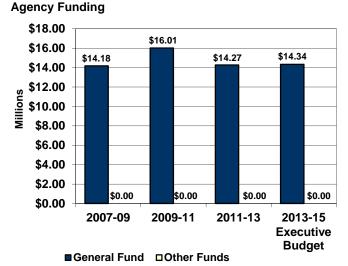
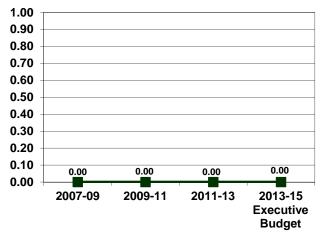
Department 150 - Legislative Assembly Senate Bill No. 2001

	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
2013-15 Executive Budget	0.00	\$14,336,364	\$0	\$14,336,364
2011-13 Legislative Appropriations	0.00	14,267,917	0	14,267,917
Increase (Decrease)	0.00	\$68,447	\$0	\$68,447



FTE Positions



Ongoing and One-Time General Fund Appropriations

	Ongoing General Fund Appropriation	One-Time General Fund Appropriation	Total General Fund Appropriation
2013-15 Executive Budget	\$13,397,364	\$939,000	\$14,336,364
2011-13 Legislative Appropriations	12,025,211	2,242,706	14,267,917
Increase (Decrease)	\$1,372,153	(\$1,303,706)	\$68,447

Executive Budget Highlights

1.	Removes 2011-13 one-time funding for redistricting special session, including \$167,265 for legislative pay, \$27,093 for temporary salaries, and \$77,660 for travel	General Fund (\$272,018)	Other Funds	Total (\$272,018)	
2.	Removes 2011-13 one-time funding for information technology projects, including replacement of the fiscal notes system (\$75,700) and the legislative bill tracking system (\$84,238)	(\$159,938)		(\$159,938)	
3.	Removes 2011-13 one-time funding for replacement of legislators' laptops (\$454,000) and related software (\$56,750)	(\$510,750)		(\$510,750)	
4.	Removes 2011-13 one-time funding for committee room renovations (\$500,000) and voting system upgrades (\$800,000)	(\$1,300,000)		(\$1,300,000)	
5.	Adds funding for increasing legislators' monthly compensation by 3 percent per year, from \$440 to \$453 effective July 2013 and to \$467 effective July 2014	\$72,858		\$72,858	
	Adds funding for increasing additional monthly compensation for legislative leaders by 3 percent per year, from \$316 to \$325 effective July 2013 and to \$335 effective July 2014	\$1,447		\$1,447	
	Adds funding for increasing legislative compensation for regular and organizational sessions by 3 percent per year, from \$157 per day to \$162 per day effective July 2013 and to \$167 per day effective July 2014	\$176,072		\$176,072	

Adds funding for legislators' health insurance coverage, including an increase in health insurance premiums from \$886 per month to \$1,002 per month	\$359,112	\$359,112
Adds funding for increasing the maximum monthly lodging expense reimbursement to \$1,755 anticipated for the 2015 legislative session (\$129,536) and for increasing the daily lodging expense reimbursement for the 2014 organizational session anticipated to be \$90 plus tax (\$8,857)	\$138,393	\$138,393
Increases funding for information technology data processing, including LEGEND maintenance and support	\$485,640	\$485,640
Adds one-time funding for committee room renovations	\$500,000	\$500,000
Adds one-time funding for information technology data processing for committee room audio and video	\$241,000	\$241,000
Adds one-time funding for information technology equipment over \$5,000 to expand the storage area network (SAN) for audio and video archiving of chambers and committee rooms	\$30,000	\$30,000
Adds one-time funding for information technology equipment less than \$5,000 for video conferencing (\$12,000) and to install video in committee rooms (\$156,000)	\$168,000	\$168,000

Other Sections in Bill

Transfers - Section 4 allows transfers of funds between line items of appropriations for the Legislative Assembly and Legislative Council as requested by the Chairman of the Legislative Management.

Continuation of appropriation authority - Section 5 provides that the unspent funds appropriated for the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Council for the 2011-13 biennium be continued and that unexpended appropriations enacted prior to the 2011-13 biennium may be cancelled as directed by the Chairman of the Legislative Management.

Compensation - Sections 6 and 7 increase legislators' daily pay during legislative sessions, monthly compensation, and additional monthly compensation by 3 percent for each year of the 2013-15 biennium. Sections 8 and 9 of the bill increase legislator's interim meeting pay by 3 percent for each year of the 2013-15 biennium.

The compensation adjustments are as follows:

	Current Compensation Rate	Rate Effective July 1, 2013	Rate Effective July 1, 2014
Daily session pay	\$157	\$162	\$167
Monthly compensation	\$440	\$453	\$467
Leaders' additional monthly compensation	\$316	\$325	\$335
Interim meeting pay	\$157	\$162	\$167

Continuing Appropriations

There are no continuing appropriations for the Legislative Assembly.

Significant Audit Findings

There are no significant audit findings for the Legislative Assembly.

Major Related Legislation

House Bill No. 1059 - Relates to health insurance coverage for temporary state employees

House Bill No. 1129 - Relates to the authentication of official electronic legislative records if the records are the only published records

House Bill No. 1212 - Changes lodging reimbursement rates for legislators during legislative sessions by removing the monthly limit and allowing legislators to be reimbursed up to the daily rate allowed for state employees

House Bill No. 1262 - Provides for annual legislative sessions

House Bill No. 1365 - Provides additional mileage reimbursement for legislators in legislative districts that comprise more than 1,000 square miles

House Bill No. 1442 - Establishes a state ethics commission and provides that the legislative branch appropriation include funding for the commission