

1 **SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY**

2 **Section 248.** (a) The Department of Safety and Homeland Security is hereby authorized to continue
3 funding its share of the existing ~~44~~ 48 patrol officers that have been established through agreements between State
4 Police (45-06-00) and Sussex County Council.

5 (b) In Section 1 of this Act, ASF spending authority has been provided to the Department of Safety and
6 Homeland Security, State Police, Patrol (45-06-03) in order to accommodate the match requirements (50/50 match)
7 stipulated by these agreements. In the event that the aforementioned agreements between State Police and Sussex
8 County Council are terminated, this authority shall be deauthorized.

9 (c) Section 1 of this Act provides additional spending authority for 1.0 ASF patrol officer FTE and 1.0
10 patrol officer FTE for the purpose of ~~a renegotiated mutually agreeable~~ an amendment to the Memorandum of
11 Understanding (MOU) between Sussex County Council and the Delaware State Police. It is anticipated that a total
12 of 3.0 ASF patrol officer FTEs and 3.0 patrol officer FTEs will be phased in over the next three fiscal years (Fiscal
13 Year 2024 through Fiscal Year 2026) in which Sussex County Council will provide funding for the ASF FTEs and
14 the State will provide matching funding for the remaining FTEs. If the renegotiation does not materialize, or become
15 executed within the next fiscal year, this authority shall be deauthorized. It is the intent of the General Assembly that
16 a total of 3.0 ASF patrol officer FTEs and 3.0 patrol officer FTEs will be phased in between Fiscal Year 2024
17 through Fiscal Year 2026, in which Sussex County Council will provide funding for the 3.0 ASF FTEs and the State
18 will provide matching funding for 3.0 FTEs. In the event that the amendment to the MOU is terminated, this
19 authority shall be deauthorized.

20 **Section 249.** State Police receives funds resulting from drug and other seizure activities. If the seizure is
21 defined as being under federal jurisdiction, then the funds flow to the Department of Safety and Homeland Security,
22 State Police, Executive (45-06-01) as NSF. The division shall submit a plan for the expenditure of these funds to the
23 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General. This plan shall be updated quarterly.
24 A quarterly report as to the expenditure of such funds and to the respective projects shall be submitted to the
25 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

26 **Section 250.** Section 1 of this Act includes 20 positions in the Department of Safety and Homeland
27 Security, State Police, Patrol (45-06-03) for the purpose of training State Police recruits. Funding is authorized for
28 initial use of these positions to accommodate an anticipated graduating class of 20 troopers. The Director of the
29 Office of Management and Budget may authorize additional recruit positions accordingly.

1 **Section 251.** Notwithstanding 29 Del. C. c. 63 and c. 69 or any other statutory provision to the contrary,
2 the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, State Police (45-06-00) is authorized to enter into agreements
3 with private telecommunications companies to use space for communication facilities on the telecommunications
4 tower under State Police administration. The revenues paid to the State Police under these agreements shall be
5 designated for use in support of mobile data computing telecommunications infrastructure cost.

6 **Section 252.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates Personnel Costs and 2.0 FTEs for Traffic Light
7 Enforcement in the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, State Police, Traffic (45-06-07). The source of
8 the funding shall be from revenues generated as a result of the Red Light Enforcement Safety Program within the
9 Department of Transportation.

10 **Section 253.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$20.0 in Contractual Services to the Department of Safety
11 and Homeland Security, Office of the Secretary, Developmental Disabilities Council (45-01-50) for the Partners in
12 Policymaking program.

13 **Section 254.** Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 5.0 ASF FTEs, \$58.6 ASF in Contractual
14 Services and \$50.3 ASF in Supplies and Materials in the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, State
15 Police, Traffic (45-06-07) for the personnel and operating costs associated with the Truck Enforcement Unit (TEU)
16 to be funded through the Department of Transportation. Any additional enhancements that are made to the TEU to
17 remain in compliance with Title 23, Code of Federal Regulations Part 657, shall occur through the annual budgetary
18 process.

19 **Section 255.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 16 Del. C. § 10104, the Department of Safety and
20 Homeland Security shall disburse funds from the E-911 Emergency Reporting System Fund to cover rent
21 obligations at statewide 911 answering points. An annual report on the E-911 Emergency Reporting System Fund
22 shall be submitted to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General no later than
23 October 15 of each year identifying prior year revenue and expenditures, and forecasted revenue and expenditures
24 for the current and upcoming three fiscal years.

25 **Section 256.** Section 1 of this Act includes \$40.0 ASF in Supplies and Materials in Department of Safety
26 and Homeland Security, State Police, Training (45-06-09) for the purpose of recovering costs associated with
27 providing meals to recruits at the State Police Academy.

1 **Section 257.** Section 1 of this Act includes \$160.0 ASF in Personnel Costs in Department of Safety and
2 Homeland Security, State Police, Patrol (45-06-03) for the purpose of recovering costs associated with providing
3 patrol services at the State Fair.

4 **Section 258.** (a) Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 2.0 ASF FTEs Forensic Chemist in the
5 Department of Safety and Homeland Security, State Police, Criminal Investigation (45-06-04). These positions shall
6 be funded using revenue generated by DUI conviction fees.

7 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code to the contrary, the first ~~\$155.4~~ \$181.0 generated
8 by the State for DUI fine revenue in accordance with 21 Del. C. c. 41 shall be deposited into an ASF account in
9 State Police, Criminal Investigation and be used to pay for the Personnel Costs associated with the 2.0 ASF FTEs
10 Forensic Chemist. Any additional DUI fine revenue generated shall be deposited to the General Fund.

11 **Section 259.** Section 1 of this Act includes Personnel Costs and 2.0 ASF FTEs Sex Offender Registry
12 Agent in the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, State Police, State Bureau of Identification (45-06-08).
13 These positions shall be funded using revenue from a Sex Offender Registry Fee.

14 **Section 260.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates 2.0 FTEs and associated funding to the Department of
15 Safety and Homeland Security, State Police (45-06-00) and 1.0 FTE and associated funding to the Division of
16 Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement (45-04-10) to support enhanced firearms investigations. The Division of Alcohol
17 and Tobacco Enforcement will assist the State Police with oversight of crimes related to firearms transactions.

18 **Section 261.** (a) Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code to the contrary, Section 1 of this Act
19 provides an appropriation of \$2,125.0 ASF in the Department of Safety and Homeland Security, Office of the
20 Secretary, Administration (45-01-01) for the Fund to Combat Violent Crimes - State Police to assist with initiatives
21 to combat violent crime. Of this appropriation, \$70.0 ASF is to be utilized for the annual replacement of ballistic
22 vests and \$180.0 ASF is to be utilized for annual vehicle replacements. It is the intent of the General Assembly that
23 should funds become available, said expenses shall be paid through the General Fund.

24 (b) Upon approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General, the
25 Secretary of the Department of Human Resources is authorized to increase the Delaware State Police ASF personnel
26 complement to establish a dedicated Special Operations Response Team, to be funded by the Fund to Combat
27 Violent Crimes - State Police. The ASF authority and revenue collected for the said fund may be ~~amended~~ increased
28 by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General up to an amount sufficient to
29 cover the personnel and operating costs of the Special Operations Response Team.

1 **Section 262.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$94.0 in Personnel Costs and 1.0 FTE
2 position to Department of Safety and Homeland Security, Division of Alcohol and Tobacco Enforcement (45-04-
3 10). The expenditure of these funds shall be contingent upon the passage of Senate Bill 166 or similar legislation of
4 the 152nd General Assembly.

1 **TRANSPORTATION**

2 **Section 263.** The Delaware Transportation Authority budget, as set forth in memorandum form in Section
3 1 of this Act, shall be expended in accordance with the following limitations:

4 (a) Debt Service estimates are for current project financing as authorized by 2 Del. C. c. 13;

5 ~~(b) Funds provided for Newark Transportation are intended to cover the expenses of the public~~
6 ~~transportation system operated by the City of Newark. The funds may be used to provide up to 100 percent of the~~
7 ~~total operating cost of the system during the year;~~

8 ~~(b)~~ (b) Funds provided for Kent and Sussex Transportation “E & D” are intended for continuation of
9 transportation service for persons who are elderly or have a disability in Kent and Sussex Counties. It is intended
10 that management and direction of the service will reside with the Delaware Transit Corporation which may contract
11 for services as they see fit, and that Kent County and Sussex County governments will review and approve
12 allocation of the service levels within each county. Final allocations from this appropriation will be approved by the
13 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

14 ~~(c)~~ (c) Funds provided for Kent and Sussex Transportation “E & D” include funding for the Sussex
15 County Reimbursable Program. To improve the operation of this program, the following provisions shall be
16 implemented:

- 17 (1) Sussex County Council, on behalf of the eligible transportation providers, shall submit annual
18 operating budget requests to the Delaware Transit Corporation by September 1 of each year; and
19 (2) Delaware Transit Corporation shall by May 1 distribute proposed contracts to each of the eligible
20 transportation providers for transportation services commencing the ensuing July 1. Said
21 contracts shall be subject to an annual appropriation for such purpose.

22 ~~(d)~~ (d) It is intended that funds for Taxi Services Support “E & D” will be maintained at least at the same
23 service level as in the previous year. It is intended that management and direction of these services shall reside with
24 the Delaware Transit Corporation who may contract for this service as required;

25 ~~(e)~~ (e) Funds of the Delaware Transit Corporation may not be provided as aids to local governments for
26 transportation systems which restrict passengers because of residential requirements. Nothing in this section is
27 meant to require that governments must operate these transportation systems outside their political boundaries; and

28 ~~(f)~~ (f) Funds provided for Transit Operations are intended to include funding to allow the Delaware
29 Transit Corporation or a private contractor to:

- 1 (1) Continue to provide the present level of service to dialysis patients on normal service days during
2 the hours offered in New Castle County by the Delaware Transit Corporation to the extent that
3 such service does not place the Delaware Transit Corporation in violation of the federal
4 Americans with Disabilities Act; and
- 5 (2) Provide service to dialysis patients in Kent and Sussex Counties during hours identical to those
6 offered in New Castle County.

7 **Section 264.** The Department of Transportation and/or its E-ZPass contractor is prohibited from monitoring
8 the speed of motor vehicles through E-ZPass toll booths for the purpose of issuing traffic citations or the suspension
9 of E-ZPass privileges. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the State Police from enforcing traffic laws including
10 speed enforcement at the E-ZPass toll booths.

11 **Section 265.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Transportation, Maintenance
12 and Operations, Maintenance Districts (55-04-70) in the amount of \$10,000.0 TFO in Snow/Storm Contingency that
13 will provide for the expenses of weather/emergency operations. Notwithstanding any other provision of the law to
14 the contrary, ~~any sums in this account not expended by the end of a fiscal year shall be carried over for use in future~~
15 ~~fiscal years, with appropriate transfers to current fiscal year accounts.~~ at the end of each fiscal year, the department
16 shall carryover up to \$10,000.0 TFO for use in future fiscal years. Any unexpended sums in excess of \$10,000.0
17 TFO shall be transferred to Prior Year Operations (55-01-02-93082). The department shall be allowed to transfer
18 funds from this account to divisions on an as-needed basis for expenditures incurred. The department may also
19 transfer funds to municipalities and other qualified entities to reimburse them pursuant to contracts entered into by
20 the department and the municipality to keep transit routes open during snow and storm emergencies. The transfer of
21 funds from this account shall not require the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget or
22 the Controller General. The department shall provide quarterly reports each fiscal year to the Director of the Office
23 of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

24 **Section 266.** During the fiscal year, the Department of Transportation shall be prohibited from changing
25 its departmental policy regarding access pipe installation on private homeowner entrances. Specifically, the
26 department shall not charge said homeowners for the labor costs associated with the installation of the access pipe.

27 **Section 267.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 17 Del. C. or any regulation to the contrary, the
28 Department of Transportation shall permit an existing church, school, fire department, or veterans post sign, located
29 on the premises of such church, school, fire department, or veterans post, presently located within 25 feet of the

1 right-of-way line of any public highway to be replaced with a variable message sign or new fixed outdoor
2 advertising display, device or sign structure of equal or smaller dimension than the existing sign, sign structure,
3 display or device, relating to the activities conducted on such property.

4 **Section 268.** All continuing appropriations being transferred to the account entitled Prior Year Operations
5 (55-01-02-93082) shall not be expended without the prior approval of the Director of the Office of Management and
6 Budget and the Controller General.

7 **Section 269.** (a) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation in Personnel Costs to Department of
8 Transportation, Maintenance and Operations, Maintenance Districts (55-04-70). ~~Of this amount, \$182.9 TFO and~~
9 ~~6.0 to include funding a minimum of 3.0 casual/seasonal positions and 3.0 FTEs shall be used for~~ at the Smyrna
10 Rest Stop. With these positions, the department shall provide, at minimum, 12-hour coverage staffing of the Visitor
11 Center front desk daily. Staffing of the Visitor Center for peak season hours shall be determined by the department.

12 (b) The Department of Transportation shall provide the Director of the Office of Management and Budget
13 and the Controller General with an annual report on utilization of the Visitor Center.

14 **Section 270.** Beginning in Fiscal Year 2013, provisions of 30 Del. C. § 2051-2057 shall be suspended.

15 **Section 271.** For back charge purposes, the Department of Transportation, Facilities Management Section
16 (host department) (55-02-01) may request payment from state agencies that occupy Department of Transportation
17 facilities for maintenance costs where maintenance is the responsibility of the host department. Back charges are
18 allowed according each agency's pro-rated occupancy within host department facilities, subject to the approval of
19 the Director of Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

1 **LABOR**

2 **Section 272.** (a) Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$625.0 in Department of Labor,
3 Employment and Training, Employment and Training Services (60-09-20) for the Summer Youth Program to
4 operate a program commencing July 1. The budget will take into consideration the funds required to commence the
5 program at the end of the current fiscal year, on or about June 15. Allocations made from this appropriation shall be
6 determined through an application process established by the department. ~~This sum is to be allocated in the~~
7 ~~following manner:~~

- 8 ~~———— New Castle County (outside the City of Wilmington) \$111.1~~
- 9 ~~———— City of Wilmington ———— 342.1~~
- 10 ~~———— Kent County ———— 85.9~~
- 11 ~~———— Sussex County ———— 85.9~~

12 (b) ~~In each of the political subdivisions wherein funds have been appropriated,~~ In allocations made for this
13 program, no more than 10 percent shall be expended for administrative purposes including staff, equipment,
14 supplies and mileage to support the program. A record of all expenses with funds herein appropriated shall be kept
15 by the sponsoring agent. At the conclusion of the program the Department of Labor has the authority to request any
16 unused supplies purchased.

17 (c) The Department of Labor is encouraged to implement summer youth programming in coordination
18 with community-based partners to meet the needs of local employers as well as the needs of low-income youth.
19 Youth shall receive a meaningful work experience that provides them the opportunity to learn positive youth
20 behaviors, gain skills, and earn wages over the summer months. The Department of Labor is encouraged to link
21 educational and career exploration activities to summer experiences when possible.

22 (d) Funding appropriated by this section may not be used to employ youth within jobs whose sole
23 responsibility is participating in recreational programming.

24 **Section 273.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$560.7 in Supported Employment to the Department of
25 Labor, Vocational Rehabilitation, Vocational Rehabilitation Services (60-08-10) for the purpose of securing
26 employment opportunities for individuals with significant disabilities. Notwithstanding 19 Del. C. c. 10, funds may
27 be used to provide supported employment requiring ongoing work-related support services for individuals with the
28 most significant disabilities. Supported employment shall be defined as competitive employment in an integrated

1 setting or employment in integrated work settings in which individuals are working toward competitive
2 employment.

3 **Section 274.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$630.0 in Workforce Development to the Department of
4 Labor, Employment and Training, Employment and Training Services (60-09-20), to promote and support
5 employers with workforce training needs. Such needs may include the following: assisting trainers with preparing
6 and implementing training programs, targeting new populations, and using innovative training methods and various
7 forms of experiential learning as a workforce development tool. The Department of Labor shall have authority to
8 utilize these funds to award grants or to enter into contracts for this purpose. The Department of Labor may utilize
9 public-private partnerships with other agencies and entities including, but not limited to, Delaware Technical
10 Community College, the Delaware Manufacturing Association and the Delaware Manufacturing Extension
11 Partnership. The program will provide a variety of resources including, but not limited to, hands-on-training,
12 certificate completion, mentoring and college credit in various occupational fields such as mechanics and
13 manufacturing.

14 **Section 275.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to Department of Labor, Employment and Training,
15 Employment and Training Services (60-09-20). Of these appropriations, 3.0 FTEs and associated personnel costs
16 shall be used to support the State of Delaware's Apprenticeship and Training program.

17 **Section 276.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$500.0 to Department of Labor, Employment and
18 Training, Employment and Training Services (60-09-20) (DET), for creation of the Learning for Careers Program
19 (the Program). The Program's funds shall be used by the Delaware Workforce Development Board (Board) to
20 engage employer groups, chambers, and associations in creating paid work experiences for youth. The purpose of
21 the Program is to expand employer participation in student education, training, and employment programs that lead
22 to an increase in the number of youth served through summer youth employment or other DOL funded programs,
23 post-secondary work-based learning and/or clinical/experimental learning programs, internships, apprenticeships, or
24 other types of cooperative education programs. ~~expand employer participation in youth employment programs in~~
25 ~~addition to increasing the number of youth served through summer youth employment programs, secondary school~~
26 ~~work based learning and co-operative education programs, and postsecondary work based learning and~~
27 ~~clinical/experiential learning programs.~~

28 The Board is authorized to enter into contracts through a competitive process or by issuing grants to
29 employer association, employer chamber, employer group, or state agency acting on behalf of a group of employers.

1 The funds for the Program will be administered by DET in coordination with the Department of Education. ~~through~~
2 ~~a competitive process administered under the Board to award the Program funds to applicants. The Board shall also~~
3 ~~be authorized to accept private donations and federal funding to support the Program. The Board is authorized to~~
4 ~~grant awards or enter into contracts with an employer association, employer chamber, employer group, or state~~
5 ~~agency acting on behalf of a group of employers.~~

6 The Board, with the consent of the Secretary of Education or designee and the Secretary of Labor or
7 designee, may adopt implementing rules or regulations. The application for the award of funds under this Program
8 and any rules or regulations adopted pursuant to this Section shall be available on the Board's website.

9 By the end of each fiscal year, the Board must report to the General Assembly summary data on the awards
10 granted.

1 **AGRICULTURE**

2 **Section 277.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to the Department of Agriculture,
3 Administration (65-01-01) of \$497.2 in Poultry Health Surveillance for Poultry Disease Research and the Diagnostic
4 Poultry Program at the University of Delaware. The intent of said funding is to leverage the university’s diagnostic
5 capability and conduct essential research to reduce poultry disease impacts and develop new disease control
6 strategies as well as to allow the university to respond to ongoing poultry health issues and evaluate new poultry
7 health products for Delaware’s poultry industry.

8 **Section 278.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation of \$541.5 ASF to the Department of
9 Agriculture, Agricultural Lands Preservation Foundation (65-01-13) to be funded from the dedicated revenue source
10 for Farmland Preservation. The foundation shall not operate any accounts outside of the state accounting system.

11 **Section 279.** The Department of Agriculture may use up to \$100.0 ASF annually from state forest timber
12 sales for the following programs:

13 (a) \$25.0 ASF shall be used for marketing and promoting Delaware’s agricultural and forestry products
14 and commodities; and

15 (b) \$75.0 ASF shall be used for forestry cost share programs. The allocation of these funds, and the
16 determination of qualifying projects, shall be determined by the State Forester, provided the funds are
17 allocated to supplement federal Rural Forestry Assistance and Urban Forestry Assistance programs.

18 **Section 280.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Agriculture, Harness Racing
19 Commission (65-01-05) and the Thoroughbred Racing Commission (65-01-10) for fingerprinting. It is the intent of
20 the General Assembly that the Commissions are required to use the State Bureau of Identification for all
21 fingerprinting activities and background investigations per recommendation of the Joint Sunset Committee.

