SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 136

A bill to make appropriations for the department of insurance and financial services for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2018; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Т	PART 1	
2	LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS	
3	Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the department of	
4	insurance and financial services for the fiscal year ending	
5	September 30, 2018, from the following funds:	
6	DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES	
7	APPROPRIATION SUMMARY	
8	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
9	Full-time equated classified positions 336.5	
10	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$ 66,741,40	00

Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
transfers	707,600
ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION \$	\$ 66,033,800
Federal revenues:	
Total federal revenues	2,014,700
Special revenue funds:	
Total other state restricted revenues	63,869,100
State general fund/general purpose \$	150,000
State general fund/general purpose schedule:	
Ongoing state general fund/general	
purpose 150,000	
One-time state general fund/general	
purpose 0	
Sec. 102. DEPARTMENT SERVICES	
Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
Full-time equated classified positions 22.5	
Unclassified salaries6.0 FTE positions \$	769,100
Department services19.0 FTE positions	3,752,200
Executive director programs3.5 FTE positions	1,066,400
Property management	1,244,200
Worker's compensation	4,700
Administrative hearings	182,500
GROSS APPROPRIATION	7,019,100
Appropriated from:	
Special revenue funds:	
Bank fees	615,100
	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental transfers ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION

1	Captive insurance regulatory and supervision fund	4,100
2	Consumer finance fees	271,400
3	Credit union fees	810,500
4	Deferred presentment service transaction fees	368,200
5	Insurance bureau fund	2,232,200
6	Insurance continuing education fees	69,600
7	Insurance licensing and regulation fees	1,860,300
8	MBLSLA fund	636,400
9	Multiple employer welfare arrangement	1,300
10	State general fund/general purpose \$	150,000
11	Sec. 103. INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES REGULATION	
12	Full-time equated classified positions 314.0	
13	Insurance evaluation118.0 FTE positions \$	24,480,500
14	Financial institutions evaluation 132.0 FTE positions	24,354,400
15	Consumer services and protection64.0 FTE positions.	8,660,800
16	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	57,495,700
17	Appropriated from:	
18	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
19	IDG-LARA, for debt management	707,600
20	Federal revenue:	
21	Federal revenues	2,014,700
22	Special revenue funds:	
23	Bank fees	6,059,600
24	Captive insurance regulatory and supervision fund	285,100
25	Consumer finance fees	3,073,200
26	Credit union fees	8,023,300
27	Deferred presentment service transaction fees	3,306,500

1	Insurance bureau fund		21,242,800
2	Insurance continuing education fees		998,900
3	Insurance licensing and regulation fees		5,928,700
4	MBLSLA fund		5,572,900
5	Multiple employer welfare arrangement		282,400
6	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
7	Sec. 104. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY		
8	Information technology services and projects	\$_	2,226,600
9	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	2,226,600
10	Appropriated from:		
11	Special revenue funds:		
12	Bank fees		197,900
13	Consumer finance fees		90,100
14	Credit union fees		261,800
15	Deferred presentment service transaction fees		108,000
16	Insurance bureau fund		634,200
17	Insurance continuing education fees		22,500
18	Insurance licensing and regulation fees		716,900
19	MBLSLA fund		195,200
20	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0

PART 2

PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018

GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state

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- 1 constitution of 1963, total state spending from state resources
- 2 under part 1 for fiscal year 2017-2018 is \$64,019,000.00 and state
- 3 spending from state resources to be paid to local units of
- 4 government for fiscal year 2017-2018 is \$0.
- 5 Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this part and
- 6 part 1 are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- 7 MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.
- 8 Sec. 203. As used in this part and part 1:
- 9 (a) "Department" means the department of insurance and
- 10 financial services.
- (b) "Director" means the director of the department.
- 12 (c) "FTE" means full-time equated.
- (d) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.
- 14 (e) "LARA" means the department of licensing and regulatory
- 15 affairs.
- 16 (f) "MBLSLA fund" means the restricted account established
- 17 under section 8 of the mortgage brokers, lenders, and servicers
- 18 licensing act, 1987 PA 173, MCL 445.1658.
- 19 Sec. 204. The departments and agencies receiving
- 20 appropriations in this part and part 1 shall use the internet to
- 21 fulfill the reporting requirements of this part. This requirement
- 22 may include transmission of reports via electronic mail to the
- 23 recipients identified for each reporting requirement, or it may
- 24 include placement of reports on an internet or intranet site.
- 25 Sec. 205. Funds appropriated in this part and part 1 must not
- 26 be used for the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if
- 27 competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or

