Bill No. 2001 Fiscal No. 10 03/26/09

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

Senate Bill No. 2001 - Summary of House Action

| | Executive Budget | Senate Version | House Changes | House Version |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Legislative Assembly | | | | |
| Total all funds | \$16,338,537 | \$16,444,554 | (\$430,000) | \$16,014,554 |
| Less estimated income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| General fund | \$16,338,537 | \$16,444,554 | (\$430,000) | \$16,014,554 |
| Legislative Council | | | | |
| Total all funds | \$10,145,195 | \$10,163,303 | \$128,200 | \$10,291,503 |
| Less estimated income | 70,000 | 70,000 | 0 | 70,000 |
| General fund | \$10,075,195 | \$10,093,303 | \$128,200 | \$10,221,503 |
| Bill total | | | | |
| Total all funds | \$26,483,732 | \$26,607,857 | (\$301,800) | \$26,306,057 |
| Less estimated income | 70,000 | 70,000 | 0 | 70,000 |
| General fund | \$26,413,732 | \$26,537,857 | (\$301,800) | \$26,236,057 |

Senate Bill No. 2001 - Legislative Assembly - House Action

| | Executive Budget | Senate Version | House Changes | House Version |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Salaries and wages | \$7,744,942 | \$7,933,506 | | \$7,933,506 |
| Operating expenses | 3,025,108 | 2,942,561 | | 2,942,561 |
| Capital assets | 1,430,000 | 1,430,000 | (430,000) | 1,000,000 |
| National Conf. of State Legislatures | 227,660 | 227,660 | | 227,660 |
| Legislative applications replacement | 3,910,827 | 3,910,827 | | 3,910,827 |
| Total all funds | \$16,338,537 | \$16,444,554 | (\$430,000) | \$16,014,554 |
| Less estimated income | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| General fund | \$16,338,537 | \$16,444,554 | (\$430,000) | \$16,014,554 |
| FTE | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Department No. 150 - Legislative Assembly - Detail of House Changes

| | Reduces Legislative Improvements Funding ¹ | Total House Changes |
|--|--|------------------------|
| Salaries and wages Operating expenses Capital assets National Conf. of State Legislatures Legislative applications replacement | (430,000) | (430,000) |
| Total all funds Less estimated income | (\$430,000) | (\$430,000) |
| General fund | (\$430,000) | (\$430,000) |
| FTE | 0.00 | 0.00 |

A section is added providing an option for legislators to be reimbursed for broadband and certain wireless expenses.

Senate Bill No. 2001 - Legislative Council - House Action

| | Executive | Senate | House | House |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| | Budget | Version | Changes | Version |
| Salaries and wages | \$6,710,261 | \$6,728,369 | 128,200 | \$6,728,369 |
| Operating expenses | 3,393,934 | 3,393,934 | | 3,522,134 |
| Capital assets | 41,000 | 41,000 | | 41,000 |
| Total all funds | \$10,145,195 | \$10,163,303 | \$128,200 | \$10,291,503 |
| Less estimated income | 70,000 | 70,000 | 0 | 70,000 |
| General fund | \$10,075,195 | \$10,093,303 | \$128,200 | \$10,221,503 |
| FTE | 33.00 | 33.00 | 0.00 | 33.00 |

Department No. 160 - Legislative Council - Detail of House Changes

| | Adds Funding for Compensation Study ¹ | Adds Funding for Discretionary Fees ² | Total House Changes |
|--|---|---|------------------------|
| Salaries and wages Operating expenses Capital assets | 100,000 | 28,200 | 128,200 |
| Total all funds Less estimated income | \$100,000 0 | \$28,200 0 | \$128,200 0 |
| General fund | \$100,000 | \$28,200 | \$128,200 |
| FTE | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

¹ A section is added providing for a Legislative Council study of state employee compensation. Funding is added for hiring a consultant, if necessary, to assist with the study.

¹ Funding for legislative wing equipment and improvements is reduced by \$430,000, from \$1,430,000 to \$1,000,000. The section added by the Senate providing that 50 percent of these funds be used as determined by Senate members of the Legislative Management Committee and 50 percent by House members of the committee is changed to provide that 35 percent be used as determined by Senate members of the Legislative Management Committee, 55 percent by House members of the committee, and the remaining 10 percent by all members of the committee.

² Funding is added to allow each legislator to claim reimbursement of up to \$100 per year for membership fees or dues relating to one legislative-related organization similar to the National Conference of State Legislatures or the Council of State Governments as determined by each legislator in accordance with Legislative Council guidelines.