22 **Section 281.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Agriculture, Thoroughbred
23 Racing Commission (65-01-10), and to support it, the State Lottery Office (25-07-01) is authorized to:

24 (a) Deduct up to \$500.0 from the proceeds due to the video lottery agents licensed only to conduct
25 thoroughbred racing in the current fiscal year to pay for expenses associated with conducting
26 thoroughbred racing at their respective racetrack; and

27 (b) Deduct up to \$250.0 from the proceeds, which would otherwise fund purses for thoroughbred racing in
28 the current fiscal year to pay for racing expenses.

1 **Section 282.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Agriculture, Harness Racing
2 Commission (65-01-05), and to support it, the State Lottery Office is authorized to:

3 (a) Deduct up to \$1,035.2 from the proceeds due to the video lottery agents licensed only to conduct
4 harness racing in the current fiscal year to pay for expenses associated with conducting harness racing
5 at their respective racetrack; and

6 (b) Deduct up to \$178.4 from the proceeds, which would otherwise fund purses for harness racing in the
7 current fiscal year to pay for racing expenses.

8 **Section 283.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Agriculture, Administration for Carvel
9 Center/Irrigation (65-01-01). Of this amount, \$80.0 shall be used for irrigation research and programming, and
10 \$180.0 shall be used for field crop research and programming at the Carvel Research and Education Center.

1 **ELECTIONS**

2 **Section 284.** The Department of Elections, upon approval of the State Board of Elections, may establish
3 polling places in which one or more small mandated districts of less than 300 registered voters as of 60 days prior to
4 the date of an election may be administered by the election officers of another election district.

5 These entities shall hereinafter be referred to as "Combined Election Districts." Each election district that
6 is part of a Combined Election District shall have designated voting machine(s), voting machine certificate, poll list,
7 and/or electronic poll book.

8 The respective county office may assign up to two additional clerks for each such mandated district so
9 assigned to a Combined Election District. If the State Board of Elections is unable to meet due to a vacancy, the
10 State Election Commissioner shall approve the establishment of Combined Election Districts within that respective
11 county.

12 **Section 285.** Section 1 of this Act contains an appropriation for Elections, State Election Commissioner
13 (70-01-01), Other Items: Voter Purging, for the purpose of assisting the Department of Elections with its statewide
14 efforts to maintain the voter rolls in an orderly manner.

15 **Section 286.** For purposes of designating and procuring polling places for primary, general and special
16 elections, the respective county office shall pay a rental fee totaling \$300.00 for each facility used, no matter how
17 many election districts are assigned to that facility.

18 **Section 287.** Any state agency, office or department is prohibited from publishing or funding the
19 publication of voter guides.

20 **Section 288.** Based on findings of the 2001 Tax Compliance Audit, specifically those regarding poll
21 worker compensation and deductions, all Department of Elections poll workers shall be compensated through the
22 Payroll Human Resource Statewide Technology system if paid an amount equal to or greater than specified by the
23 State of Delaware Section 218 Agreement during a calendar year. In addition, all appropriate deductions shall be
24 taken from such compensation. All Department of Elections poll workers who are paid under an amount equal to or
25 greater than specified by State of Delaware Section 218 Agreement may be paid through the First State Financials.

26 **Section 289.** Notwithstanding the respective sections of 15 Del. C., the State Election Commissioner may
27 replace the signature cards and poll lists currently used with a revised poll list and/or electronic poll books on which
28 voters would sign beside their personal information. The State Election Commissioner in collaboration with the
29 county offices shall establish policies and procedures for use of the revised poll list and/or electronic poll books.

1 **NATIONAL GUARD**

2 **Section 290.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Delaware National Guard (76-01-01) for
3 Energy. Within this appropriation, sufficient energy funds are included to defray energy expenses of the Lora Little
4 School building that are not directly attributable to occupancy by the Delaware National Guard.

5 **Section 291.** (a) Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Delaware National Guard (76-01-01)
6 for Educational Assistance. The National Guard shall not be required to pay fees.

7 (b) The Delaware National Guard, with the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and
8 Budget and the Controller General, is authorized to use excess educational funds and excess Joint Enlistment
9 Enhancement Program funds to fund recruitment and retention programs.

1 **HIGHER EDUCATION**

2 **Section 292.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation for Operations to Higher Education,
3 University of Delaware (90-01-01) and an appropriation for Operations to Higher Education, University of
4 Delaware, Delaware Geological Survey (90-01-02). This figure includes total state assistance for university
5 operations costs as well as funds required to be appropriated by 29 Del. C. § 5505(6).

6 **Section 293.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Higher Education, University of Delaware
7 (90-01-01) for the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Within that appropriation are sufficient funds to
8 fully fund 1.0 Agriculture Extension Agent and 2.0 Cooperative Extension Agent per county and 1.0 Agricultural
9 Extension Engineer for the program statewide.

10 **Section 294.** Section 1 of this Act provides appropriations to Higher Education, University of Delaware
11 (90-01-01) to support academic, research and public service programming in each college. The University of
12 Delaware shall submit a report of programs funded in each college which details the goals, performance measures
13 and prior year and proposed current year budgets of the programs to the Director of the Office of Management and
14 Budget and the Controller General by September 30 of each year. This proposal shall also include other special line
15 programming as described in this section. The special lines amounts shall be as follows:

16	College of Agriculture and Natural Resources	\$6,385.0
17	College of Arts and Sciences	1,341.4
18	College of Business and Economics	1,841.6
19	College of Earth, Ocean and Environment	878.1
20	College of Education and Human Development	2,914.8
21	College of Engineering	1,358.8 <u>2,709.0</u>
22	College of Health Sciences	598.5
23	Biden School of Public Policy	1,274.3
24	Biotechnology Institute	525.5
25	Diversity Enhancement	259.0
26	Total	\$17,377.0 <u>\$18,727.2</u>

27 **Section 295.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Higher Education, University of Delaware
28 (90-01-01) for the College of Education and Human Development. Of this amount, \$117.3 shall be allocated to
29 provide faculty advisement for student teachers in Kent and Sussex Counties for placement of such student teachers

1 in Kent and Sussex County school districts and charter schools. In addition, said funds shall be used to support
2 instruction in the Associate in Arts Program in Sussex County for those students pursuing a career in education.

3 **Section 296.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Higher Education, University of Delaware
4 (90-01-01) for the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Of this amount \$17.9 shall be allocated for the
5 continued support of the Just-in-Time Parenting program.

6 **Section 297.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Higher Education, University of Delaware
7 (90-01-01) for the Biden School of Public Policy. Of this amount, \$10.2 shall be allocated for the continued support
8 of the Women’s Leadership program and \$280.4 shall be for the continued support of Civics Education for
9 Teachers.

10 **Section 298.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation in Scholarships for First State Promise in
11 Higher Education, University of Delaware (90-01-01). University of Delaware (UD) shall compile a report
12 identifying the number of applicants, the numbers of accepted participants, the number of recipients who graduated
13 or received a certification during the academic year, the average First State Promise Scholarship award per student,
14 and the total amount of First State Promise Scholarships awarded for each of the five preceding academic years.
15 This report shall be submitted to the Secretary of Education, Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and
16 Controller General no later than November 1 annually.

17 **Section 299.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Higher Education, Delaware State University,
18 Operations (90-03-01) for General Scholarships. Of that amount, \$25.0 shall be for state scholarships for high ability
19 students, \$25.0 shall be for departmental scholarships to attract high achievers into the sciences, \$225.0 shall be for
20 scholarships to attract high ability students into the teaching program and \$125.0 shall be for scholarships for female
21 athletes.

22 **Section 300.** For the fiscal year covered by this Act, in order to continue the assessment of procedures
23 implemented during Fiscal Year 1993 intended to reduce the administrative burden incurred as a result of
24 processing accounting transaction data into two independent accounting systems, the Director of the Office of
25 Management and Budget has authorized Delaware State University to:

26 (a) Discontinue detail data input to First State Financials for encumbrance and vendor payment
27 transactions related to General Fund, federal financial assistance and college funds;

28 (b) Effect vendor payment disbursements of the above identified funds on Delaware State University
29 checks generated through the university’s accounting system and drawn on a university bank account; and

1 (c) Summarize General Fund and federal financial assistance fund disbursements on a weekly, post
2 disbursement basis, and draw down the corresponding amounts through the standard First State Financials payment
3 voucher process.

4 This authorization does not provide for any change to the processing of encumbrances and vendor payment
5 transactions related to Bond/Capital funds; it does not affect payroll processing and does not relax or alter any
6 control requirements prescribed by law or policy related to procurement, encumbrance and payment activity.

7 The university shall comply with specific procedures developed and prescribed by the Office of
8 Management and Budget and the Department of Finance, Accounting. In addition, the university shall cooperate
9 fully with the Office of Auditor of Accounts to aid in any review or examination of the university's accounting
10 procedures, records and system.

11 Operations as enabled by this section shall be periodically reviewed and evaluated during the stated period
12 by the Office of Management and Budget, the Department of Finance and the Office of Auditor of Accounts. Any
13 procedural/control weaknesses identified shall be addressed and resolved, and this authority may be withdrawn for
14 cause at any time during the stated period, with the allowance that Delaware State University will be provided
15 reasonable time to revert to standard processes.

16 **Section 301.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Law or this Act to the contrary, 92.5
17 percent of general funds provided to Delaware State University shall be released on a schedule as mutually
18 determined by the Director of the Office of Management Budget and the university. Any current grant expenditures
19 paid by the State and not timely reimbursed by the university may be deducted from the remaining 7.5 percent of
20 general funds withheld, as determined by the Secretary of Finance, no later than June 1 of each year. In the event of
21 default on any repayment agreement for outstanding debt previously paid by the State, the amount of scheduled debt
22 shall be deducted by the Secretary of Finance from the remaining 7.5 percent of general funds withheld. Any
23 remaining balance will be released to the university no later than June 15 of each year.

24 **Section 302.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$225.4 to Higher Education, Delaware State University,
25 Operations (90-03-01) for Athletic Grant. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the entire amount shall be
26 used for scholarships to attract female athletes.

27 **Section 303.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Higher Education, Delaware Technical
28 Community College, Office of the President (90-04-01) for Associate in Arts Program - Operations and Associate in
29 Arts Program - Academic. This appropriation is to assist in the provision of the Delaware Technical Community

1 College/University of Delaware Associate in Arts Program which will be operated jointly by the two institutions
2 under a contract initiated by Delaware Technical Community College. Under this contract, the University of
3 Delaware will teach students at Delaware Technical Community College facilities. Future budget requests will be
4 made jointly by Delaware Technical Community College and the University of Delaware, and budget cuts, if
5 necessary, will be shared on a pro rata basis. Approval of tuition and other fees will be made by the Board of
6 Trustees of the institution that delivers the relevant service and after the institutions have reached an agreement for
7 tuition sharing. Representatives from both institutions will meet at least once each semester to review program
8 operations.

9 **Section 304.** All higher education institutions in Delaware must be contracted members of the National
10 Student Clearinghouse and be required to input data. Participation will allow the Department of Education to track
11 Delaware's students as they enroll or transfer into Delaware higher education institutions or other member higher
12 education institutions across the country. Membership requires higher education institutions to report data elements
13 to the National Student Clearinghouse.

14 **Section 305.** Beginning in Fiscal Year 2011, the requirements of 14 Del. C. § 5302 and § 6511 shall be
15 waived until such time that state funding is appropriated for said program.

16 **Section 306.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates ~~\$14,671.5~~ \$16,510.8 in Personnel Costs to Higher
17 Education, Delaware Technical Community College, Office of the President (90-04-01). Of this amount, ~~\$932.0~~
18 \$982.3 shall be used for the ~~third~~ fourth year of a phased in approach for increasing faculty salaries.

19 **Section 307.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, of the
20 funds appropriated to the University of Delaware for Operations, \$100.0 shall be allocated to cover the costs of
21 Delaware Interscholastic Athletic Association (DIAA) state championship events at the University of Delaware.

1 **Section 311.** Funds received by charter schools through the Department of Education associated with staff
2 members who qualify for salary supplements under 14 Del. C. § 1309, § 1311(b), or § 1324(c) shall be paid to said
3 employee.

4 **Section 312.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation for Skills, Knowledge and Responsibility Pay
5 Supplements in Department of Education, District and Charter Operations (95-02-02). Funding in this appropriation
6 shall provide an annual \$1,000 stipend for middle school and high school athletic directors who receive certification
7 as a Certified Athletic Administrator or Certified Master Athletic Administrator through the National Interscholastic
8 Athletic Administrators Association. Funds received by charter schools through the Department of Education
9 associated with staff members who qualify for this stipend shall be paid to said employee.

10 **Section 313.** For this fiscal year, the inflation factor for the local per pupil payments required under the
11 State’s Enrollment Choice Program, as specified in 14 Del. C. § 408(e), and for the local per pupil payments
12 required under the State’s Charter School Program, as specified in 14 Del. C. § 509(d), shall be equal to ~~3.0~~ 8.0
13 percent.

14 **Section 314.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation of \$48.4 to Department of Education, District
15 and Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) for Odyssey of the Mind. This appropriation shall be made available
16 to school students to assist in defraying out-of-state travel expenses associated with this program.

17 **Section 315.** 14 Del. C. § 122(e) requires the Department of Education to review all regulations to ensure
18 that all regulations are current and not burdensome, and 14 Del. C. § 122(f) and (g) provide a means for districts to
19 pursue waivers of state regulations. The Federal Education Flexibility Partnership Act of 1999 allows districts to
20 apply for waivers of federal regulation in states that have adopted challenging content and performance standards,
21 have aligned assessments to those standards, have established a system of school and district accountability and
22 allow waiver of state statutory and regulatory requirements relating to education.

23 Given federal approval of the Department of Education’s application for Ed Flex, the department may
24 waive state statutory and regulatory requirements pursuant to the Federal Education Flexibility Partnership Act of
25 1999 as amended in the federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) in 2015. Such waivers must be applied for
26 according to procedures and policies determined by the Department of Education and must be related to Title I, Part
27 B of Title II, Title IV, Title V, Title III and the Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century
28 Act. State programs for which waivers may be granted include, but are not limited to, Student Discipline, Academic
29 Excellence and Professional and Curriculum Development.

Section 316. Notwithstanding any law or regulation to the contrary, all consequences related to the Statewide Assessment System for individual students including summer school, Individual Improvement Plans, retention, assessment retakes, retests at high school grades and the related student consequences shall no longer apply.

Section 317. General Fund appropriations to Department of Education, Pass Through and Other Support Programs (95-03-00) and to District and Charter Operations (95-02-00) for Delmar Tuition, General Contingency, and Related Services for Students with Disabilities shall not be subject to the limitations as defined for Division I and Division II in 14 Del. C. § 1706 and § 1709.

Section 318. Notwithstanding the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 1703, the First State School Program shall be guaranteed state funding based upon a minimum of two Division I units.

The Department of Education, Children Services Cost Recovery Project is authorized to pursue Medicaid cost recovery for eligible services provided to Medicaid eligible children at the First State School. Students in the program are considered eligible for special education services and have Individual Education Programs in addition to their medical treatment plans. Any funds recovered shall be utilized to offset the guaranteed 2.0 units earned and First State School operational costs.

Section 319. Section 1 of this Act provides certain appropriations to Department of Education, District and Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02). These amounts are not based on the unit system. The line item Other Items in the internal program unit Other Items (95-02-02) shall be allocated as follows:

Delaware School for the Deaf:

Residence - Other Costs	\$88.0
Contractual Services	51.3
Preschool Summer Program	7.1

Christina Autistic:

Residence - Other Costs	212.9
Contractual Services	11.8

John G. Leach 51.5

Sussex Orthopedic School 13.3

~~Al DuPont Hospital 50.0~~

First State School 314.5

1 Total ~~\$800.4~~\$750.4

2 **Section 320.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
3 Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) of \$2,500.0 for School Improvement Funds that shall be used to provide
4 technical assistance and support to schools and districts rated as Reward, Recognition, Targeted Support and
5 Improvement and Comprehensive Support and Improvement or with recognized need under Delaware’s approved
6 Federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act ESSA plan. The Department of Education shall provide a report
7 on the use of said funds to the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General by May
8 1 of each fiscal year, detailing the recipients of said funds and the programmatic initiatives supported by said funds.

9 **Section 321.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 1707, the assessment to sales ratios used to
10 equalize current fiscal year tax rates for those districts that cross county lines (Smyrna, Milford, Woodbridge and
11 Polytech) shall ~~remain at the same ratios that were in effect for Fiscal Year 2010~~ be the ratios included in the current
12 Fiscal Year Equalization report not inclusive of a county that has completed reassessment effective for the current
13 tax year.

14 **Section 322.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 1707, for the current fiscal year, all school
15 districts shall receive Equalization funding based on the Fiscal Year 2009 average per unit amount for existing and
16 new units.

17 **Section 323.** Section 1 of this Act makes appropriations to Department of Education, District and Charter
18 Operations, Division Funding (95-02-01) for Division II Units: All Other Costs and Energy. A Division II - Energy
19 Unit shall be valued at \$2,387.00. A Division II - All Other Costs Unit shall be valued at \$2,925.00.

20 **Section 324.** Section 1 of this Act provides to Department of Education, District and Charter Operations,
21 Other Items (95-02-02) an appropriation of \$28,150.9 for the Educational Sustainment Fund. The funds are allocated
22 proportionally to districts and charter schools based upon the Division I unit count as certified in 14 Del. C. §
23 1704(1) and § 1710. These funds are to maintain critical educational programming and services. To maximize their
24 effectiveness, they may be used for any Division III purpose pursuant to 14 Del. C. § 1304, § 1707(h) and § 1711.

25 **Section 325.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Department of Education, Pass Through
26 and Other Support Programs, Adult Education and Work Force Training (95-03-50). This appropriation shall be
27 allocated by the Department of Education to the following programs/districts:

28 Adult Trade Extension/Apprentice Program (statewide)	\$1,677.3
29 James H. Groves High School (statewide)	3,433.9

1	Adult Basic Education (statewide)	629.8 <u>959.8</u>
2	New Castle County Learning Center (Christina School District)	215.5
3	Delaware Skills Center (N.C.C. Vo-Tech)	1,347.8
4	Alternative Secondary Education Program (statewide)	680.9
5	Marine Mechanics Apprentice Program (Sussex Vo-Tech)	20.4
6	Interagency Council on Adult Literacy	278.6
7	Diploma-at-a-Distance	122.9
8	Caesar Rodney – Naturalization	14.5
9	Red Clay – Naturalization	117.2
10	Dual Generation Literacy Program (Christina School District)	160.0
11	Total	\$8,698.8 <u>\$9,028.8</u>

12 The full Adult Trade Extension/Apprentice Program funding allocation shall be distributed to the adult divisions of
13 the three county-wide vocational technical districts in the following amounts: N.C.C. Vo-Tech \$948,100; Polytech
14 \$390,100; and Sussex Tech \$339,100. The allocations will be used to provide adult post-secondary
15 technical/Registered Apprentice training.

16 **Section 326.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
17 Charter Operations, Education Block Grants, Professional Accountability and Instructional Advancement Fund (95-
18 02-05).