- 1 services, or both, are available. Preference must be given to goods
- 2 or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 3 businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable
- 4 quality. In addition, preference must be given to goods or
- 5 services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 6 businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are
- 7 competitively priced and of comparable quality.
- 8 Sec. 206. The director shall take all reasonable steps to
- 9 ensure businesses in deprived and depressed communities compete for
- 10 and perform contracts to provide services or supplies, or both. The
- 11 director shall strongly encourage firms with which the department
- 12 contracts to subcontract with certified businesses in depressed and
- 13 deprived communities for services, supplies, or both.
- Sec. 207. (1) Out-of-state travel must be limited to
- 15 situations in which 1 or more of the following conditions apply:
- 16 (a) The travel is required by legal mandate or court order or
- 17 for law enforcement purposes.
- 18 (b) The travel is necessary to protect the health or safety of
- 19 Michigan citizens or visitors or to assist other states in similar
- 20 circumstances.
- 21 (c) The travel is necessary to produce budgetary savings or to
- 22 increase state revenues, including protecting existing federal
- 23 funds or securing additional federal funds.
- 24 (d) The travel is necessary to comply with federal
- 25 requirements.
- (e) The travel is necessary to secure specialized training for
- 27 staff that is not available within this state.

- 1 (f) The travel is financed entirely by federal or nonstate
- 2 funds.
- 3 (2) The department shall not approve the travel of more than 1
- 4 departmental employee to a specific professional development
- 5 conference or training seminar that is located outside of this
- 6 state unless a professional development conference or training
- 7 seminar is funded by a federal or private funding source and
- 8 requires more than 1 individual from a department to attend, or the
- 9 conference or training seminar includes multiple issues in which 1
- 10 employee from the department does not have expertise.
- 11 (3) Not later than January 1, the department shall prepare a
- 12 travel report listing all travel by classified and unclassified
- 13 employees outside this state in the immediately preceding fiscal
- 14 year that was funded in whole or in part with funds appropriated in
- 15 the department's budget. The department shall submit the report to
- 16 the senate and house of representatives standing committees on
- 17 appropriations, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state
- 18 budget director. The report must include the following information:
- 19 (a) The name of each person receiving reimbursement for travel
- 20 outside this state or whose travel costs were paid by this state.
- 21 (b) The destination of each travel occurrence.
- (c) The dates of each travel occurrence.
- 23 (d) A brief statement of the reason for each travel
- 24 occurrence.
- 25 (e) The transportation and related costs of each travel
- 26 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
- 27 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state

- 1 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
- 2 and the proportion funded with other revenues.
- 3 (f) A total of all out-of-state travel funded for the
- 4 immediately preceding fiscal year.
- 5 Sec. 208. Funds appropriated in this part and part 1 must not
- 6 be used by a principal executive department, state agency, or
- 7 authority to hire a person to provide legal services that are the
- 8 responsibility of the attorney general. This prohibition does not
- 9 apply to legal services for bonding activities and for those
- 10 outside services that the attorney general authorizes.
- 11 Sec. 209. Not later than November 30, the state budget office
- 12 shall prepare and transmit a report that provides for estimates of
- 13 the total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the
- 14 close of the prior fiscal year. This report must summarize the
- 15 projected year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation
- 16 lapses by major departmental program or program areas. The state
- 17 budget office shall transmit the report to the chairpersons of the
- 18 senate and house of representatives appropriations committees and
- 19 the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- 20 Sec. 210. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 21 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for
- 22 federal contingency funds.
- 23 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 24 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.00 for state
- 25 restricted contingency funds.
- 26 (3) Funds appropriated under this section are not available
- 27 for expenditure until they have been transferred to another line

