Workforce Safety and Insurance

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Information technology transformation project - The 2009 Legislative Assembly provided funding of \$7,017,000 relating to the reauthorization for the information technology transformation project. The 2007 Legislative Assembly provided an appropriation of \$14 million for the project for the 2007-09 biennium. The agency estimated \$6,983,000 would be spent for the project during the 2007-09 biennium and funding of \$7,017,000 would be needed for the 2009-11 biennium.

The information technology transformation project includes the replacement of existing core Workforce Safety and Insurance business applications with a commercial, off-the-shelf, integrated software solution.

During the 2007-09 biennium, Workforce Safety and Insurance selected the Aon eSolutions' iVOS product as the commercial off-the-shelf system and selected the vendor HCL to provide integration, validation, and management services related to the installation of the iVOS product. The project is experiencing schedule delays due to delays in completion of technical specifications and corresponding custom development. The agency anticipates the project to be completed in June or July 2011, approximately 18 months later than the original estimated completion date of December 2009.