19 (a) The following allocations shall be provided:

20 (1) \$400.0 for Alternative Routes to Certification programs. These allocations will be distributed
21 through a competitive bid process, in accordance with 29 Del. C. c. 69;

22 (2) \$1,566.5 shall be allocated by the Department of Education to districts and charter schools for
23 professional and curriculum development activities. Districts shall submit applications to the
24 Department of Education detailing the district’s plan for the utilization of these funds. The
25 Department of Education shall review and approve plans and allocate an amount not to exceed
26 \$157.00 per certified employee, based on a district’s personnel complement for the ~~2022-2023~~
27 2023-2024 school year. Grants are to be used for developing and implementing curriculum based
28 on the content standards established by the Curriculum Frameworks Commission, as approved by
29 the State Board of Education or for other professional development activities, including, but not

1 limited to: Discipline; Special Education/Inclusion Collaboration/Consensus Building; Conflict
2 Resolution; Shared Decision Making; local school board member training; Trauma Informed
3 Practices; and Educational Technology. Districts are encouraged to collaborate as a means of
4 maximizing resources as well as focusing district activities on consistent principles. Grants may
5 be utilized for training, planning, in-service programs and contractual services. The Department of
6 Education is authorized to transfer 50 percent of the estimated district grant amount by July 30 of
7 the fiscal year. The remaining 50 percent shall be transferred within 30 days of the final approval
8 of the district application for funding;

9 In the application, districts shall detail the proposed utilization of funds as well as the
10 incorporation of the following criteria:

11 (i) Integration of the proposal with existing resources and programs such as the Comprehensive
12 Discipline Act, Delaware Principals Academy, Delaware Teachers Center, Title IV Student
13 Support and Academic Enrichment Grants program, Title I and II, Special Education and
14 local funds dedicated to Standards and Assessment: and

15 (ii) Inclusion of local staff in planning of the grant proposal, with representation from all
16 involved in student learning, including all professional employees by category. The plan(s)
17 should focus on overall improved student performance, with a built-in level of accountability
18 to determine effectiveness.

19 (3) \$300.0 for Professional Mentoring. The intent of this appropriation is for exemplary teachers to
20 assist new teachers through leadership and guidance and includes a training component in order
21 for teachers to become better mentors. This funding level allows for a statewide program;

22 (4) \$1,683.8 for Literacy Cadre. This appropriation will provide each local school district, excluding
23 charter schools, with the state share of salaries in accordance with 14 Del. C. § 1305 and the state
24 share of the Division III Equalization Unit amount as defined in 14 Del. C. § 1707 for one 10-
25 month Reading Specialist. The purpose of this Specialist will be the creation of a Literacy Cadre
26 which will provide assistance to districts in designing, demonstrating and implementing best
27 practices in literacy instruction. Such position shall be responsible for curriculum alignment and
28 professional development in literacy for district educators;

1 (5) \$1,830.5 for Educator Preparation and Development. This appropriation shall be used to support
2 current and aspiring educators by providing and sponsoring ongoing: pre-service training for
3 future teachers and leaders; educator recruitment platforms and tools for Local Education
4 Agencies; educator effectiveness systems and supports; teacher-leadership opportunities and
5 teacher and leader professional learning networks and supports; and

6 (6) \$600.0 for Delaware Standards. This funding shall be used to engage educators in sustained,
7 intensive and collaborative professional development and building educator resources for state
8 standards.

9 (b) Any funds remaining subsequent to these allocations may be disbursed at the discretion of the
10 Department of Education for professional accountability and instructional advancement activities.

11 **Section 327.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$150.0 in Department of Education, Pass Through and
12 Other Support Programs, Pass Through Programs (95-03-15) for University of Delaware Center for Excellence and
13 Equity in Teacher Preparation. This funding shall be used to support professional and curriculum development
14 activities in the content areas of reading and social studies. The Department of Education shall determine, in
15 coordination with the agency (or agencies) performing such activities, the training goals and objectives, including
16 how the objectives of Standards and Assessments will be furthered. The Department of Education, the Controller
17 General and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall ensure that the proposed development
18 activities are cost efficient and meet the objectives outlined in this section before agreeing to transfer the
19 appropriation from the Department of Education to the operating agency.

20 **Section 328.** For the current fiscal year, any local school district that has had two consecutive failed
21 current expense tax referenda during the time period July 1, ~~2021~~ 2022 to January 1, ~~2024~~ 2025, is authorized to
22 exercise the cash option on Academic Excellence units up to the total number of units provided under that program.
23 This provision will apply for the current fiscal year only. In addition, districts meeting this criterion are authorized
24 to utilize funds derived from this cash option to pay local salary supplements. Any district that has had a successful
25 current expense tax referendum subsequent to two consecutive failed current expense tax referenda is ineligible for
26 the provisions of this section.

27 **Section 329.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
28 Charter Operations (95-02-00) for Education Block Grants. Of this appropriation, \$8.5 shall be made available ~~to the~~

1 ~~Gay Straight Alliance~~ to support the annual Anti-Bullying/Gay Straight Alliance Summit for members of Delaware
2 middle and high school Gay Straight Alliances.

3 **Section 330.** (a) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, Pass Through
4 and Other Support Programs, Pass Through Programs (95-03-15) of \$700.0 for Speech Pathology to support the
5 implementation of a Master’s degree program in Communication Sciences and Disorders at the University of
6 Delaware. Said funds shall be utilized for, but not be limited to, curriculum development, seeking program
7 accreditation through the Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology,
8 developing a Delaware resident scholarship program where recipients commit to working in Delaware for at least
9 three years post graduation and staffing and equipment costs associated with program development and
10 implementation.

11 (b) Of the \$700.0 appropriated for Speech Pathology, \$100.0 shall be used to create the Student Success in
12 Schools for Speech-Language Pathologists (SSS for SLPs) scholarship program to support \$20.0 in annual tuition
13 for five second-year students who commit to working for three years post-graduation in Delaware schools. Three
14 students shall be employed by New Castle schools, and one student in each in Sussex and Kent County schools.
15 Schools demonstrating higher percentages of Title Nine students must be prioritized by students when selecting
16 employment. The university will design an application and interview process to select eligible students.

17 (c) The university shall submit by May 1 of each fiscal year an implementation status report on the
18 Master’s degree program in speech-language pathology to the Secretary of the Department of Education, Co-Chairs
19 of the Joint Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and the Controller General.

20 **Section 331.** Section 1 of this Act makes an ASF appropriation to Department of Education, Pass Through
21 and Other Support Programs, Special Needs Programs (95-03-20) for the Children Services Cost Recovery Project
22 (CSCRCP). All local school districts shall fully participate in the implementation and operation of the project for the
23 fiscal year ending June 30. Local school district participation shall be on a district-wide basis.

24 The following resources are appropriated to operate CSCRCP during the fiscal year ending June 30. No
25 appropriation is made for the purchase of additional state-owned vehicles pursuant to this section. The appropriated
26 funds for supplies and in-state travel which, pursuant to this section, are passed through to the local school district
27 shall be dedicated to operating CSCRCP.

28 ~~In addition, 12.0 FTEs staff positions are appropriated to support this project: 11.0 ASF FTEs shall be~~
29 ~~located at the Department of Education. The Department of Education is hereby permitted to authorize the hiring of~~

1 up to 1.0 positions in the local school districts for the sole purpose of implementing this section. The authorized
2 positions in the local school districts shall be paid in accordance with the Financial Secretary Salary Schedules 1308
3 and 1309 including the local salary supplement in place at the employing school districts.

4 When it is deemed in the best interest of the program to have positions transferred between school districts,
5 the employees in those positions will be compensated in accordance with the local salary supplement in place at the
6 new district. However, should the new district's local salary supplement be less than that of the transferring
7 employee, the employee's local supplement will be frozen until the new district supplement meets or exceeds the
8 amount of the original supplement. The employees may elect to have their sick and annual leave balances transfer
9 with them between districts.

10 When any of the positions authorized to the local school districts become vacant, the position shall be re-
11 assigned to the Department of Education and compensated in accordance with the Department of Education
12 compensation plan.

13 All revenue generated through the cost recovery project from local school district sources will, after the
14 deduction of all operational project costs, be divided between the State General Fund and the local school district's
15 operating funds in a proportion that equals the original sharing of expenses. Any funds returned to a local school
16 district that were generated through recovery on non-transportation services provided by a tuition-based special
17 school must be made available to the special school for expenditure at the special school. Funds recovered on behalf
18 of tuition eligible students served in mainstream environments can be used at the districts' discretion.

19 Audit exceptions, including any penalties and fees, will be covered from drawdowns on future recoveries
20 on a similar basis as indicated above.

21 **Section 332.** For the purpose of participating in CSCRP, provisions of the Delaware Code to the contrary
22 notwithstanding, school psychologists certified or otherwise licensed by the Department of Education in accordance
23 with the provisions 14 Del. C. § 1092, shall be considered in compliance with qualification standards equivalent to
24 state licensure to practice psychology as set forth in 24 Del. C. § 3508. Such equivalent state licensure status shall be
25 limited to the delivery of services related to the Department of Education or local school district approved school
26 programs conducted within the course of the regular school day at a Department of Education or local school district
27 approved school site or least restrictive environment location. The provisions of this section shall in no way be
28 construed as entitling a person not otherwise qualified to do so to represent themselves to the public by any title or

1 description of services incorporating the words "psychology," "psychological" and/or "psychologist" within the
2 meaning of 24 Del. C. § 3502, except as may be herein specifically provided.

3 **Section 333.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
4 Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) for the Student Discipline Program.

5 (a) A total of \$4,000.2 is allocated for the statewide implementation of programs for severe discipline
6 cases. Of that amount, a total of \$2,400.0 will be allocated to the three counties in the following manner: 50 percent
7 to New Castle County, 25 percent to Kent County and 25 percent to Sussex County. Of the \$2,400.0, \$150.0 in New
8 Castle County and \$75.0 in both Kent and Sussex Counties must be utilized for transitional services. A total of
9 \$1,020.0 will be disbursed on a competitive basis among the existing school district consortia or to individual
10 school districts. Of the \$1,020.0, \$820.0 will be utilized for improvement of academic programs and \$200.0 will be
11 utilized for extended year opportunities. A total of \$580.2 is allocated to increase resources for programs in Kent
12 and Sussex Counties and shall be divided between the two programs as follows: \$330.2 in Kent and \$250.0 in
13 Sussex. If funds are used for personnel costs, they may only be used for the state share in accordance with the
14 schedules contained in 14 Del. C. c. 13.

15 Programs receiving funds under this section may utilize no more than \$300.0 in total from Public School
16 Transportation (95-02-06) for transportation expenses.

17 (b) For the purpose of facilitating the continuation of services, districts receiving an allocation under the
18 provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of this section, may receive 50 percent of the prior year's base grant allocation
19 at the outset of each fiscal year. These districts are required to present program proposals to the Department of
20 Education no later than November 15 of each year. Upon Department of Education approval, adjustments to
21 program allocations will be made.

22 (c) The Department of Education shall determine common data definitions and data collection
23 methodologies for each program in this section. Districts shall use such definitions and methodologies and shall
24 provide information as requested by the Department of Education. This information shall include but not be limited
25 to the following: the number of students served; reasons for service; measures of behavioral improvement;
26 measures of academic improvement as appropriate; rates of recidivism within programs; and number and types of
27 referrals for additional services. The Department of Education shall prepare a statewide management report to
28 identify needs for program improvement and best practice. This an annual report shall be submitted to the Joint

1 Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General by May 1 of
2 each year.

3 (d) Based on the recommendations that resulted from House Joint Resolution 25 of the 139th General
4 Assembly, a total of \$1,325.0 shall be allocated for the continued operation of the alternative school program. The
5 program shall be developed utilizing research based best-practice models. The program shall provide year-round
6 services as deemed appropriate and determined by the consortium board and the Department of Education within
7 the prescribed state appropriation. This program shall be considered a special school for the purposes of charging
8 tuition payments to be made by school districts of residence under the statutory provisions of 14 Del. C. c. 6, such
9 that the districts shall fund at least 30 percent of the total cost of the program. The New Castle County Consortium
10 and the Department of Education shall oversee administration of the program and may enter into contractual
11 arrangements to operate the program. Such oversight shall include an annual evaluation of the program to be
12 submitted to the Department of Education.

13 (e) Any funds remaining subsequent to these allocations may be used at the discretion of the Department
14 of Education for activities related to school climate and discipline.

15 **Section 334.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
16 Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) for Exceptional Student Unit - Vocational. This appropriation shall be
17 used to continue the program of vocational education for students with disabilities. The funds appropriated shall
18 provide for Divisions I, II and III funding for a maximum of six units, prior to application of the vocational deduct,
19 in a single program. The unit shall be based upon 13,500 pupil minutes per week of instruction or major fraction
20 thereof after the first full unit and shall be in addition to the funding otherwise provided under 14 Del. C. § 1703(d).

21 **Section 335.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates ~~45.5~~ 47.5 FTEs, of which up to ~~4.0~~ 4.0 shall be authorized
22 as teachers/supervisors, 36.8 authorized as teachers, 3.0 authorized as secretaries for the Department of Education,
23 1.0 school psychologist, 1.0 special education coordinator, and 1.0 Education Associate to operate the Prison
24 Education Program (an additional 2.0 FTEs are authorized in the Department of Correction for the Prison Education
25 Program). The qualification of employees for the Prison Education Program shall be the same as the qualification
26 for employees in the public high schools. Teachers/supervisors shall have teaching responsibilities as defined by job
27 responsibilities and duties developed by the Department of Education.

1 Students served under this program shall not be included in the calculation for unit count purposes as
2 defined in 14 Del. C. c. 17. The Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General may
3 transfer funds between lines and departments to pay for this program.

4 In the event the Director of the Office of Management and Budget proposes or implements a position
5 attrition or complement reduction initiative, the Director shall clearly indicate to the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance
6 Committee when positions outlined in this section are included in said initiative(s).

7 **Section 336.** The functions previously performed through the Delaware Tech Prep Consortium were
8 transitioned to the Department of Education effective July 1, 2017, along with existing personnel. With the
9 consolidation of these functions into the Career and Technical Education workgroup, the department is responsible
10 for expanding articulation agreements and dual enrollment coursework in career and technical education pathways
11 across the State. This includes establishing early college credit and advanced standing agreements with in-state and
12 out-of-state colleges and universities (both two- and four-year degree programs), apprenticeship programs, adult
13 education programs and with the State's one-stop system for workforce development. Further, the department is
14 responsible for expanding co-curricular activities such as career and technical student organizations and work-based
15 learning programs in partnership with employers.

16 **Section 337.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$36,416.6 to Department of Education, Pass Through and
17 Other Support Programs, Special Needs Programs (95-03-20) for Early Childhood Initiatives. These funds are to be
18 used to support the Delaware Stars for Early Success, the State's quality improvement system for early care and
19 education. Funding will also support strengthening the State's comprehensive early childhood system as outlined in
20 the state's strategic plans, compiled through the efforts of the Delaware Early Childhood Council and the
21 Interagency Resource Management Committee managed through the Delaware Department of Education, Early
22 Childhood Support. Initiatives shall include, but not be limited to, ~~tiered reimbursement hold harmless payments for~~
23 ~~the first year of transition,~~ quality improvement awards, technical assistance and assessment of providers,
24 professional development activities for professionals in licensed programs, professional development activities for
25 practitioners in early care and education, early childhood mental health consultation, developmental screenings and
26 surveys, and overall evaluation and awareness of the Delaware Stars for Early Success program. Notwithstanding
27 Del C. § 3001 or this Act to the contrary, program expenses may not exceed the appropriated amount. Upon
28 approval by the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General, the Secretary of
29 Education may make program changes based on participation rates and available data.

1 **Section 338.** Notwithstanding the provisions of the Department of Education’s Administrative Code,
2 Delaware non-public school (private and home school) students shall not be subject to a tuition-based driver
3 education program for the program’s initial offering at rates approved by the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance
4 Committee. The fee for the current fiscal year shall be zero.

5 **Section 339.** (a) The Public School Transportation Committee, consisting of representatives from the
6 Department of Education, the Office of the Controller General, the Office of Management and Budget and
7 representatives for bus contractors and school district transportation supervisors shall make recommendations to the
8 Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General for revisions to components of the
9 transportation formula no later than April 1 of each fiscal year.

10 (b) Public School Transportation funds are allocated in the amount of ~~\$166,833.9~~ \$180,406.2 in accordance
11 with the transportation formula, as adopted by the State Board of Education on July 23, 1987, subject to the
12 following amendments and procedural modifications:

- 13 (1) The per gallon price used to calculate the fuel allowance shall be based on the state contract bid
14 price for fuel plus \$0.07 per gallon for districts and plus \$0.31 per gallon for contractors. For
15 districts and contractors north of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal, the per gallon price shall be
16 based on delivery to a large-sized tank (5,000 or more gallons). In the case of contractors located
17 south of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal, the per gallon price shall be based on delivery to a
18 small-sized tank (275 - 1,900 gallons). Upon determination by the Department of Education that a
19 contractor located north of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal and operating five or fewer buses
20 does not have existing storage capacity in the large tank range, the per gallon price shall be based
21 on the smaller tank size.

22 The initial fuel rates shall be based on the state contract bid price as of June 1 of the
23 preceding fiscal year. Funding adjustment will be made when the annual average price increases
24 or decreases by at least \$0.05 per gallon. The first review will be based on the annual averages
25 through December 31 of each year and additional reviews will be conducted each month thereafter
26 until April 30. Timing and frequency of fuel adjustments shall be determined by the Department
27 of Education, in collaboration with the Public School Transportation Committee. Reviews may
28 also be conducted at any time upon the request of the Director of the Office of Management and

1 Budget and the Controller General. Propane school buses will receive the same fuel allowances
2 and be subject to the same adjustment as diesel school buses;

3 (2) For the current fiscal year, the allowable cost of a new unused bus that was purchased by a
4 contractor and put on contract and that was produced between January 1, ~~2023~~ 2024 and
5 December 31, ~~2023~~ 2024 (as noted on the school bus identification plate) shall begin its seven
6 year capital allowance schedule using the ~~2022~~ 2023 state bid price for new school buses, minus 2
7 percent for salvage value, plus 11 percent to account for dealer charges and profits not reflected in
8 the state bid price due to the higher number of buses being purchased and the lag time between
9 ordering and delivery. Any bus produced on or after January 1, ~~2023~~ 2024, must meet the current
10 federal emissions requirements in order to receive a capital allowance. Any bus produced and
11 placed in service after January 1, ~~2023~~ 2024 shall be entitled to an allowance based on the ~~2023~~
12 2024 state bid price.

13 A used bus placed in service shall utilize the allowance schedule which would have been
14 allowed had the bus been placed in service when new based on its production date. The bus shall
15 receive the remaining years of capital allowance. The Department of Education shall continue to
16 utilize the procedures developed in Fiscal Year 1989 for determining the allowable cost for any
17 size bus that it did not bid in Fiscal Year ~~2023~~ 2024. In addition to the procedure for establishing
18 the allowable cost of a new bus specified above, the Department of Education is requested to
19 structure its bids for buses in Fiscal Year ~~2024~~ 2025 in such a manner that public school bus
20 contractors will be permitted to purchase buses from the successful lower bidder at the same price
21 as the State of Delaware. If a contractor elects to purchase a bus at the bid price, the lowest base
22 bid of an awarded contract minus 2 percent for salvage value will be the allowable cost in
23 subsequent reimbursements to the contractor;

24 ~~(3) For the current fiscal year, the school bus contractor insurance allowance shall remain the same;~~

25 ~~(4)~~(3) For the current fiscal year, the fixed cost allowance for district and contractor buses shall include
26 funding for the provision of emergency communication devices. The Department of Education is
27 authorized to bring school districts or private contractors operating school buses equipped with
28 cellular phone technology under a state negotiated cellular phone contract; and

1 ~~(5)~~(4) For district operated pupil transportation services, bus driver and driver aide salaries shall receive
2 an increase commensurate with the general salary increase enumerated in Section 8 of this Act in
3 years in which one is provided.

4 (c) Except as specified in this section, or for changes in the price of fuel, or for the adjustments of those
5 items changed by state or federal laws, the Department of Education shall not change the transportation formula
6 unless the change has been authorized by the General Assembly and an appropriation therefore has been made by
7 the General Assembly.

8 (d) The Department of Education shall calculate the formula amounts for each district as provided herein
9 but shall only provide 90 percent of such calculation to each school district. The contract formula amount is the
10 maximum funding that any public-school transportation contractor is eligible to receive through a combination of
11 state and local funds. Homeless transportation funding shall be provided to school districts and charter schools at 90
12 percent of the total cost for approved, eligible students. This excludes transportation for foster children.

13 (e) Of the appropriation allocated for public school districts, funding is allocated to purchase air
14 conditioned buses to transport special need students. The Department of Education is authorized to allow the
15 purchase of air-conditioned buses required to transport special education students that have a medical need for air
16 conditioning (specified by a physician).