- 1 item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management and budget
- 2 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 3 Sec. 211. The department shall cooperate with the department
- 4 of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable
- 5 website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is
- 6 not limited to, all of the following for each department or agency:
- 7 (a) Fiscal-year-to-date expenditures by category.
- 8 (b) Fiscal-year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.
- 9 (c) Fiscal-year-to-date payments to a selected vendor,
- 10 including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and
- 11 payment description.
- 12 (d) The number of active department employees by job
- 13 classification.
- 14 (e) Job specifications and wage rates.
- Sec. 212. Within 14 days after the release of the executive
- 16 budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate with the
- 17 state budget office to provide the senate and house of
- 18 representatives appropriations chairs, the senate and house
- 19 appropriations subcommittees chairs, and the senate and house
- 20 fiscal agencies with an annual report on estimated state restricted
- 21 fund balances, state restricted fund projected revenues, and state
- 22 restricted fund expenditures for the fiscal years ending September
- 23 30, 2017 and September 30, 2018.
- Sec. 213. The department shall maintain, on a publicly
- 25 accessible website, a department scorecard that identifies, tracks,
- 26 and regularly updates key metrics that are used to monitor and
- improve the department's performance.

- 1 Sec. 214. Total authorized appropriations from all sources in
- 2 part 1 for legacy costs for the fiscal year ending September 30,
- 3 2018 are \$9,551,300.00. From this amount, total agency
- 4 appropriations for pension-related legacy costs are estimated at
- 5 \$4,915,200.00. Total agency appropriations for retiree health care
- 6 legacy costs are estimated at \$4,636,100.00.
- 7 Sec. 215. Unless prohibited by law, the department may accept
- 8 credit card or other electronic means of payment for licenses,
- 9 fees, or permits.
- 10 Sec. 218. The department shall not take disciplinary action
- 11 against an employee for communicating with a member of the
- 12 legislature or his or her staff.
- Sec. 219. The department shall not develop or produce any
- 14 television or radio productions.
- 15 Sec. 220. The department, in conjunction with the department
- 16 of health and human services, shall maintain an accounting
- 17 structure within the Michigan administrative information network
- 18 that will allow expenditures associated with the administration of
- 19 the Healthy Michigan plan to be identified. By October 1, if there
- 20 are changes from the previous fiscal year, the department shall
- 21 provide the state budget office and the fiscal agencies with the
- 22 relevant accounting structure and associated business objects
- 23 script and report that group's administrative costs.
- Sec. 221. The amount appropriated from the general fund in
- 25 part 1 for executive director program may only be expended to
- 26 comply with reporting requirements regarding the Healthy Michigan
- 27 plan under section 105d(9) of the social welfare act, 1939 PA 280,

1 MCL 400.105d.

2 INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES REGULATION

- 3 Sec. 301. The department shall provide a report to the
- 4 legislature based on the annual rate filings from health insurance
- 5 issuers that includes all of the following:
- 6 (a) The number that are approved by the department.
- 7 (b) The number that are denied by the department.
- 8 (c) The percentage of rate filings processed within the
- 9 applicable statutory time frames.
- 10 (d) The average number of calendar days to process rate
- 11 filings.
- 12 Sec. 302. In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 13 funds collected by the department in connection with a
- 14 conservatorship under section 32 of the mortgage brokers, lenders,
- and servicers licensing act, 1987 PA 173, MCL 445.1682, and funds
- 16 collected by the department from corporations being liquidated
- 17 under the insurance code of 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.100 to
- 18 500.8302, must be appropriated for all expenses necessary to
- 19 provide for the required services. Funds are available for
- 20 expenditure when they are received by the department of treasury
- 21 and must not lapse to the general fund at the end of the fiscal
- **22** year.
- Sec. 303. The department may make available to interested
- 24 entities customized listings of nonconfidential information in its
- 25 possession. The department may establish and collect a reasonable
- 26 charge to provide this service. The revenue from this service is

- appropriated when received and must be used to offset expenses to 1
- provide the service. Any balance of this revenue collected and 2
- unexpended at the end of the fiscal year must lapse to the 3
- appropriate restricted fund. 4