## **Legislative Concern with Certain Provisions in Bills**

Provisions in bills as of crossover that are of legislative concern or bypass legislative processes are listed below.

## House Bills in the Senate:

- 1. HB 1008 Department of Financial Institutions Section 2 allows line item transfers without Emergency Commission/Budget Section approval. Began in 2021 session.
- 2. HB 1010 Council on the Arts:
  - a. Section 4 Appropriates any additional income received from grants, donations, and other designated sources New authority.
  - Section 5 Allows line item transfers without Emergency Commission/Budget Section approval - New Authority
- 3. HB 1012 Department of Transportation The bill appropriates one-time funding from the general fund for certain DOT building improvement and IT projects The Legislative Assembly has generally tried to avoid general fund appropriations to DOT.
- 4. HB 1014 Creates a new recruitment and retention incentive pay program for Bank employees funded from the Bank's profits
- 5. HB 1021 Information Technology Department The bill significantly expands general fund appropriations to ITD, an internal service agency. The purpose of an internal service agency is to charge for its services. By providing general fund appropriations directly to ITD, the general fund pays 100% of the cost rather than federal funds and special funds being charged for their proportional share if ITD would bill these costs to the agencies.
- 6. HB 1021 Information Technology Department Section 3 of the bill appropriates additional income available from federal funds in excess of funding appropriated in Section 1 to ITD during the 2023-25 biennium New authority
- 7. Multiple bills Sections exempting prior biennium appropriations from Section 54-44-1-11. The section cancels appropriations at the end of the biennium.

## Senate Bills in the House:

- 1. SB 2001 Governor Section 7 allows line item transfers of up to \$100,000 without Emergency Commission/Budget Section approval A similar section was included in 2021, but for a specific purpose.
- 2. SB 2003 Attorney General Section 3 appropriates an additional \$250,000 of federal funds. The section was added in the 2017 session to address a specific purpose. The Attorney General continues to request the section.
- 3. SB 2002 Secretary of State Section 5 allows line item transfers of up to \$100,000 without Emergency Commission/Budget Section approval - New authority.
- 4. SB 2010 and SB 2211 Insurance Commissioner Provides a continuing appropriation for over \$20 million of insurance tax payments to fire departments bypassing the legislative process for determining and appropriating these grants each biennium.

- 5. SB 2010 Insurance Commissioner Section 3 of the bill appropriates additional income available from federal funds in excess of funding appropriated in Section 1 to the Insurance Commission during the 2023-25 biennium New authority.
- 6. Senate Bill No. 2013 Department of Public Instruction Some of the items funded in Section 12 by one-time funding from carryover are ongoing programs.
- 7. SB 2015 Office of Management and Budget Section 7 increases the continuing appropriation for the Capitol Grounds Planning Commission from \$250,000 to \$750,000 each biennium. This allows the commission to spend \$750,000 for projects and planning from the capitol building fund without legislative approval. Prior to 2019, the amount was \$175,000.
- 8. SB 2017 Game and Fish Department Section 5 allows line item transfers of up to \$2,000,000 between operating expenses, grants, and capital assets without Emergency Commission/Budget Section approval Began in 2021 session.
- 9. SB 2019 Parks and Recreation Department Section 4 appropriates any additional federal or other funds that become available to the department Began in 2019.
- 10. SB 2020 Department of Water Resources:
  - Section 3 appropriates additional amounts that become available in the resources trust fund to the department. Previously, any additional amounts were subject to Budget Section approval.
  - Section 13 allows line item transfers of up to \$13,292,362 between operating expenses and capital assets without Emergency Commission/Budget Section approval - New authority.
- 11. SB 2022 Creates a new incentive pay program for investment staff at the Retirement and Investment Office
- 12. SB 2136 Uses the strategic investment and improvements fund for ongoing funding for the Homestead Tax Credit program. Previously the fund has been used only for one-time funding items.
- 13. Multiple bills Sections exempting prior biennium appropriations from Section 54-44-1-11. The section cancels appropriations at the end of the biennium.