17 (f) ~~\$2,700.0 is allocated to increase the minimum hourly rate for bus drivers; \$3,300.0 is allocated to~~
18 ~~increase the daily rate for administrative expenses as the final part of a two-year phased in increase per the~~
19 ~~recommendations of the Public School Transportation Committee Report, dated March 30, 2022. \$4,366.6 is~~
20 allocated to increase the minimum hourly rate for bus drivers.

21 (g) It is the intent of the General Assembly that to the maximum extent possible, any funds provided
22 through the school transportation formula to provide hourly rates for bus drivers, that these funds shall go directly
23 toward increasing the salaries of bus drivers and to address workforce shortage and retention issues.

24 (h) \$515.0 is allocated to increase the insurance allowance and standardize said allowance across bus
25 capacity sizes, per the recommendations of the Public School Transportation Committee report, dated March 21,
26 2024.

27 **Section 340.** It is the intent of the General Assembly to make progress toward implementing the
28 recommendation of the Public School Transportation Working Group to address school bus operating cost factors
29 not reflected in the school transportation formula, which has been in existence since 1977. These factors include, but

1 are not limited to, environmental compliance requirements for school bus maintenance, maintenance costs of
2 advanced technology on school buses and school bus driver training requirements.

3 **Section 341.** (a) All school districts shall be required to utilize ~~TripSpark~~ Busology, a computerized
4 routing system for school bus transportation, provided by the Department of Education to create school bus routes.
5 Schools are encouraged to maximize the capabilities of this system to derive transportation efficiencies to contain
6 increasing costs.

7 (b) The department is directed to continue to provide bus transportation services to any residential area
8 which has received transportation services since October 1, 1977.

9 **Section 342.** During the fiscal year, local school districts are hereby directed to provide, at the local school
10 district's cost, bus transportation of public school students previously declared ineligible by the Unique Hazards
11 Committee, including the following:

- 12 (1) Students attending Stanton Middle School who are now forced to walk along Telegraph Road with
13 a constant threat of injury;
- 14 (2) Students attending Mount Pleasant High School and P.S. DuPont Middle School who are now
15 forced to walk along Marsh Road with a constant threat of injury;
- 16 (3) Students in the town of Seaford, living west of Conrail and north of the Nanticoke River, who
17 attend the Seaford schools, grades K-6;
- 18 (4) Students attending Seaford Central Elementary who live in the area east of Conrail, north of the
19 Nanticoke River and west of Williams Pond, within the Seaford city limits;
- 20 (5) Students attending the Cab Calloway School of the Arts and Wilmington Charter School on
21 Lancaster Avenue to Delaware Avenue in the north-south grid and on Jackson Street to DuPont
22 Street on the east-west grid;
- 23 (6) Students attending Newark High School who live in Windy Hills and are forced to walk along
24 Kirkwood Highway with a constant threat of injury;
- 25 (7) Students attending schools in Laurel living in the areas of Lakeside Manor, Route 24 east of
26 Laurel town limits, Route 13A south of Laurel town limits and Dogwood Acres;
- 27 (8) Students attending Delcastle Technical High School who live in Newport and are forced to walk
28 along Centerville Road (Route 141) with a constant threat of injury;

- 1 (9) Students attending Woodbridge Middle School who must travel along Route 13A south of
2 Bridgeville, and students living west of Bridgeville who must travel along Route 404 or Route 18;
- 3 (10) Students attending Smyrna Middle School who reside in the Sunnyside Acres area between
4 Sunnyside Road and U.S. 13 and who would otherwise be required to walk along U.S. 13 in order
5 to reach school;
- 6 (11) Students attending Concord High School who live south of Naamans Road in the Talleybrook-
7 Chalfonte, Brandywood, Brandon and Beacon Hill areas who must walk along Grubb and/or
8 Naamans Road with a constant threat of injury;
- 9 (12) Students attending the Laurel Elementary Schools in Grades K-6 who live in the Town of Laurel
10 and the surrounding areas;
- 11 ~~(13) Students attending Dover High School who live in Old Sherwood, south of Waples Avenue;~~
- 12 ~~(14)~~(13) Students attending Mount Pleasant Elementary School, who would be forced to walk along
13 Bellevue Road;
- 14 ~~(15)~~(14) Students attending Mount Pleasant Elementary School, who would be forced to cross over
15 and/or walk along River Road between Lore Avenue and Bellevue Road;
- 16 ~~(16)~~(15) Students attending Douglass Alternative School, who would be forced to walk along Route 2
17 (Union Street) or through Canby Park via the paths, with a constant threat of injury;
- 18 ~~(17)~~(16) K-3~~5~~ - New Todd Estates Development to Jennie Smith Elementary School - because of
19 hazards of Route 4 at Pierson Drive intersection;
- 20 ~~(18)~~(17) Students living in West Wilmington Manor who walk to Wilmington Manor Elementary
21 School;
- 22 ~~(19)~~(18) Woodbridge Early Childhood Education Center students living in the town of Greenwood,
23 west of the railroad tracks;
- 24 ~~(20)~~(19) Woodbridge Middle School students living on Route 13A from Route 13 north of Bridgeville
25 to Bridgeville north of town limits including streets with access to that part of Route 13A;
- 26 ~~(21)~~(20) Talley Jr. High School students who reside in the Ashbourne Hills, Greentree, Stoney Brook
27 areas, students who reside in the Woodacre Apartments and students who live along Peachtree
28 Road;

- 1 ~~(22)~~(21) Springer Middle School students residing in Eden Ridge III, Tavistock, Sharpley and Eden
2 Ridge who must cross Concord Pike;
- 3 ~~(23)~~(22) Georgetown Elementary School students who live east of Bedford Street;
- 4 ~~(24)~~(23) Lombardy Elementary School students who must cross Foulk Road;
- 5 ~~(25)~~ Central Middle School students who reside in the vicinity of 1508 Dinahs Corner Road;
- 6 ~~(26)~~ Students attending Central Middle School, living in the area south of Kent General Hospital, to
7 include students living along and south of Westview Terrace, Dover Street, Hope Street and
8 Sackaraekin Avenue;
- 9 ~~(27)~~(24) Students of the Appoquinimink School District who reside in Odessa Heights;
- 10 ~~(28)~~(25) Students attending Brandywine High School who live in Concord Manor and are forced to
11 walk along Shellpot Drive and Windley Hill;
- 12 ~~(29)~~(26) Students attending Clayton Elementary, Clayton Intermediate, Smyrna Middle, and Smyrna
13 High School ~~North Elementary or the Bassett Middle School~~ in the Smyrna School District who
14 live on Buresch Drive;
- 15 ~~(30)~~(27) Notwithstanding the construction of any sidewalk or footpath along Grubb Road between
16 Naamans Road and Marsh Road, any child currently receiving bus transportation by the
17 Brandywine School District who lives along Grubb Road (between Naamans Road and Marsh
18 Road) or lives in a neighborhood which enters directly onto Grubb Road (between Naamans Road
19 and Marsh Road) shall continue to receive bus transportation to and from school;
- 20 ~~(31)~~(28) Stanton Middle School students residing in Kiamensi Gardens, Kiamensi Heights and
21 Westfield who must cross Limestone Road;
- 22 ~~(32)~~(29) Students attending Warner Elementary or Warner Kindergarten who also attend the
23 Brandywine Day Care Center;
- 24 ~~(33)~~(30) Students attending Brandywine Springs Elementary School who live along Newport Gap
25 Pike;
- 26 ~~(34)~~(31) Students attending Mount Pleasant High School and P.S. DuPont Middle School who reside
27 in the vicinity of Rysing Drive in Edgemoor Gardens, in the vicinity of Rysing Drive in the
28 Village of Woods Edge, in the vicinity of Edgemoor Road in Edgemoor Terrace and the Village
29 of Fox Point on Governor Printz Boulevard;

1 ~~(35)~~(32) Students attending the Woodbridge School District, who live in the Canterbury Apartments in
2 Bridgetown, will embark and disembark in the parking lot of the apartment complex in lieu of the
3 bus stop area along the heavily traveled U.S.13;

4 ~~(36)~~(33) Students attending McCullough Middle School living along and east of Route 9 from I-295
5 north to district boundary;

6 ~~(37)~~(34) Students attending Talley Middle School who can walk without hazard to the corner of
7 Yardley Lane and Silverside Road;

8 ~~(38)~~(35) All students attending Kathleen H. Wilbur Elementary School in the Colonial School District;
9 and

10 ~~(39)~~(36) Cape Henlopen High School students who must cross Kings Highway or Savannah Road.

11 **Section 343.** Notwithstanding the provisions of any state law or regulation to the contrary, the Colonial
12 School District is hereby directed to provide bus transportation for public school students who attend the Panda
13 Early Education Center at 1169 South DuPont Highway in New Castle to and from Kathleen H. Wilbur Elementary
14 School and Southern Elementary School. The Colonial School District is authorized to utilize state transportation
15 dollars to fund the transportation of students as directed herein.

16 Notwithstanding the provisions of any state law to the contrary, the Red Clay Consolidated School District
17 is authorized to utilize state transportation dollars to fund students traveling from routes to and from the Cab
18 Calloway School of the Arts and Conrad Schools of Science and the Indian River School District is authorized to
19 utilize state transportation dollars to fund students traveling from routes to and from the Southern Delaware School
20 of the Arts.

21 Notwithstanding the provisions of any state law to the contrary, the Christina School District is authorized
22 to utilize state transportation dollars to fund students traveling from routes to and from Christiana High School,
23 Glasgow High School, and Newark High School as part of the district's high school redesign program. Additional
24 routes resulting from the redesign program and associated state transportation dollars shall require the approval of
25 the Secretary of Education, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

26 Notwithstanding the provisions of any state law to the contrary, the Colonial School District is authorized
27 to utilize state transportation dollars to fund students traveling from routes to and from Gunning Bedford Middle
28 School, George Read Middle School and McCullough Middle School as part of the district's middle school redesign
29 program. Additional routes resulting from the redesign program, and associated state transportation dollars, shall

1 require the approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, Controller General and Secretary of
2 Education.

3 Notwithstanding the provisions of any state law to the contrary, the Red Clay Consolidated School District
4 is authorized to utilize state transportation dollars to fund students traveling from routes to and from the Brandywine
5 Springs (6-8) program.

6 **Section 344.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, all
7 charter schools receiving a state transportation funding allocation shall submit an annual report of anticipated
8 transportation expenditures for the current fiscal year, including any negotiated contracts, to the Department of
9 Education by January 15 each year. If the charter school projects a net savings between the state transportation
10 funding allocation and anticipated expenditures, the charter school may request to the Secretary of Education, the
11 Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and the Controller General that the savings be used for
12 educational purposes allowable under Opportunity Funding. All charter schools receiving state transportation
13 funding shall submit a final report of actual expenditures for the prior fiscal year's transportation allocation to the
14 Department of Education no later than ~~August~~ October 15 of each year. The Department of Education shall provide
15 a standard template to charter schools to report these expenditures, as well as information regarding the vendor(s)
16 providing transportation services, the number of school buses on contract, and any relevant vehicle identification
17 information.

18 **Section 345.** As recommended by the Task Force on State Education Technology, the Department of
19 Education is authorized to establish a Council on Educational Technology. The Council shall be supported by staff
20 from the Department of Education and the Department of Technology and Information, and shall be comprised of
21 no more than 15 stakeholder representatives. The Council will: (1) provide strategic guidance for public education
22 technology by conducting needs assessments; (2) offer policy and budget recommendations; (3) engage in strategic
23 planning to ensure alignment between state and local efforts; (4) define acceptable use policies, procedures and
24 processes to ensure compliance with federal and state regulations; and (5) provide support for technology-related
25 procurement.

26 **Section 346.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$3,767.5 to Department of Education,
27 District and Charter Operations, Education Block Grants (95-02-05) for Technology Block Grant. These funds are
28 allocated proportionally to district and charter schools based upon the Division I unit count as certified in 14 Del. C.
29 § 1704(2) and § 1710. Funds provided by this Act are intended to support the following priorities: (1) replacement

1 or purchase of equipment supporting classroom instruction; (2) supporting technology maintenance in the schools
2 either through the use of technology personnel or contractual services; (3) supporting professional learning through
3 the use of instructional personnel; or (4) such other technology needs as may arise which could improve or enhance
4 the technology capabilities of the district or charter school. To the extent that these funds are used to pay salary
5 expenses, they may only be used for the state share of salary, benefits and other employment costs in accordance
6 with the schedules contained in 14 Del. C. c. 13. Local districts are encouraged to match their allocation pursuant to
7 the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 1902(b), provided the local match does not exceed those established under 71 Del
8 Laws, c. 378. The matching provisions provided in this section shall not be interpreted to provide duplicative rate
9 increases. The Department of Education shall be charged with the authority to verify the use of the funds.

10 **Section 347.** The provisions of this Act to the contrary notwithstanding, consistent with the provisions of
11 14 Del. C. § 509(b), charter schools eligible to receive allocations from the Professional Accountability and
12 Instructional Advancement fund, Academic Excellence and Minor Capital Improvements program will not be
13 required to submit an application to the Department of Education. Any funds received as a result of the allocation of
14 these programs may be used for current operations, Minor Capital Improvements or tuition payments.

15 **Section 348.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, Pass Through and
16 Other Support Programs, Scholarships (95-03-40) for Scholarships and Grants, per the provisions of 14 Del. C. c.
17 34. This funding shall be used for the following programs:

18 Merit-Scholarships: Herman M. Holloway, Sr. Scholarship, Bradford B. Barnes Memorial Scholarship and
19 the Charles L. Hebner Memorial Scholarship.

20 Need-Based: Scholarship Incentive Program (SCIP).

21 Mental Health Educators Incentive and Speech Pathology: scholarships and student loan payments.

22 Tuition Reimbursement: Critical Need Reimbursement.

23 Programmatic Pass Through:

24 ~~\$40.0 MERIT scholarship program,~~

25 ~~\$265.2 \$256.2 FAME scholarship program,~~

26 ~~\$70.0 Washington Center for Internships,~~

27 ~~\$16.0 Democracy Project Washington D.C. Fellows program, and~~

28 \$40.0 Delaware Advance Scholarship Program.

1 An annual report shall be submitted to the Joint Finance Committee, the Director of the Office of
2 Management and Budget and the Controller General by May 1 of each year detailing the number of applicants and
3 the funding amounts used for each program.

4 **Section 349.** Any scholarship funds unused in any given fiscal year may be carried over into a reserve
5 account to be utilized in the subsequent year.

6 **Section 350.** The Brandywine School District Board shall maintain as a standalone program its Gifted and
7 Talented program, known as the Gifted Services Program, at least through the end of the current school year. The
8 program shall be fully maintained at Mount Pleasant Elementary School, the Claymont Elementary School and the
9 P.S. DuPont Middle School. During this time, the district shall fully support the Odyssey program in terms of
10 outreach, recruitment, assessment of students for entry into the program, curriculum development, teacher
11 assignment and other support elements as currently exist.

12 **Section 351.** Notwithstanding the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 203, § 604 or any sections of this Act to the
13 contrary, the Christina School District is authorized to operate the Sarah Pyle Academy as a special program and
14 charge tuition for the support of the academy as provided in 14 Del. C. § 604 during the current school year. The
15 academy shall operate as an academic recovery, drop-out prevention program at no additional cost to the State. The
16 students attending this program shall continue to be counted in the enrollment of their regular school; however, the
17 state funding associated with these students as determined by the Secretary of Education shall be utilized by the
18 Sarah Pyle Academy. This program shall be for the express purpose of providing educational services for students
19 in high school who are no less than 16 years of age, who have less than five credits toward graduation and have a
20 documented family or personal situation that indicates traditional school enrollment is not feasible. This program
21 shall not be a discipline program as defined or authorized by 14 Del. C. c. 16.

22 **Section 352.** A school district operating a special school or program or with tuition eligible students may
23 not reallocate state units earned in these cases, if such reallocation requires an increase in the tuition tax rate or
24 tuition billing amount. If a reallocation of state units earned will not require such an increase, districts may
25 reallocate positions as necessary to ensure the most efficient delivery of services, except for those instances
26 currently prohibited by Delaware Code.

27 Additionally the Department of Education shall be authorized to promulgate rules and regulations
28 pertaining to tuition billings and tuition payments to include, but not be limited to, procedures to implement a
29 specific billing and payment schedule; procedures for justification accounting for any increases from estimated to

1 actual per pupil amounts billed; and procedures for the review of included costs to ensure appropriateness as it
2 relates to the ratio of state to local resources.

3 **Section 353.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, Pass Through and
4 Other Support Programs, Scholarships (95-03-40) for Student Excellence Equals Degree (SEED) Scholarship. This
5 appropriation shall be used to award scholarships to graduates of Delaware public and non-public high schools who
6 meet the eligibility criteria pursuant to the provisions of 14 Del. C. c. 34 Subchapter XIV. Delaware Technical
7 Community College and the University of Delaware (The Institutions) have established regulations for the
8 implementation and administration of the SEED Program. Notwithstanding the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 3405A,
9 funding will be available for all new and returning students that meet the eligibility criteria referenced above. The
10 Institutions are responsible for requesting a transfer of funds from the Department of Education based on the
11 enrollment of students receiving the SEED Scholarship. Funds awarded under the SEED program are portable in the
12 event that an eligible student transfers between the two eligible institutions.

13 **Section 354.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, Pass Through and
14 Other Support Programs, Scholarships (95-03-40) for the Delaware State University Inspire Scholarship program.
15 This appropriation shall be used to award scholarships to graduates of Delaware public and non-public high schools
16 who meet the eligibility criteria pursuant to the provisions of 14 Del. C. c. 34 Subchapter XIV. Delaware State
17 University has established regulations for the implementation and administration of the Inspire program.
18 Notwithstanding the provisions of 14 Del. C. § 3413A, funding will be available for all new and returning students
19 that meet the eligibility criteria referenced above. Delaware State University shall be responsible for requesting a
20 transfer of funds from the Department of Education based on the enrollment of students receiving the Inspire
21 Scholarship.

22 **Section 355.** Delaware graduates of public and non-public high schools who meet the eligibility criteria
23 and are awarded either the SEED or Inspire scholarship shall receive their earned scholarship award regardless of
24 the appropriated amount in Section 1. Shortfalls which occur as a result of increased demand shall be funded by the
25 Department of Education.

26 **Section 356.** The Department of Education is hereby directed to maintain the Sussex County Learning
27 Center at its current location at the Delaware Technical Community College Owens Campus in the amount of \$60.9
28 which includes one Resource Center Manager position.

1 **Section 357.** Beginning in Fiscal Year 2009, all school districts and charter schools shall access the data
2 services and technical assistance of the New Castle County Data Service Center (DSC) for compliance with the
3 provisions of 14 Del. C. § 122(11). Such access shall ensure that all financial reports remain available in the new
4 financial system and are accessible by the Department of Education, the Office of Management and Budget and the
5 Office of the Controller General. Services provided by DSC, which is owned and operated by the Colonial and Red
6 Clay Consolidated School Districts, for compliance with this section, shall be provided through an agreement with
7 the State of Delaware.

8 **Section 358.** Beginning in Fiscal Year 2010, for purposes of 14 Del C. § 1321(e)(11), § 1321(e)(12), §
9 1716 and § 1716A, a school district electing to take a cash option or contractual option shall submit the required
10 application to the Department of Education no later than January 31 of the current fiscal year. The Department of
11 Education shall provide a report on the use of said cash/contractual options to the Director of the Office of
12 Management and Budget and the Controller General by May 1 of each fiscal year.

13 **Section 359.** Pursuant to provisions of 14 Del. C. § 1902(b), all local districts shall be authorized to assess
14 a local match for Fiscal Year 2010 Reading Resource Teachers and Mathematics Resource Teachers/Specialists and
15 Fiscal Year 2008 Extra Time.

16 **Section 360.** Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, and in order
17 to share certain expenses of public education between school districts, any school district which receives funding
18 under the provisions of 14 Del. C. is authorized to enter into a memorandum of understanding with another school
19 district or school districts for the sharing of central services within such school districts which may use, without
20 limitation, the combining of similar unit funded positions to pay for a shared position to perform the services agreed
21 to and payments between the districts for such shared services, provided that the memorandum of understanding is
22 also approved by the Secretary of Education, with the concurrence of the Director of the Office of Management and
23 Budget and the Controller General.

24 **Section 361.** To ensure that districts and charter schools are implementing the needs based funding system
25 appropriately, the Department of Education shall, in cooperation with the Governor's Advisory Council for
26 Exceptional Citizens, create a Certification of Earned Staff Units protocol. The results of all monitoring shall be
27 reported at least annually on the department's website no later than June 30 of each year.

28 **Section 362.** The provisions of 14 Del. C. § 124A, § 154 and § 155, and any implementing regulations in
29 14 DE Admin Code that the Delaware Department of Education determines to be inconsistent with the Department's

1 ESSA plan as approved by the U.S. Department of Education shall not be applicable to Delaware Public Schools
2 and School Districts. The department shall review code references in this section and suggest revisions to make
3 them consistent with the accountability system and approved ESSA plan.

4 **Section 363.** Notwithstanding any language to contrary, for any appropriate purpose, the Department of
5 Education may use an alternative measure to determine low socio-economic status in lieu of the eligibility for free
6 and reduced priced lunch. The use of an alternative measure shall not affect any student’s eligibility to receive free
7 or reduced meals.

8 **Section 364.** Upon approval of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller
9 General, school districts are authorized to utilize unfilled full and/or combine unfilled partial units of Division I
10 funding earned in accordance with 14 Del. C. c. 13 and 17 and the Annual Appropriations Act to address
11 instructional needs of their respective school districts. This option shall only apply if the school district has not
12 filled the unit and/or partial unit at any time during the fiscal year in which it was earned and if the unit was filled
13 the prior fiscal year and became vacant. This option shall exclude Division I units and associated Related Services
14 units earned in Pre-K, Basic, Intensive and Complex categories.

15 Notwithstanding 14 Del. C. § 1716E and § 1716F, school districts are authorized to combine unfilled
16 partial units of K-5 and middle school mental health services funding to address mental and behavioral health needs
17 of their respective schools.

18 School districts approved to utilize the provisions of this section shall continue to be subject to all relevant
19 salary schedules and supplemental compensation pursuant to 14 Del. C. c. 13 and the Annual Appropriations Act;
20 be subject to financial reporting requirements of 14 Del C. § 1507 and § 1509; and continue to be subject to the
21 provisions of 14 Del. C. § 1310(b) regarding school nurses.

22 **Section 365.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
23 Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) of ~~\$53,000.0~~ \$63,000.0 for Opportunity Funding. This funding shall be
24 used to provide additional funding for ~~English Learner (EL)~~ multilingual learner (MLL) and low-income (LI)
25 students.

26 These combined funds shall be allocated to district and charter schools using prior year ~~EL~~ MLL and LI
27 enrollment for use in the following manner:

28 (a) ~~\$45,000.0~~ \$55,000.0 in the current fiscal year shall be apportioned on a per pupil basis to all district
29 and charter schools where such local education agencies shall have flexibility in the use of these funds

1 to enhance services to ~~EL~~ MLL and LI students, including using these funds to cover 100 percent of
2 personnel costs, excluding any additional local benefits provided by the school district or charter
3 school, for associated staff, contractual services, supplies and materials, or other expenditures deemed
4 necessary to provide additional supports to these populations. Staff may include, but not be limited to,
5 personnel dedicated to improving reading comprehension and math proficiency, or who provide
6 additional wrap-around services or mental health supports.

7 (b) \$8,000.0 in the current fiscal year shall be apportioned to schools which meet the following criteria
8 based on the prior year unit count: (1) a grade configuration containing kindergarten through fourth
9 grade and (2) greater than or equal to 30 percent LI and/or greater than or equal to 10 percent ~~EL~~ MLL
10 enrollment. Said funds shall be used by districts and charter schools for mental health services in the
11 form of school counselors, school social workers or licensed clinical social workers, school
12 psychologists, and/or for additional reading supports for grades K-5. Services may include the
13 employment of staff, where such funding may be used to cover 100 percent of personnel costs,
14 excluding any additional local benefits provided by the school district or charter school, on a 10 to 12-
15 month basis and/or contracted services.

16 (c) Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, all districts shall be
17 authorized to assess a local match to provide for the local costs associated with this appropriation.

18 ~~(d) It is the intent of the Governor to recommend to the General Assembly appropriations in the following~~
19 ~~amounts in Fiscal Year 2025 in accordance with an Order of the Court of Chancery, dated October 12,~~
20 ~~2020, approving a settlement between the parties in In Re Delaware Public Schools Litigation:~~

21 For the Fiscal Year 2025, an amount of at least \$5,000.0 in mental health and reading
22 supports for schools with 60 percent LI and/or 20 percent EL students, plus \$55,000.0 which
23 shall be divided by the sum of EL and LI enrollment to achieve a per pupil allocation, with
24 the per pupil allocation for EL and LI to be an equal sum. Both allocations shall be made if a
25 student is both LI and an EL. In subsequent fiscal years, the per pupil allocation shall be
26 multiplied by the EL and LI enrollment in that year to establish the total allocation.

27 Districts and charter schools must submit an expenditure plan to the Department of Education no later than
28 the last Friday in July of each fiscal year. The Department of Education will provide an expenditure plan template
29 and plan development supports, including identifying evidence-based practices shown to improve performance

1 outcomes for these two subgroups, to districts and charter schools. Funds allocated under this section shall not
2 supplant otherwise available funding.

3 Effective beginning in Fiscal Year 2023, local school boards shall allocate not less than 98 percent of the
4 total allocation it receives generated by a specific school to that school. A local school board that wishes to allocate
5 the funds in a different manner may do so in accordance with 14 Del. C. §1704(4). Districts and charter schools
6 shall each submit an annual report to the Department of Education on the use of funds no later than January each
7 year detailing how each school expended funds earned under this section and total expenditures by school, and
8 make those reports publicly available on their website; the Department shall also make the submitted reports
9 publicly available on its website.

10 **Section 366.** Section 1 of this Act contains appropriations to the Department of Education, District and
11 Charter Operations (95-02-00) ~~\$1,848,477.3~~ \$2,009,315.7. The appropriations include a reduction of \$26,000.0 in
12 state operating funds originally taken in Fiscal Year 2018. The reductions shall be allocated proportionally to
13 districts and charter schools based upon the prior year Division I unit count as certified in 14 Del. C. § 1704(2) and
14 § 1710 or, where applicable, the preliminary roster as provided in 14 Del. C. § 504A(9).

15 As of July 1, reductions will be applied to Division II – All Other Costs. Districts and charter schools shall
16 be permitted to submit an alternative reduction plan to the Department of Education, Office of Management and
17 Budget and Office of the Controller General no later than the end of December. If a plan is not approved, the final
18 state allocation for Division II – All Other Costs will be reflective of the total reduction amount. If a plan is
19 approved, adjustments will be made by the end of January. Reduction plans should be in accordance with the
20 following:

21 (a) Districts may use Division I savings from unfilled units as a reduction for whole unfilled units. The
22 amount to be utilized as a credit per person will be as follows: Superintendent ~~\$149,175~~ \$156,773;
23 Assistant Superintendent ~~\$124,306~~ \$133,188; Administrative Assistant ~~\$77,022~~ \$81,682; Director
24 ~~\$133,458~~ \$134,410; Supervisor ~~\$98,633~~ \$104,882; Principal ~~\$98,633~~ \$122,447; Assistant Principal
25 ~~\$104,120~~ \$107,801; 10-month Teacher ~~\$77,699~~ \$82,372; 11-month Teacher ~~\$83,849~~ \$88,864; 12-
26 month Teacher ~~\$89,998~~ \$95,355; Secretary ~~\$62,440~~ \$65,031; and Custodian ~~\$55,779~~ \$63,182.

27 (b) Funds associated with the cash options authorized in 14 Del. C. § 1321(e)(9) for administrative
28 positions and 14 Del. C. § 1716(g) for academic excellence units are acceptable.

1 (c) Appropriations used to offset district funding reduction shall be taken from a state budget
2 appropriation and may not be taken from local funds. Reductions may not be taken from funding
3 provided for transportation costs.

4 **Section 367.** The International Baccalaureate Program at the John Dickinson High School in the Red Clay
5 Consolidated School District, currently serving grades 9-12, and being expanded to a middle school program for
6 grades 6-8, shall classify as a magnet program.

7 Thomas McKean High School is a unique school model in the Career and Technical education field by
8 providing a business model to each of their career pathways. This program will allow students to participate in a
9 comprehensive high school model in grades 9-12 and shall classify as a magnet program.

10 **Section 368.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates funds to Department of Education, District and Charter
11 Operations, Education Block Grants (95-02-05) for Student Success Block Grant. Said funds shall be used to
12 support reading assistance in kindergarten through fourth grade. Funds shall be allocated with the intention to
13 support one 10-month Reading Interventionist in each qualifying school only. Qualifying schools are those in a
14 district or a charter school, which meet the following criteria based on the prior year student unit count: (1) a grade
15 configuration containing kindergarten through fourth grade and (2) greater than or equal to 60 percent low socio-
16 economic status and/or greater than or equal to 20 percent ~~EL~~ multilingual learner enrollment. In the current fiscal
17 year, schools that were eligible last year but no longer meet the eligibility criteria shall continue to receive an
18 allocation equivalent to the prior fiscal year as a hold harmless. This hold harmless provision is only applicable for
19 the year after the criteria is no longer met. Additionally, schools that become eligible in the current fiscal year may
20 receive an allocation, contingent on availability of funding. State funds shall be based on the state share of
21 personnel costs for a teacher holding a master's degree plus 15 credits with 15 years of experience and employed
22 for 10 months. Districts and charters shall provide information for staff hired under this section as requested by the
23 Department of Education; any such staff shall work in collaboration with the Department to monitor student
24 progress and participate in professional learning. Each district and charter receiving funding shall provide a
25 summary of services to the Department, no later than September 1 of each year, detailing the number of students
26 served, types of services provided and data outcomes that show effectiveness of this initiative for the prior school
27 year.

1 (a) Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, all districts shall be
2 authorized to assess a local match to provide for the local contribution of personnel costs associated
3 with this appropriation.

4 (b) Funds allocated under this section are intended to support inclusion efforts in schools and shall not
5 supplant otherwise available funding. Local education agencies may request to use funding allocated
6 under the Student Success Block Grant for purposes other than intended upon the approval of the
7 Secretary of Education, the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller
8 General.

9 **Section 369.** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Delaware Code or this Act to the contrary, local
10 education agencies may request waivers to the public school transportation formula should those waivers result in a
11 net savings to transportation funds. Demonstrated savings shall mean the total state cost as determined by the public
12 school transportation formula being less than the total state cost of the prior fiscal year, adjusted for student count
13 and any changes to the transportation formula such as mileage, fuel, maintenance and bus driver compensation.
14 Transportation formula waivers may include, but not be limited to, the hourly limit used to determine a route as well
15 as efficiencies found when a school district provides transportation services to a charter school. Demonstrated
16 savings to the state transportation formula may be shared with the local education agency. Local education agency
17 transportation waivers to the school transportation formula, including requests for share savings resulting from such
18 waivers, shall be submitted no later than January 31 of the current fiscal year to the Secretary of Education and shall
19 be approved concurrently with the Director of the Office of Management and Budget and the Controller General.

20 **Section 370.** In accordance with an Order of the Court of Chancery, dated October 12, 2020, approving a
21 settlement between the parties in *In Re Delaware Public Schools Litigation*, the following shall apply:

22 ~~(a) Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and Charter~~
23 ~~Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) for School/County Ombudsperson to provide three~~
24 ~~Ombudspersons, one to serve in each county. The program shall focus on non-legal interventions with~~
25 ~~school districts to resolve disputes or complaints concerning different or unfair treatment of students,~~
26 ~~including disparate discipline, inequitable access to school programs, or other similar disputes or~~
27 ~~complaints. The program shall also serve students in charter schools. The Ombudspersons shall act as~~
28 ~~non-lawyer advocates for students and their families in any proceedings conducted by schools or local,~~

1 ~~state or federal education agencies. If determined to be appropriate and desirable, the contracted~~
2 ~~supplier may seek pro bono, or subcontract for, legal services.~~

3 (b) (a) Section 1 of this Act includes a total appropriation of ~~\$12,249.3~~ \$15,774.3 to Department of
4 Education, Pass Through and Other Support Programs, Special Needs Programs (95-03-20) for Early
5 Childhood Assistance Program. Of this appropriation, \$12,249.3 is included to provide at least fifty
6 percent of the additional seats made possible by the funding added above the Fiscal Year 2023
7 appropriation of \$6,149.3 shall to be allocated to non-LEA community based early care and education
8 programs. The additional \$3,525.0 shall be used to increase seats for early care and education of
9 infants, toddlers, 3- and 4-year-old children.

10 (c) (b) Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation of \$4,000.0 in Teacher Recruitment and Retention
11 to the Department of Education, District and Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) for
12 recruitment and retention of educators in Delaware's highest need schools, as identified by the
13 Department of Education.

14 **Section 371.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates 1.0 FTE, Education Associate, and 1.0 FTE, Director of
15 Early Childhood Intervention, in Department of Education, Early Childhood Supports (95-01-06) to support the
16 planned transition of the Birth to Three, Part C program from the Department of Health and Social Services to the
17 Department of Education. The Departments of Education and Health and Social Services shall continue
18 implementing the seamless transition of services which shall be completed no later than July 2028. The Department
19 of Education shall include any additional resources necessary for a successful transition in ~~the Department's Fiscal~~
20 ~~Year 2025~~ a future budget request.

21 **Section 372.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$300.0 in Department of Education, Pass
22 Through and Other Support Programs, Scholarships (95-03-40) for Mental Health and Speech Language Program.
23 The Mental Health Services Scholarship will support full-time students who are enrolled in a Master's degree
24 program in a Delaware Institute of Higher Education that will lead to certification as a school counselor, school
25 psychologist or social worker in a Delaware school. The Mental Health Services and Speech Language Loan
26 Repayment programs will support the repayment of educational loans for school counselors, school psychologists,
27 school social workers, and speech language pathologists. The Department of Education shall establish rules and
28 regulations to administer these funds.

1 **Section 373.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation of \$20,200.0 to the Department of Education,
2 District and Charter Operations (95-02-02) to Redding Consortium/Wilmington Learning Collaborative for
3 disadvantaged students.

4 (a) Of this amount, \$10,200.0 shall be used for Redding Consortium initiatives. These funds shall be allocated
5 pursuant to a spending plan submitted for approval by the Redding Consortium to the Co-Chairs of the
6 Joint Finance Committee, the Controller General's Office, and the Office of Management and Budget.
7 These funds may not be expended prior to the submission and approval of this plan.

8 i. Of these funds, \$156.0 shall be provided to the University of Delaware, Biden School of Public
9 Policy and \$84.0 shall be provided to Delaware State University to provide for staff support and
10 administrative needs of the Redding Consortium. No portion of these amounts shall be used to
11 fund overhead or student tuition expenses.

12 ii. All funds appropriated for the Redding Consortium are limited to uses dedicated to achieving
13 educational equity and to improve educational outcomes of all Pre-K to grade 12 students in the
14 City of Wilmington and northern New Castle County.

15 ~~iii. Any Requests for Applications issued for the Redding Consortium's Delaware Wraparound
16 Services Initiative shall request proposals for three year programs, with funds to be disbursed
17 annually provided that they are included in the state budget.~~

18 ~~iv. No Request for Application issued for the Redding Consortium's Delaware Wraparound Services
19 Initiative shall require minimum user rates for student health services offered as part of a response
20 to a Request for Application.~~

21 ~~v. Prior recipients of Redding Consortium Delaware Wraparound Services Initiative grants shall be
22 entitled to respond to Requests for Application issued consistent with these funds, but only for a
23 duration that would cause the total period of the recipient's original grant to be three years. Only
24 prior recipients who satisfy other conditions placed upon Redding Consortium Delaware
25 Wraparound Services Initiative grants may apply pursuant to this paragraph.~~

26 (b) Of this amount, \$10,000.0 shall be used for the Wilmington Learning Collaborative. These funds shall be
27 allocated pursuant to a spending plan submitted for approval by the Wilmington Learning Collaborative to
28 the Co-Chairs of the Joint Finance Committee, the Controller General's Office, and the Office of
29 Management and Budget. These funds may not be expended prior to the submission and approval of this

1 plan. Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware Code to the contrary, excluding 29 Del. C. c. 69,
2 participating schools shall have the flexibility to use all appropriated state funds to maximize educational
3 opportunities, including to cover personnel, contractual services, supplies and materials, or other
4 expenditures deemed necessary to support the Collaborative and the associated memoranda of
5 understanding.

6 (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69, the Department of Education is authorized to enter into
7 a contract for services with the Wilmington Learning Collaborative, Inc., or with any entity that provides
8 services to the Wilmington Learning Collaborative.

9 (d) It is the intent that the Redding Consortium and Wilmington Learning Collaborative coordinate spending
10 plans and programmatic initiatives in order to avoid duplicative programming and to improve student
11 outcomes for the City of Wilmington.

12 **Section 374.** Section 1 of this Act provides funding \$500.5 to the Department of Education, Workforce
13 Support (95-01-04) for in Contractual Services. ~~This funding includes an allocation to Jobs for Delaware Graduates,~~
14 ~~the.~~ Notwithstanding the provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 or any other provision to the contrary, the Department of
15 Education is authorized to enter into a contract or agreement to support school-to-work transitional services for
16 middle and high school students in Delaware.

17 **Section 375.** Section 1 of this Act makes an appropriation to Department of Education, District and
18 Charter Operations, Other Items (95-02-02) of \$1,000.0 for Mid-Year Unit Count. These funds are intended to
19 provide additional state funding for enrollment growth that occurs after the September 30 unit count each school
20 year. The Department of Education is authorized to conduct a mid-year unit count on the last school day of January
21 in each fiscal year for all school districts and charter schools. The mid-year unit count shall be conducted in the
22 same manner as the annual September 30 unit count. Upon certification of the mid-year unit count, the Department
23 shall allocate this funding to each school district and charter school that experienced net enrollment growth on a pro-
24 rated basis, weighted for needs-based funding as defined in 14 Del. C. §1703, as a percentage of the statewide net
25 enrollment growth. School districts and charter schools receiving funding through this allocation shall have
26 flexibility in the use of these funds to support costs associated with the increased enrollment. Any school district or
27 charter school that experienced a decrease in enrollment after the September 30 unit count shall be held harmless
28 and are not required to return any funds earned prior to the mid-year unit count. The Department shall explore the

1 necessary programming, including costs, to include changes in needs-based funding categories for existing students
2 to be incorporated within enrollment growth calculations in the future.

3 **Section 376.** Section 1 of this Act appropriates \$2,000.0 to Department of Education, District and Charter
4 Operations, Education Block Grants (95-02-05) for Substitute Teacher Block Grant. These funds shall be used to
5 employ full-time, 10-month substitute teachers to provide temporary teaching to pupils when a regular classroom
6 teacher is unavailable. Allocation of funds shall be targeted to high needs elementary, middle and high schools, with
7 populations of 50 percent or more low-income students.

8 Individuals employed using these funds shall be paid for 10 months at a starting salary equitable to no
9 degree, step 1 in accordance with 14 Del. C. §1305. Individuals hired under this subsection must possess a
10 bachelor's degree from an accredited institute of higher education. Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware
11 Code or this Act to the contrary, all school districts shall be authorized to assess a local match to provide for the
12 local contribution of personnel costs associated with this appropriation.

13 To ensure success of these individuals, each school district and charter school shall develop and implement
14 a professional development program specifically designed for these substitute teachers that, at a minimum, includes
15 all of the following:

- 16 (a) Implementing lesson plans.
- 17 (b) Classroom management.
- 18 (c) Student behavior, including disability awareness and behaviors that may manifest as a result of disabilities.
- 19 (d) Basic understanding of Individualized Education Plans and 504 Plans.
- 20 (e) All individuals hired under this section are subject to the provisions of 14 Del. C. c. 41 and, at the
21 discretion of each LEA, subject to district and building level professional development requirements.

22 **Section 377.** Section 1 of this Act makes appropriations for Student Excellence Equals Degree (SEED)
23 Scholarship and Inspire in Department of Education, Pass Through and Other Support Programs, Scholarships (95-
24 03-40).

- 25 (a) The University of Delaware (UD) and Delaware Technical Community College (DTCC) shall each compile
26 a report identifying the number of applicants, the numbers of accepted participants, the number of recipients
27 who graduated or received a certification during the academic year, the average SEED Scholarship award
28 per student, and the total amount of SEED Scholarships awarded for each of the five preceding academic
29 years.

1 (b) Delaware State University (DSU) shall compile a report identifying the number of applicants, the numbers
2 of accepted participants, the number of recipients who graduated or received a certification during the
3 academic year, the average Inspire Scholarship award per student, and the total amount of Inspire
4 Scholarships awarded for each of the five preceding academic years.

5 (c) Each Institution of Higher Education shall submit their respective report to the Secretary of Education,
6 Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and Controller General no later than November 1
7 annually.

8 **Section 378.** Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation for Substitute Reimbursement in the
9 Department of Education, District and Charter Operations (95-02-02). Included in said appropriation is funding for
10 paid family leave. For local education agencies, funding available for this program shall be limited to a maximum
11 value of the daily rate of a Class A substitute as specified in 14 Del. C. § 1326 and current year other employment
12 costs. Local education agencies shall submit the request for contractual substitute reimbursement to the Department
13 of Education and funding shall be transferred to the local education agencies for eligible costs. The Department of
14 Education shall submit a report to the Department of Human Resources detailing the number of persons using paid
15 family leave no later than August 15 following each school year.

16 **Section 379.** Amend 14 Del. C. § 1716(g) by making insertions as shown by underline and deletions as
17 shown by strikethroughs as shown below:

18 (g) A school district may elect to take a cash option for up to 30 percent of the units to which it is entitled
19 under this section in any fiscal year. Funds spent for extended time programs for children performing below
20 the standard level shall not count against the cash option limit. In such case, the district may use the funds
21 so derived for either Division I or Division II purposes; provided however, that such funds must be used for
22 educational services specified in subsection (c) of this section and may not be used to supplement state
23 salaries authorized in Chapter 13 of this title for any employee. The cash option shall provide ~~\$35,000 per~~
24 unit the number of dollars set in the state-supported salary schedule for a teacher holding a master's degree
25 with 10 years of experience and employed for 10 months.

26 **Section 380.** ~~Section 1 of this act appropriates Tuition Assistance to Higher Education, Delaware Institute of~~
27 ~~Veterinary Medical Education (DIVME) (90-07-01) contains an appropriation to Department of Education,~~
28 Scholarships, Veterinary Tuition Assistance (95-03-40) in the amount of \$497.6 for tuition assistance for veterinary
29 medicine program students to support a total of ~~13~~ 14 seats. Notwithstanding current laws of Delaware relating to

1 the DIVME program, these funds shall be used to provide tuition support for ~~eight existing~~ Delaware residents
2 studying at ~~the~~ veterinary medicine programs at ~~the~~ University of Georgia, and ~~four existing~~ Delaware residents
3 studying at ~~the~~ veterinary medicine program at Oklahoma State University, and one vacant seat for the coming year.
4 in accordance with the Southern Regional Education Board. The provisions of 29 Del. C. c. 69 shall not apply.

5 **Section 381.** Section 1 of this Act provides an appropriation of \$2,000.0 to Department of Education,
6 District and Charter Operations, Education Block Grants (95-02-05) for Athletic Trainers Block Grant. These funds
7 shall be allocated proportionally to districts and charter schools serving grades 9-12 with athletic programs, based
8 upon the certified, prior year enrollment. These funds shall be used to employ 10-month athletic trainers in
9 accordance with the salary schedule set forth in 14 Del. C. §1305. Notwithstanding any provision of the Delaware
10 Code or this Act to the contrary, all school districts shall be authorized to assess a local match to provide for the
11 local contribution of personnel costs associated with this appropriation.

12 **Section 382.** Amend 14 Del. C. § 509(g) by making insertions as shown by underline as follows:

13 Any payment received by a charter school pursuant to this section may be used for current operations,
14 minor capital improvements, debt service payments or tuition payments. Charter Schools shall submit a centralized
15 Annual Report to include a staff salary section that details pay, increases, and benefits provided for each Fiscal
16 Year. Reported pay increases must demonstrate how the charter school used all additional appropriated funds from
17 the Legislature. The report shall be submitted to the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Secretary of
18 the Senate, the Office of the Controller General, and the Office of Management and Budget. The report shall be due
19 no later than December 31st of each year.

20 **Section 383.** Amend 14 Del. C. § 1321(a) by making insertions as shown by underline as follows:

21 The Department of Education shall be authorized to revise the salary to be paid to any of its professional
22 personnel, which shall enable the Department to pay salary supplements up to the equivalent, but in no case to
23 exceed the average of the 3 highest salaries for like positions paid by school districts. The Department of Education
24 shall be authorized to designate up to ~~47~~19 positions within its authorized full-time complement to function as team
25 leaders or directors. In recognition of the administrative or management responsibility assigned to these positions,
26 such individuals shall receive up to \$7,210 more than the amount that a similarly qualified and experienced
27 education associate would be entitled to receive in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

28 **Section 384.** All school districts and charter schools are required to utilize the State's student information
29 system, as contracted for by the Department of Education.

1 **Section 385.** Section 1 of this Act contains an appropriation to the Department of Education, District and
2 Charter Operations, Other Items, Child Nutrition (95-02-02) in the amount of \$242.0 for purposes of House
3 Substitute 2 to House Bill 125 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly. This appropriation should be
4 used to cover the difference between the federal reimbursement rate for reduced-price meals and free meals to allow
5 students who qualify for a reduced-price meal to receive the meal free of charge.

6 **Section 386.** Section 1 of this Act contains an appropriation to the Department of Education, District and
7 Charter Operations, Other Items, Mental Health Services (95-02-02). Of this amount, \$10,000.0 shall be used for the
8 purpose of House Bill 200 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly. \$9,800.0 shall be allocated for
9 Mental Health Services Units for grades 9 – 12 for school districts and charter schools and shall be allocated as a
10 block grant. Distribution of said funds to local education agencies (LEA) shall be on a pro-rata basis based on
11 student population as determined by the September 2023 unit count. To the extent that funding is available, LEAs
12 may not reduce existing ratios. Funding may be used to cover 100 percent of personnel costs, excluding any
13 additional local benefits provided by the school district or charter school, on a 10 to 12-month basis and/or
14 contracted services for school psychologists. The remaining \$200.0 shall be allocated for purposes of House Bill 200
15 or similar legislation of the 152nd General Assembly for the Mental Health Critical Need Reimbursement Program
16 and shall be awarded on a pro-rata basis based on the size of the applicant pool.

17 **Section 387.** Amend Title 14 of the Delaware Code, §1916 (b) with deletions as shown by strikethrough
18 and insertions as shown by underline as follows:

19 (b) Whenever the qualified voters of a reorganized school district have approved a specific rate of taxation
20 or specified amount of taxation under § 1903 of this title and a subsequent general reassessment of all real estate in
21 the county changes the total assessed valuation of the school district, the local board of education of each such local
22 school district shall calculate a new real estate tax rate which, at its maximum, would realize no more than a 10%
23 increase in actual revenue over the revenue derived by real estate tax levied in the fiscal year immediately preceding
24 such reassessed real estate valuation. In the event the qualified voters of a reorganized school district approve a
25 specific rate of taxation or specified amount of taxation under § 1903 of this title to be collected, and there is a
26 reassessment effective after voter approval, but before actual revenue is derived from increased taxation resulting
27 from such voter approval, the local board of education of each such local school district shall calculate a new real
28 estate tax rate which, at its maximum, would realize no more than a 10% increase in actual revenue over the revenue
29 announced, projected or calculated to be derived by such voter approval and prior voter approvals. Any subsequent

- 1 increase in rate of taxation shall be achieved only by an election of the qualified voters in such local school district
- 2 according to the procedures in §1903 of this title.

SYNOPSIS

This Bill is the Fiscal Year 2025 Appropriations Act.

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FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (01-00-00) LEGISLATIVE

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
	38.0		39.0								7,764.2
											25.3
											70.0
											1,500.0
											60.0
											389.3
											100.0
	38.0		39.0								8,217.4
	33.0		34.0								5,597.4
											29.8
											22.3
											450.0
											60.0
											199.4
											55.0
	33.0		34.0								5,995.0
											29.0
											40.0
											0.4

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (02-00-00) JUDICIAL

Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025			Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025					
Personnel			Personnel			S Program			S Program					
NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	\$ Line Item	GF	\$ Line Item	GF	
(02-03-00) Superior Court														
		318.5			316.5						28,087.5			29,877.8
					Personnel Costs									
					Travel						57.7			57.7
					Contractual Services						422.4			422.4
					Supplies and Materials						206.8			206.8
					Capital Outlay						41.4			41.4
					Other Items:									
					Jury Expenses						597.8			597.8
					Expungement Acts						627.3			635.1
					Court Security									
		330.5			328.5						117.8			152.8
					TOTAL -- Superior Court						117.8			152.8
		330.5			328.5			117.8	30,040.9	152.8	31,839.0	429.9	12,069.8	459.2
					(-10) Superior Court									
					TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			117.8	30,040.9	152.8	31,839.0	429.9	12,069.8	459.2
(02-06-00) Court of Common Pleas														
		6.0			6.0						255.1			255.1
					Personnel Costs									
					Travel						14.8			14.8
					Contractual Services						230.4			230.8
					Supplies and Materials						85.6			87.1
					Capital Outlay									
					Other Item:						4.0			4.0
					Court Security									
		2.0			2.0						170.8			200.1
					TOTAL -- Court of Common Pleas						429.9			459.2
		8.0			8.0			429.9	12,069.8	459.2	13,032.3	429.9	12,069.8	459.2
					(-10) Court of Common Pleas									
					TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit			429.9	12,069.8	459.2	13,032.3	429.9	12,069.8	459.2
(02-08-00) Family Court														
		1.0			1.0						5,048.7			5,353.7
					Personnel Costs									
					Travel						29.7			29.7
					Contractual Services						472.7			472.7
					Supplies and Materials						139.9			139.9
					Capital Outlay						48.0			48.0
		259.7			265.7						5,048.7			5,353.7
					Personnel Costs									
					Travel						12.4			14.1
					Contractual Services						175.5			178.8
					Supplies and Materials						48.1			49.6
					Capital Outlay									

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (02-00-00) JUDICIAL

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 S Program		Fiscal Year 2025 S Program		Fiscal Year 2024 S Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 S Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
(02-17-00) Administrative Office of the Courts -											
Court Services											
	86.5		87.5						7,897.5		8,692.7
									26.5		26.5
									1,395.2		1,134.3
									3.1		3.1
									271.5		271.5
									216.8		216.8
									1,926.2		1,926.2
									100.0		100.0
									58.3		58.3
									47.0		47.0
									361.0		361.0
									523.3		523.3
									177.6		177.6
								33.4	361.4		361.4
								2,050.0	2,050.0		2,050.0
									20.0		20.0
									100.0		100.0
									1,650.0		1,650.0
	86.5		87.5					2,083.4	13,485.4		15,666.6
TOTAL -- Administrative Office of the Courts -											
Court Services											
	37.0		37.0			2,083.4	5,986.0		2,050.0		7,899.0
	9.0		9.0				670.3				721.1
	37.0		38.0				6,352.7				6,551.6
	3.5		3.5				476.4				494.9
	86.5		87.5			2,083.4	13,485.4		2,050.0		15,666.6

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(10-00-00) EXECUTIVE**

Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025			Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025		
Personnel			Personnel			\$ Program			\$ Program		
NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	2.0			2.0				323.9		338.6	
								14,000.0	4,000.0	14,000.0	50.0
								4,000.0	4,000.0	4,000.0	4,000.0
								14,323.9	8,000.0	14,338.6	8,050.0
26.2	121.8	271.0	26.2	123.8	290.0			108,142.6	365,809.5	149,955.2	438,626.8

(10-08-01) Delaware State Housing Authority
 Personnel Costs
 Other Items:
 Student Housing Emergency Assistance Fund
 Housing Development Fund
 State Rental Assistance Program

TOTAL -- Delaware State Housing Authority

TOTAL -- EXECUTIVE

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(11-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATION**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
4.0	5.0	1.0		10,570.3	131.7	10,575.2	131.7	4,437.5	13,083.0	5,271.1	14,061.4
6.5	29.5	4.0	5.0	913.9	5,052.3	1,040.5	5,092.4	40.0	1.9	40.0	1.9
8.0	22.0	6.5	27.5	7,824.6	13,560.5	6,265.9	14,321.1	2,375.0	1,290.1	2,375.0	1,290.1
9.0	23.0	9.0	20.0	5,304.3	4,601.7	5,601.3	8,703.1	5.0	3.4	5.0	3.4
27.5	79.5	8.0	24.0	1,391.7	5,125.2	1,957.9	5,386.7	70.0	2,079.8	870.0	3,879.8
		28.5	76.5	26,004.8	28,471.4	25,440.8	33,635.0	6,927.5	16,459.2	8,561.1	19,616.6
41.0	99.0	40.0	100.0	(11-04-00) Technology Office							
		40.0	100.0	Personnel Costs							
				Travel							
				Contractual Services							
				Supplies and Materials							
				Capital Outlay							
				Hardware and Software							
				Technology							
41.0	99.0	40.0	100.0	TOTAL -- Technology Office							
		13.0		290.2	2,043.8	29.0	2,162.9				
4.0	13.0	4.0	13.0	437.6	1,870.6	571.4	2,190.5				
28.0	39.0	27.0	40.0	5,184.8	5,538.7	5,754.3	7,240.5				
4.0	27.0	4.0	27.0	426.9	6,155.5	1,559.6	6,410.8				
5.0	7.0	5.0	7.0	588.0	850.6	646.8	1,611.9				
41.0	99.0	40.0	100.0	6,927.5	16,459.2	8,561.1	19,616.6				
				(11-05-00) Office of Policy and Communications							
				Personnel Costs							
5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0
5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0
5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	TOTAL -- Office of Policy and Communications							
				Personnel Costs							
5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0
5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0	546.4	546.4	591.0	591.0
				TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit							

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(11-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY AND INFORMATION**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
21.9	50.1	21.9	52.1					2,269.2	4,953.3	1,946.2	5,332.1
											100.0
											500.0
21.9	50.1	21.9	52.1					2,269.2	4,953.3	1,946.2	6,132.1
16.0	39.0	16.0	41.0			1,118.2	4,565.2				
5.9	11.1	5.9	11.1			828.0	1,566.9				
21.9	50.1	21.9	52.1			1,946.2	6,132.1				
95.4	258.6	95.4	258.6					36,584.9	60,084.9	38,352.5	67,910.7

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**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(12-00-00) OTHER ELECTIVE**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
2.7	86.3	3.7	87.3					6,815.6		7,469.1	
								85.0		85.0	
								1,913.3		2,233.3	
								39.7		99.7	
								67.1		67.1	
								3,481.9		3,533.4	
								36.5		36.5	
								17,000.0		17,000.0	
								30.0		30.0	
2.7	86.3	3.7	87.3					29,469.1		30,554.1	
2.7	100.3	3.7	101.3					30,796.6		32,228.3	
4.0	4.0	5.0	4.0					253.7	672.2	506.8	713.1
								24.5		24.5	
								216.6	192.9	216.6	192.9
								9.1	5.3	9.1	5.3
								25.5		25.5	
4.0	4.0	5.0	4.0					529.4	870.4	782.5	911.3
8.0		8.0						906.0		866.9	
8.0		8.0						3,687.0		4,166.0	
								4,593.0		5,032.9	

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (15-00-00) LEGAL

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025			
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item			
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF		
48.1	68.6	49.1	74.6	(15-01-00) Department of Justice									
				354.3	358.3	Personnel Costs		1,645.9	42,046.9	1,750.5	45,688.5		
						Travel			12.3		12.3		
						Contractual Services			2,047.8		2,083.7		
						Energy			62.1		62.1		
						Supplies and Materials			67.8		67.8		
						Capital Outlay			9.0		9.0		
						Other Items:							
						Extradition			166.0		166.0		
						Victims Rights			272.6		272.6		
						Securities Administration							
						Child Support		192.1		192.1			
						Consumer Protection		1,167.8		1,167.8			
						AG Opinion Fund		1,646.8		1,646.8			
						Transcription Services		3,055.5		3,055.5			
						National Mortgage Settlement		15.0		15.0			
						Child, Inc.		1,390.2	170.0	1,390.2	170.0		
						People's Place II			757.8				
						Body Camera Program			794.3				
						False Claims		660.1	2,879.6	660.1	2,969.0		
						Expungement Acts							
						Firearm Transition Approval Program			173.7		180.6		
						Tobacco Fund:			175.3		175.3		
						Personnel Costs		228.9		228.9			
						Marijuana Control Act							
						Victim Compensation Assistance Program:							
						Personnel Costs		550.0		550.0			
						Travel		24.0		24.0			
						Contractual Services		82.3		82.3			

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(15-00-00) LEGAL**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
48.1	78.6	379.3	49.1	86.6	383.3			20.0		20.0	
								6.0		6.0	
								1.5		1.5	
								2,500.0		2,500.0	
								13,186.1		13,186.1	
								49,635.2		49,635.2	
								13,695.9		13,695.9	
								51,856.9		51,856.9	
								13,186.1		13,186.1	
								49,635.2		49,635.2	
								13,695.9		13,695.9	
								51,856.9		51,856.9	
								31,661.4		31,661.4	
								5,471.0		5,471.0	
								18,512.5		18,512.5	
								7,677.9		7,677.9	
								31,661.4		31,661.4	
								33,395.7		33,395.7	
								13,186.1		13,186.1	
								81,296.6		81,296.6	
								13,695.9		13,695.9	
								85,252.6		85,252.6	

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(16-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
(16-01-00) Office of the Secretary											
2.0	38.5	111.5	2.0	37.5	67.5			3,972.2	11,278.8	3,844.4	7,949.9
								0.2	13.0	0.2	23.0
								577.9	794.3	577.9	1,111.3
									8.3		18.3
									7.5		7.5
2.0	38.5	111.5	2.0	37.5	67.5			4,550.3	12,101.9	4,422.5	9,110.0
2.0	38.5	111.5	2.0	37.5	67.5	4,550.3	12,101.9	4,550.3	12,101.9	4,422.5	9,110.0
2.0	38.5	111.5	2.0	37.5	67.5	4,550.3	12,101.9	4,550.3	12,101.9	4,422.5	9,110.0
(16-02-00) Division of Talent Management											
2.5	2.5	3.5	3.0	29.0	29.0			309.4	934.4	325.2	2,932.5
								2.0		2.0	
								4.6	3.1	4.6	3.1
									0.2		0.2
2.5	2.5	3.5	3.0	29.0	29.0			316.0	937.7	331.8	2,935.8
2.5	2.5	3.5	3.0	29.0	29.0	316.0	937.7	316.0	937.7	331.8	2,935.8
2.5	2.5	3.5	3.0	29.0	29.0	316.0	937.7	316.0	937.7	331.8	2,935.8
(16-03-00) Division of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion											
1.5	1.5	3.5	1.0	3.0	3.0			115.7	437.3	1.9	348.8
									2.0		2.0
								2.7	5.6	2.7	5.6
									1.0		1.0
1.5	1.5	3.5	1.0	3.0	3.0			118.4	445.9	4.6	357.4
1.5	1.5	3.5	1.0	3.0	3.0	118.4	445.9	118.4	445.9	4.6	357.4
1.5	1.5	3.5	1.0	3.0	3.0	118.4	445.9	118.4	445.9	4.6	357.4

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(16-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Personnel		Personnel		Personnel		Personnel	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF
	2.0		3.0	19.0							
	10.0		19.0								
	2.0		3.0	19.0							
	10.0		19.0								
	2.0		3.0	19.0							
	10.0		19.0								
	2.0		3.0	19.0							
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	2.0		3.0	19.0							
	10.0		19.0								
	2.0		3.0	19.0							

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(16-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
(16-07-00) Division of Training and Human Resource Solutions											
4.0	10.0	4.0	11.0					411.1	411.1	1,035.5	1,167.2
								3.3	3.3	0.1	0.1
								380.3	380.3	231.8	295.8
								15.9	15.9		
								100.0	100.0		
								55.0	55.0	25.0	25.0
								965.6	965.6	350.0	350.0
4.0	10.0	4.0	11.0					965.6	965.6	1,642.4	1,838.1
TOTAL -- Division of Training and Human Resource Solutions											
4.0	10.0	4.0	11.0	965.6	1,642.4	965.6	1,838.1				
				965.6	1,642.4	965.6	1,838.1				
(16-08-00) Division of Classification, Compensation and Talent Acquisition											
10.5	15.5	10.5	25.5					1,009.3	1,107.2	1,354.2	2,587.6
								2.0	2.0		
								177.6	177.6	248.0	248.0
										1.2	1.2
										490.7	498.8
10.5	27.5	10.5	37.5					1,188.9	1,286.8	2,094.1	3,335.6
TOTAL -- Division of Classification, Compensation and Talent Acquisition											
10.5	27.5	10.5	37.5	1,188.9	2,094.1	1,286.8	3,335.6				
				1,188.9	2,094.1	1,286.8	3,335.6				
33.0	60.0	33.0	60.0	169.0	168.0	7,604.2	38,449.7				
TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES											

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	GF	ASF	GF	NSF	GF	ASF	GF
(20-01-00) Office of the Secretary											
	13.5	41.5		13.5	39.5					1,071.2	3,176.3
										44.1	17.5
										2,588.0	521.8
											74.9
										108.3	43.5
										168.0	168.0
											350.0
											180.0
											100.0
											42.2
										6.0	6.0
										500.0	500.0
											1,000.0
											5,110.6
											5,202.1
TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary											
	13.5	41.5		13.5	39.5	3,109.7	1,593.1	3,734.7	2,020.8		
											220.0
											1,149.9
											6.0
											474.1
											5,110.6
											5,202.1
(20-02-00) Human and Civil Rights											
	1.0	8.0		1.0	7.0						687.2
											4.0
											119.3
											7.8
											0.6
											6.0
											6.0
											818.9
											6.0
											759.1
											6.0
											759.1
TOTAL -- Human and Civil Rights											
	1.0	8.0		1.0	7.0	6.0	818.9	6.0	759.1		
											6.0
											759.1
											6.0
											759.1

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		
Personnel		Personnel		S Program		S Program		S Line Item		S Line Item		
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	
	15.0	16.0	15.0	16.0					1,160.8	1,177.8	1,160.8	1,270.9
									3.8		3.8	
									361.1	207.1	361.1	209.3
									52.4		52.4	
									35.0		35.0	
										14.7		14.7
									10.0		10.0	
									40.8		40.8	
									60.0		60.0	
									250.0		250.0	
	15.0	16.0	15.0	16.0	1,723.9	1,399.6	1,973.9	1,494.9	1,723.9	1,399.6	1,973.9	1,494.9
	15.0	16.0	15.0	16.0	1,723.9	1,399.6	1,973.9	1,494.9				
	15.0	16.0	15.0	16.0								
0.5	77.5		0.5	77.5					7,249.5		7,444.5	
									151.4		151.4	
									6,392.3		6,392.3	
									8.0		8.0	
									147.9		147.9	
									256.4		256.4	
									100.0		100.0	
									54.5		54.5	
									15.0		15.0	
0.5	77.5		0.5	77.5					14,375.0		14,375.0	
	42.0				9,160.8		9,322.7					
0.5	29.5		0.5	27.5	4,128.0		4,161.1					
	6.0				1,086.2		1,086.2					
0.5	77.5		0.5	77.5	14,375.0		14,570.0					

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

	Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025			Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025		
	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	\$ Program	GF	ASF	\$ Program	GF	\$ Line Item
Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel												
	3.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	3.0						
(20-07-00) Arts												
Personnel Costs												330.2
Travel												0.9
Contractual Services												57.3
Supplies and Materials												1.0
Other Items:												
Art for the Disadvantaged												10.0
Delaware Art												419.2
Delaware Arts Trust Fund												1,321.0
TOTAL -- Arts	3.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	3.0						2,600.0
												4,088.2
(-01) Office of the Director												
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	3.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	3.0	4,088.2	790.9	4,088.2	5,088.2	818.6	4,781.6
												4,781.6
(20-08-00) Libraries												
Personnel Costs	7.0	4.0	4.0	7.0	4.0	4.0						285.2
Travel												414.2
Contractual Services												0.5
Supplies and Materials												56.4
Capital Outlay												18.4
Other Items:												5.4
Library Standards												
Delaware Electronic Library												
DELNET - Statewide												
Scholarships and Grants												
Public Education Project												
Corporation Technology												
TOTAL -- Libraries	7.0	4.0	4.0	7.0	4.0	4.0						2,346.4
												700.0
												50.0
												585.0
												220.0
												1,000.0
												750.0
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	7.0	4.0	4.0	7.0	4.0	4.0	4,781.6	6,169.1	4,781.6	5,346.6	6,353.1	4,781.6
												4,781.6
												5,346.6
												6,353.1
												6,353.1

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
		NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF
81.0	144.0	80.0	145.0					4,201.0	12,058.1	4,201.0	12,743.6
								3.4		3.4	
								1,448.3	831.8	1,448.3	962.7
									528.7		528.7
								848.4	779.9	848.4	779.9
								9.9	80.6	9.9	80.6
81.0	144.0	80.0	145.0					6,511.0	14,279.1	6,511.0	15,095.5
81.0	144.0	80.0	145.0								
81.0	144.0	80.0	145.0					6,511.0	14,279.1	6,511.0	15,095.5
7.0	19.0	7.0	19.0								
								805.7	2,253.5	805.7	2,480.6
								20.0	6.3	20.0	6.3
								903.8	1.7	903.8	1.7
								20.9	14.0	20.9	14.0
								24.8	6.6	24.8	6.6
								25.0		25.0	
								400.0	150.5	400.0	150.5
1.0		1.0						1,700.1		1,700.1	
								320.9		320.9	
								300.0		300.0	
								379.5		379.5	
								22.8		22.8	
								9.6		9.6	
								1,025.0		1,025.0	
								78.0		78.0	
									625.0		625.0
8.0	19.0	8.0	19.0					6,036.1	3,057.6	6,013.3	3,284.7
1.0	19.0	1.0	19.0								
7.0		7.0									
8.0	19.0	8.0	19.0					6,036.1	3,057.6	6,013.3	3,284.7

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(20-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		S Program		S Program		S Line Item		S Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
36.0		36.0						2,758.2		2,758.2	
								80.0		80.0	
								955.0		955.0	
								20.0		20.0	
								67.5		67.5	
36.0		36.0						3,880.7		3,880.7	
36.0		36.0				3,880.7					
36.0		36.0				3,880.7					
(20-16-00) Office of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commissioner											
	8.0		8.0							658.4	782.1
								8.0		8.0	0.5
								72.9		72.9	11.5
								3.0		3.0	7.1
	8.0		8.0					83.9		83.9	801.2
						83.9					
						83.9					
16.9	357.1	16.9	368.1	274.0	272.0	16.9	368.1	73,789.1	35,089.6	77,709.3	37,440.0

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(25-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		S Program		S Program		S Line Item		S Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
		13.0		13.0							
		13.0							1,615.2		1,713.4
									3.5		3.5
									339.8		391.8
									3.7		3.7
									37.8		37.8
		15.0	15.0					19,829.0		19,934.1	
		34.0	33.0					50,438.3		55,666.8	
		49.0	48.0	13.0	13.0			70,267.3	2,000.0	75,600.9	5.5
		49.0	48.0	13.0	13.0	70,267.3	2,000.0	75,600.9	2,155.7	75,600.9	2,155.7
		49.0	48.0	13.0	13.0	70,267.3	2,000.0	75,600.9	2,155.7	75,600.9	2,155.7
		10.7	10.8	42.3	42.2			1,036.0	4,078.3	1,154.2	4,351.8
								12.0	1.5	12.0	1.5
								810.4	316.5	826.6	316.5
								41.5	10.3	41.5	10.3
								5.0		5.0	
		10.7	10.8	42.3	42.2	1,904.9	5,324.1	1,904.9	917.5	2,039.3	917.5
		10.7	10.8	42.3	42.2	1,904.9	5,324.1	1,904.9	5,324.1	2,039.3	5,597.6
		10.7	10.8	42.3	42.2	1,904.9	5,324.1	1,904.9	5,324.1	2,039.3	5,597.6

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(35-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel	Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025														
	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF													
190.9	199.8	205.6	297.1																						
190.9	199.8	190.6	200.5																						
190.9	199.8	15.0	96.6																						
190.9	199.8	205.6	297.1																						
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
(35-08-00) Visually Impaired Personnel Costs Travel Contractual Services Energy Supplies and Materials Capital Outlay Other Items: BEP Unassigned Vending BEP Independence BEP Vending Education Educational Technology													3,916.7	1.5	764.9	75.1	66.8	39.1	175.0	450.0	425.0	1,050.0	5,359.1	1,050.0	5,588.3
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
TOTAL -- Social Services (-01) Social Services (-02) State Service Centers TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit													2,259.1	117,081.0	2,259.1	128,378.3	663.1	12,809.1	2,922.2	141,187.4	2,259.1	117,081.0	2,922.2	141,187.4	
TOTAL -- Visually Impaired (-01) Visually Impaired Services TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit													1,050.0	5,359.1	1,050.0	5,588.3	1,050.0	5,588.3	1,050.0	5,359.1	1,050.0	5,588.3			
190.9	199.8	205.6	297.1																						
190.9	199.8	190.6	200.5																						
190.9	199.8	15.0	96.6																						
190.9	199.8	205.6	297.1																						
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
18.1	46.9	18.0	47.0																						
TOTAL -- Social Services (-01) Social Services (-02) State Service Centers TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit													2,259.1	117,081.0	2,259.1	128,378.3	663.1	12,809.1	2,922.2	141,187.4	2,259.1	117,081.0	2,922.2	141,187.4	
TOTAL -- Visually Impaired (-01) Visually Impaired Services TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit													1,050.0	5,359.1	1,050.0	5,588.3	1,050.0	5,588.3	1,050.0	5,359.1	1,050.0	5,588.3			

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(35-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
30.2	37.8	29.7	40.3	(35-09-00) Health Care Quality							
				Personnel Costs						3,608.9	3,985.8
				Travel						0.3	0.3
				Contractual Services						152.3	919.5
				Energy						8.2	8.2
				Supplies and Materials						15.2	15.2
				Other Items:							
				HFLC							
				Renewal Fees							
				Background Check Center							
				LTC Survey							
30.2	37.8	29.7	40.3	TOTAL -- Health Care Quality						1,583.6	4,929.0
30.2	37.8	29.7	40.3	(-01) Health Care Quality	1,583.6	3,784.9	1,583.6	4,929.0			
30.2	37.8	29.7	40.3	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	1,583.6	3,784.9	1,583.6	4,929.0	1,583.6	3,784.9	4,929.0
125.5	2.5	54.1	54.4	(35-10-00) Child Support Services							
				Personnel Costs						188.0	3,994.1
				Travel						9.6	9.6
				Contractual Services						824.9	276.9
				Energy						276.0	16.1
				Supplies and Materials						16.1	16.1
				Capital Outlay						30.0	23.0
				Other Items:							
				Recoupment						162.9	162.9
				Technology Operations						25.0	25.0
125.5	2.5	54.1	54.4	TOTAL -- Child Support Services						1,919.3	1,919.3
125.5	2.5	54.1	54.4	(-01) Child Support Services	1,263.4	5,925.7	1,463.4	6,206.4			
125.5	2.5	54.1	54.4	TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	1,263.4	5,925.7	1,463.4	6,206.4	1,263.4	5,925.7	6,206.4

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(35-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel	Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		
	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	
1.8	1.0	406.6	1.2	1.0	407.0	(35-11-00) Developmental Disabilities Services							
						Personnel Costs							
						Travel						42.4	29,614.6
						Contractual Services						1.1	1.1
						Energy						3,840.8	3,902.7
						Supplies and Materials						919.7	919.7
						Capital Outlay						810.9	810.9
						Tobacco Fund:						13.5	13.5
						Family Support							
						Autism Supports						55.9	55.9
						Other Items:						575.0	575.0
						Music Stipends							
						Purchase of Community Services							
						DDDS State Match						4,843.5	27,766.6
1.8	1.0	406.6	1.2	1.0	407.0	TOTAL -- Developmental Disabilities Services						5,516.8	130,564.3
1.3	1.0	78.2	1.2	1.0	80.8	(-10) Administration						617.4	7,682.0
0.5	1.0	117.6	1.2	1.0	122.4	(-20) Stockley Center						17,580.9	18,280.9
						(-30) Community Services						4,899.4	115,086.5
1.8	1.0	406.6	1.2	1.0	407.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units						5,516.8	141,049.4
15.5		97.1				(35-12-00) State Service Centers							
						Personnel Costs							
						Travel						7.8	7,679.8
						Contractual Services						320.1	1,182.5
						Energy						231.3	828.0
						Supplies and Materials						64.1	70.8
						Capital Outlay						39.8	6.6
						Other Items:							
						Family Access and Visitation							
						Community Food Program						473.0	473.0
						Emergency Housing/Shelters						433.7	433.7
						Kinship Care						1,658.6	1,658.6
						Hispanic Affairs						60.0	60.0
15.5		97.1				TOTAL -- State Service Centers						663.1	12,443.0
15.5		97.1				(-30) State Service Centers						663.1	12,443.0
15.5		97.1				TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit						663.1	12,443.0

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(35-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	GF	ASF	GF	NSF	GF	ASF	GF
24.5	593.1	24.8	583.9								
								44,766.1	44,766.1	568.5	47,332.8
								1.1	1.1	153.2	1.1
								20,352.4	20,352.4	25.0	22,014.6
								1,258.5	1,258.5	25.0	1,258.5
								2,225.6	2,225.6	25.0	2,225.6
								50.5	50.5	500.0	50.5
										568.5	568.5
										133.2	133.2
										25.0	25.0
										500.0	500.0
										69.5	69.5
										559.0	559.0
										1,674.3	1,674.3
										25.0	25.0
										15.0	15.0
										250.0	250.0
										83.2	83.2
										110.0	110.0
24.5	593.1	24.8	583.9					3,819.5	69,886.4	4,239.5	74,115.3
24.5	105.4	24.8	104.3					1,241.7	26,436.8	1,261.7	28,663.9
	487.7		479.6					2,577.8	43,449.6	2,977.8	45,451.4
24.5	593.1	24.8	583.9					3,819.5	69,886.4	4,239.5	74,115.3
1,011.5	79.0	1,007.6	84.3	2,926.2	84.3	144,023.6	1,496,077.8	141,623.7	1,635,847.5		

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(37-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
(37-01-00) Management Support Services											
8.1	6.0	205.7	5.0	8.2	204.9			471.4	19,047.9	471.4	20,211.9
									22.2		22.2
									4,866.6		4,876.7
									22.2		22.2
									311.6		311.6
									8.4		8.4
									6,714.5		7,716.5
									613.9		613.9
									80.0		80.0
									2,500.0		2,500.0
									61.1		61.1
8.1	6.0	205.7	5.0	8.2	204.9			551.4	34,168.4	551.4	36,344.5
4.0	0.5	60.0	4.3	0.5	8.0		3,831.5				3,907.6
4.1	5.5	37.5	0.7	7.7	61.0	180.0	5,739.4			180.0	6,091.1
						371.4	2,927.5			371.4	3,140.8
							4,106.8				4,160.2
							69.8				69.8
							537.5				706.3
							7,390.6				7,567.5
							9,565.3			1,500.0	10,701.2
8.1	6.0	205.7	5.0	8.2	204.9	551.4	34,168.4	2,051.4	36,344.5	2,051.4	36,344.5
(37-04-00) Prevention and Behavioral Health Services											
8.0	31.7	178.3	8.0	30.8	176.0			3,192.7	15,797.2	3,192.7	16,885.2
									14.9		14.9
									28,776.9		28,787.6
									137.2		137.2
									318.5		318.5
									14.9		14.9
									40.0		40.0

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(37-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF
			Other Items:								
		2.0									133.0
		57.0									4,832.1
			2.0								1,725.0
			57.0								3,009.3
			Targeted Prevention Programs								
			Middle School Behavioral Health Consultants								
			TOTAL -- Prevention and Behavioral Health Services								
8.0	31.7	237.3	8.0	30.8	235.0				5,732.7	54,759.0	5,732.7
5.0	4.9	20.0	5.0	4.0	23.0		1,036.0	5,313.4			
3.0	1.5	69.5	3.0	1.5	69.5		405.1	12,335.4			
	25.3	54.3		24.8	53.0		2,691.6	19,189.9			
		93.5		0.5	89.5		1,600.0	19,752.6			
8.0	31.7	237.3	8.0	30.8	235.0		5,732.7	54,759.0			
			TOTAL -- Internal Program Units								
			(37-05-00) Youth Rehabilitative Services								
1.0		392.0	1.0		393.0						32,544.6
											16.8
											14,369.6
											898.1
											1,438.7
											6.7
1.0		392.0	1.0		393.0						49,274.5
			TOTAL -- Youth Rehabilitative Services								
											924.6
											18,401.4
											31,405.6
											50,731.6
			(37-06-00) Family Services								
16.2	6.0	398.0	16.0	6.0	402.1						31,008.5
											20.4
											3,247.0
											5.2
											73.4
											13.8
											653.7
											653.7
											32,474.3
											20.4
											3,340.8
											5.2
											73.4
											13.8
											5,732.7
											56,591.3
											33,955.1
											16.8
											14,416.2
											898.1
											1,438.7
											6.7
											50,731.6

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(37-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		\$ Program		\$ Program		\$ Line Item		\$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
16.2	6.0	16.0	6.0	402.1				653.7	72,243.2	1,653.7	75,277.5
9.5	2.0	9.0	2.0	212.1	40.0	34.7	6,605.4	34.7	5,544.7		
6.7	4.0	7.0	4.0	150.0		246.0	16,342.3	246.0	17,125.4		
16.2	6.0	16.0	6.0	402.1		373.0	49,295.5	1,373.0	52,607.4		
						653.7	72,243.2	1,653.7	75,277.5		
33.3	43.7	30.0	45.0	1,235.0				6,937.8	210,445.1	9,437.8	218,944.9

Other Items:
 Emergency Material Assistance
 Child Welfare/Contractual Services
 Pass Throughs:
 Children's Advocacy Center
 People's Place - Milford
 Child, Inc.

TOTAL -- Family Services
TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(40-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
90.6	126.6	88.8	88.8	98.9	124.5	92.6	92.6	3,598.4	8,827.3	3,604.6	9,933.5
								53.0	53.0	53.0	53.0
								1,785.9	1,163.6	1,785.9	1,168.1
									118.5		118.5
								106.4	284.8	106.4	299.8
								130.0		130.0	
									61.2		
								343.0		343.0	
								404.4		404.4	
								20,121.1		20,121.1	
								5,051.7		5,051.7	
								2,595.7		2,595.7	
								30.0	14.3	30.0	14.3
								390.6		390.6	
								100.0		100.0	
								75.0		75.0	
								180.9		180.9	
								525.8		525.8	
								164.8		164.8	
								241.2		241.2	
								20.0		20.0	
								196.7		196.7	
								1,500.0		1,500.0	
									643.8		643.8
								14.0		14.0	
								1,100.0		1,100.0	
								467.0		467.0	
								362.2		362.2	
								96.8		96.8	
								59.1		59.1	
								207.5		207.5	

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(45-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY**

	Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
(45-01-00) Office of the Secretary												
Personnel Costs	40.8	10.5	45.8	10.5	118.9				2,183.0	10,911.5	2,640.6	12,378.2
Travel									39.0	22.7	39.0	22.7
Contractual Services									355.3	1,618.2	355.3	1,745.0
Energy									15.0	477.4	18.7	477.4
Supplies and Materials									42.0	825.5	42.0	825.5
Capital Outlay									5.0	52.6	5.0	52.6
Other Items:												
Police Training Council										11.8		11.8
Local Emergency Planning Councils	0.8									54.0		58.4
School Safety Plans	2.0									307.4		324.6
ITC Funds										15.0		15.0
Brain Injury Trust Fund										50.0		50.0
Cold Case Funds										100.0		
Body Camera Program										500.3		500.3
Fund to Combat Violent Crimes - State Police									2,125.0		2,125.0	
Fund to Combat Violent Crimes - Local Law Enforcement									2,125.0		2,125.0	
System Support									888.2		888.2	
Hazardous Waste Cleanup									100.0		100.0	
Resale - Communication Parts									336.0		336.0	
Vehicles									89.4		170.4	
Other Items									0.7		0.7	
TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary	40.8	10.5	45.8	10.5	121.7				8,303.6	14,946.4	8,845.9	16,461.5
(-01) Administration	2.0		2.0		21.0			4,350.0	2,699.7		4,350.0	3,401.3
(-20) Communication	29.8	3.5	31.8	3.5	11.2			1,635.6	2,880.2		1,635.6	3,045.8
(-30) Delaware Emergency Management Agency	5.0		8.0		2.0			1,141.9	187.6		1,225.5	200.4
(-40) Highway Safety	4.0		4.0		2.0			20.0	324.2		2,860.3	340.2
(-50) Developmental Disabilities Council					2.0			2,318.0	7,692.8		8,228.3	
(-60) State Council for Persons with Disabilities		7.0		7.0	62.0			8,303.6	14,946.4		8,845.9	16,461.5
(-70) Division of Gaming Enforcement												
(-80) Division of Forensic Science												
TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	40.8	10.5	45.8	10.5	121.7			8,303.6	14,946.4		8,845.9	16,461.5

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(45-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	58.0			59.0		(-01) Executive		226.7	9,027.8	226.7	9,682.4
	5.0			5.0		(-02) Building Maintenance and Construction			612.2		655.8
	383.0			384.0		(-03) Patrol		3,946.8	62,057.7	4,183.6	66,369.7
35.5	12.0	35.5	12.0	155.5		(-04) Criminal Investigation		6,426.3	29,233.4	6,426.3	30,914.0
	10.0			63.0		(-05) Special Investigation		588.7	12,702.4	588.7	13,841.5
	28.0			28.0		(-06) Aviation			7,004.5		7,531.9
13.5	16.0	13.3	14.0	4.7		(-07) Traffic		3,165.4	1,289.5	3,165.4	1,368.4
	17.0			102.0		(-08) State Bureau of Identification		1,455.2	8,686.1	1,455.2	10,328.4
	11.0			11.0		(-09) Training		340.7	2,816.7	340.7	3,180.7
1.0	3.0	1.0	3.0	95.0		(-10) Communications		212.1	9,075.2	212.1	10,013.2
	13.0			13.0		(-11) Transportation		1,283.6	8,304.2	1,283.6	9,999.4
2.0	10.0	2.0		10.0		(-12) Community Relations			2,153.7		2,242.7
52.0	89.0	51.8	88.0	930.2		TOTAL -- Internal Program Units		17,645.5	152,963.4	17,882.3	166,128.1
96.3	106.5	99.1	122.5	1,168.4		TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY		26,895.0	180,192.7	31,136.1	195,877.9

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel				Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel				Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item				Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item			
NSF	TFO	TFC	NSF	TFO	TFC	NSF	TFO	TFC	GF	TFO	GF	TFO	GF	TFO	
	34.0			36.0		(55-01-00) Office of the Secretary									
						(55-01-01) Office of the Secretary									
						Personnel Costs									
						Travel									
						Contractual Services									
						Supplies and Materials									
						Salary Contingency									
	34.0			36.0		TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary									
						(55-01-02) Finance									
						Personnel Costs									
						Travel									
						Contractual Services									
						Energy									
						Supplies and Materials									
						Capital Outlay									
	57.0			57.0		TOTAL -- Finance									
						(55-01-03) Community Relations									
						Personnel Costs									
						Travel									
						Contractual Services									
						Supplies and Materials									
						Capital Outlay									
	7.0			7.0		TOTAL -- Community Relations									
						(55-01-04) Human Resources									
						Travel									
						Contractual Services									
						Supplies and Materials									
	98.0			100.0		TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary									
						TOTAL -- Office of the Secretary									

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel				Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel				Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item				Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item			
NSF	TFO	TFC	TFC	NSF	TFO	TFC	TFC	GF	TFO	GF	TFO	GF	TFO	GF	TFO
	17.0				18.0				1,421.2				1,568.9		
									24.1				24.1		
									15,085.2				15,085.2		
									536.3				1,137.4		
									601.1						
	17.0				18.0				17,667.9				17,815.6		
	50.0	10.0			50.0	10.0			4,885.1				4,938.1		
									25.4				25.4		
									1,562.7				1,622.7		
									7.0				7.0		
									128.3				128.3		
									10.0				10.0		
	50.0	10.0			50.0	10.0			6,618.5				6,731.5		
	683.5	29.0			687.0	30.0			49,384.7				50,542.5		
									16.9				16.9		
									11,616.0				12,099.9		
									2,182.8				2,486.1		
									9,272.4				9,272.4		
									210.0				210.0		
	683.5	29.0			687.0	30.0			10,000.0				10,000.0		
									82,682.8				84,627.8		
	683.5	29.0			687.0	30.0			82,682.8				84,627.8		

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Fiscal Year 2024				Fiscal Year 2025			
Personnel				Personnel			
NSF	TFO	TFC	NSF	TFO	TFC	GF	TFO
				\$ Line Item			
				GF	TFO	GF	TFO
(55-06-01) Delaware Transportation Authority							
Delaware Transit Corporation							
Transit Operations				87,928.9			116,794.6
Taxi Services Support "E & D"				148.5			148.5
Newark Transportation				35.8			
Kent and Sussex Transportation "E & D"				1,494.3			1,494.3
TOTAL -- Delaware Transit Corporation				89,607.5			118,437.4
DTA Indebtedness							
Debt Service					82,173.9		91,564.8
Transportation Trust Fund				82,173.9			91,564.8
TOTAL -- DTA Indebtedness					82,173.9		91,564.8
TOTAL -- Delaware Transportation Authority*							
				171,781.4			210,002.2
*Delaware Transportation Authority, 2 Del. C. c. 13. These funds, except the Regulatory Revolving Funds, are not deposited with the State Treasurer.							
(55-07-01) US 301 Maintenance Operations							
9.5			9.0				732.9
Personnel Costs				720.8			732.9
Contractual Services				2,287.5			2,368.4
Energy				98.5			98.5
Supplies and Materials				222.0			222.0
Debt Service				16,676.7			16,695.6
TOTAL -- US 301 Maintenance Operations				20,005.5			20,117.4
(55-08-00) Transportation Solutions							
(55-08-30) Project Teams							
58.0	257.0		64.0	253.0			6,904.4
Personnel Costs				6,495.8			6,904.4
Travel				6.0			6.0
Contractual Services				700.9			800.9
Energy				34.9			34.9
Supplies and Materials				207.2			207.2
Capital Outlay				171.4			171.4
TOTAL -- Project Teams				7,616.2			8,124.8

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(55-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel				Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel				Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item				Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item			
NSF	TFO	TFC	NSF	TFO	TFC	NSF	TFO	TFC	GF	TFO	GF	TFO	GF	TFO	
	139.0			141.0	3.0					11,993.7		12,083.7			
										5,463.7		4,606.6			
										535.2		586.8			
										553.1		553.1			
	139.0			141.0	3.0					47.7		47.7			
	197.0	257.0		205.0	256.0					18,593.4		17,877.9			
										26,209.6		26,002.7			
	411.0			411.0						26,139.6		28,551.1			
										20.0		20.0			
										4,577.1		4,577.1			
										703.3		703.3			
										53.1		53.1			
	411.0			411.0						154.0		154.0			
										31,647.1		34,058.6			
	106.0			106.0						8,199.0		8,379.9			
										3.0		3.0			
										2,596.3		3,062.3			
										273.3		273.3			
										306.3		306.3			
										41.0		41.0			
	106.0			106.0						4,910.2		18,081.2			
										5,000.0		5,000.0			
	517.0			517.0						16,329.1		30,147.0			
										5,000.0		64,205.6			
	1,572.0	296.0		1,586.0	296.0					5,000.0		456,771.0			

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (60-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

	Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025			Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025		
	Personnel			Personnel			Program			Program		
	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	17.6	29.8	3.6	17.6	32.8	3.6					2,118.2	255.6
(60-01-00) Administration											13.0	13.0
Personnel Costs											1,494.6	298.8
Travel												11.4
Contractual Services											66.0	15.0
Energy											40.0	40.0
Supplies and Materials											3,731.8	580.8
Capital Outlay												
TOTAL -- Administration	17.6	29.8	3.6	17.6	32.8	3.6					3,750.0	621.7
	1.0	4.6	1.4	1.0	6.6	0.4	1,605.9	269.9	1,605.9	296.9		
(-10) Office of the Secretary								94.0		99.1		
(-20) Office of Occupational and Labor Market Information												
(-40) Administrative Support	8.6	19.2	1.2	8.6	17.2	2.2	2,125.9	216.9	2,144.1	225.7		
(-50) Paid Family Medical Leave		6.0			9.0							
TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	17.6	29.8	3.6	17.6	32.8	3.6	3,731.8	580.8	3,750.0	621.7		
											188.3	188.3
(60-06-00) Unemployment Insurance											0.1	0.1
Personnel Costs											210.9	210.9
Travel											1.0	1.0
Contractual Services											2.5	2.5
Energy											2.2	2.2
Supplies and Materials												
Capital Outlay												
Other Item:												
Revenue Refund											71.9	71.9
TOTAL -- Unemployment Insurance	121.0	3.0		121.0	3.0						476.9	476.9
(-01) Unemployment Insurance	121.0	3.0		121.0	3.0		476.9		476.9			
TOTAL -- Internal Program Unit	121.0	3.0		121.0	3.0		476.9		476.9			

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (60-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
15.5	54.5	17.0	16.0	53.4	18.6	(60-07-00) Industrial Affairs					
						Personnel Costs					
						Travel					
						Contractual Services					
						Supplies and Materials					
						Capital Outlay					
15.5	54.5	17.0	16.0	53.4	18.6	TOTAL -- Industrial Affairs					
1.0	38.0	1.1	37.9			5,391.3		5,819.8			
5.0	14.0	8.0	5.4	14.0	9.6	1,638.7	784.1	1,871.7	908.9		
6.5	2.5		6.5	1.5		192.7		297.7			
3.0		9.0	3.0		9.0	761.3		806.5			
15.5	54.5	17.0	16.0	53.4	18.6	7,222.7	1,545.4	7,989.2	1,715.4		
(60-08-00) Vocational Rehabilitation											
125.5	1.5	2.0	128.5	1.5	2.0	Personnel Costs					
						Travel					
						Contractual Services					
						Supplies and Materials					
						Other Item:					
						Supported Employment					
125.5	1.5	2.0	128.5	1.5	2.0	TOTAL -- Vocational Rehabilitation					
72.5	1.5	2.0	74.5	1.5	2.0	1,047.4	4,413.6	1,047.4	4,433.9		
53.0			54.0			(-20) Disability Determination Services					
125.5	1.5	2.0	128.5	1.5	2.0	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units					
						1,047.4	4,413.6	1,047.4	4,433.9		
						1,047.4	4,413.6	1,047.4	4,433.9		
						449.4	143.7	449.4	163.2		
						566.0	3,631.8	566.0	3,632.6		
						32.0	76.9	32.0	76.9		
						560.7		560.7			
						1,047.4	4,413.6	1,047.4	4,433.9		

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (65-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel			Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program			Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program			Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item			Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item		
		NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	1.0	15.0	1.0	16.0	(-01) Administration	327.5	2,411.7	327.5	2,756.6							
		7.0		7.0	(-02) Agriculture Compliance	40.0	686.6	45.0	729.2							
	8.2	13.7	5.1	5.1	(-03) Food Products Inspection	1,156.5	487.0	1,156.5	516.8							
	3.0	2.5	17.5	17.5	(-04) Forest Service	801.7	1,414.7	801.7	1,537.9							
	1.0	11.0			(-05) Harness Racing Commission	2,434.8		2,434.8								
	2.0	6.0	1.0	7.0	(-06) Pesticides	783.4	21.3	846.7								
	0.5	3.5		3.5	(-07) Planning		337.2		357.7							
	2.0	10.0	2.0	10.0	(-08) Plant Industries	142.3	867.8	142.3	930.1							
	1.0	9.0	1.0	9.0	(-09) Animal Health		910.1		955.4							
	10.0		10.0	10.0	(-10) Thoroughbred Racing Commission	1,877.5		1,877.5								
		9.0	1.0	8.0	(-11) Weights and Measures		801.8	63.3	833.6							
	0.5	5.5	0.5	5.5	(-12) Nutrient Management		1,375.0		1,415.4							
	2.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	(-13) Agricultural Lands Preservation Foundation	541.5	56.2	541.5	59.7							
18.2	46.2	83.6	20.2	82.6	TOTAL -- Internal Program Units	8,105.2	9,369.4	8,236.8	10,092.4							
18.2	46.2	83.6	20.2	82.6	TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	8,105.2	9,369.4	8,236.8	10,092.4	8,105.2	9,369.4	8,236.8	10,092.4			

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(70-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
	46.0		45.0					4,053.6		4,109.5	
								0.1		0.1	
								469.0		933.3	
								10.1		10.1	
								9.4		9.4	
								20.0		20.0	
								1,617.0		1,642.0	
								15.0		15.0	
	46.0		45.0					6,194.2		6,739.4	
TOTAL -- State Election Commissioner											
								6.0		6.0	
								498.3		519.2	
								53.1		53.1	
								7.7		7.7	
								177.0		177.0	
								742.1		763.0	
TOTAL -- New Castle County Elections											
								531.6		537.3	
								38.1		38.1	
								3.5		3.5	
								37.8		37.8	
								611.0		616.7	
TOTAL -- Kent County Elections											

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (70-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
(70-04-01) Sussex County Elections											
								2.2			2.2
								422.1			425.9
								24.1			24.1
								12.7			12.7
								2.0			2.0
								52.6			52.6
								515.7			519.5
TOTAL -- Sussex County Elections								8,063.0			8,638.6
45.0 TOTAL -- DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS				46.0							

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(76-00-00) DELAWARE NATIONAL GUARD**

Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025		Fiscal Year 2024		Fiscal Year 2025	
Personnel		Personnel		Program		Program		Line Item		Line Item	
NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF
93.5	30.5	97.5	31.5					3,550.6		3,835.2	
								18.0		18.0	
								690.3		753.4	
								716.6		716.6	
								140.0		140.0	
								27.1		27.1	
								397.7		397.7	
								85.0		85.0	
93.5	30.5	97.5	31.5					5,625.3		5,973.0	
93.5	30.5	97.5	31.5					5,625.3		5,973.0	

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(77-00-00) ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CITIZENS**

Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025			Fiscal Year 2024			Fiscal Year 2025		
Personnel			Personnel			\$ Program			\$ Program		
NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
		3.0									
			(77-01-01) Advisory Council for Exceptional Citizens								
			3.0							297.0	
											3.1
											31.5
											5.0
		3.0								336.6	
			TOTAL -- Advisory Council for Exceptional Citizens								
		3.0								336.6	
			TOTAL -- ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CITIZENS								
											356.3

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (90-00-00) HIGHER EDUCATION

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel	Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item		
	NSF	ASF	NSF	ASF	GF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	
			(90-01-00) University of Delaware								
			(90-01-01) University of Delaware								
								100,849.2		105,831.8	
								16,542.8		19,042.8	
								247.3		247.3	
								1,841.6		1,841.6	
								6,385.0		6,385.0	
								1,341.4		1,341.4	
								878.1		878.1	
								598.5		598.5	
								1,358.8		2,709.0	
								2,914.8		2,914.8	
								1,274.3		1,274.3	
								784.5		784.5	
								135,016.3		143,849.1	
			(90-01-02) Delaware Geological Survey								
								2,073.7		2,132.3	
								127.3		127.3	
										185.9	
								2,201.0		2,445.5	
								137,217.3		146,294.6	
			TOTAL -- University of Delaware								
			(90-03-00) Delaware State University								
			(90-03-01) Operations								
								35,586.8		42,903.2	
								434.5		434.5	
								211.7		211.7	
								50.0		50.0	
								1,201.7		1,201.7	
								1,273.1		1,273.1	
								88.8		88.8	
								220.0		220.0	
								50.0		50.0	
								786.0		786.0	
								225.4		225.4	

**FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT
(95-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF	NSF	ASF	GF
0.1		17.9		18.0					2,491.3		2,734.0
0.1		17.9		18.0					13.0		13.0
									2,504.3		2,747.0
13.3		27.7	12.1	27.9				4,107.7			4,489.5
									27.9		27.9
									1,084.0		1,084.0
									381.2		
1.0		1.0		1.0				166.3		191.3	5,916.5
13.3	1.0	30.7	12.1	1.0	31.9			166.3	12,041.8	191.3	12,187.0
11.4		20.6	12.3	21.7				950.0	3,081.2		3,374.7
	2.0			3.0	1.0			950.0		1,254.0	152.0
11.4	2.0	20.6	12.3	3.0	22.7			950.0	3,081.2	1,254.0	3,526.7
3.4		30.6	2.8	30.2					4,040.0		4,359.8
									500.5		500.5
									1,059.6		1,059.6
									483.5		483.5
									1,953.5		381.2
3.4		30.6	2.8	30.2					8,037.1		6,784.6

FISCAL YEAR 2025 OPERATING BUDGET SUPPLEMENT (95-00-00) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

	Fiscal Year 2024 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2025 Personnel		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Program		Fiscal Year 2024 \$ Line Item		Fiscal Year 2025 \$ Line Item	
	NSF	GF	NSF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF	ASF	GF
	16,167.1		16,492.1									
(95-02-00) District and Charter Operations												
Division I Units (FY22 10,804) (FY23 11,159):												
Personnel Costs										1,229,846.3		1,333,077.7
Cafeteria Funds										19,627.6		20,609.0
Division II Units (FY22 12,031) (FY23 12,365):												
All Other Costs										9,043.5		10,026.3
Energy										28,468.0		29,270.0
Division III:												
Equalization												
Other Items:												
General Contingency										108,113.8		111,579.6
School Improvement Funds										22,459.2		23,120.3
Other Items										2,500.0		2,500.0
Delmar Tuition										800.4		750.4
Skills, Knowledge and Responsibility Pay Supplements										186.7		186.7
Educational Sustainment Fund										7,168.1		7,168.1
Odyssey of the Mind										28,150.9		28,150.9
Teacher of the Year										48.4		48.4
Educational Support Professional of the Year										61.9		61.9
Delaware Science Coalition										9.0		9.0
Student Organization									1,720.5	960.3	1,720.5	960.3
World Language Expansion										491.3		491.3
College Access										1,648.5		1,648.5
CPR Instruction										1,400.0		1,400.0
Student Discipline Program										40.0		40.0
Related Services for Students with Disabilities										5,335.2		5,335.2
Exceptional Student Unit - Vocational										4,171.5		4,171.5
Unique Alternatives										360.0		360.0
Opportunity Funding									736.4	14,591.8	711.4	14,591.8
Math Coaches										53,000.0		63,000.0
Year Long Residencies										1,560.0		1,560.0
DE Literacy Plan										1,000.0		1,000.0
Child Safety Awareness										850.0		850.0
Pathways										282.5		282.5
School/County Ombudsperson										250.0		250.0
Mental Health Services										1,000.0		1,000.0
										42,010.7		59,314.7

