STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS27049

This is the FY 2020 original appropriation bill for the Department of Health and Welfare for the Division of Welfare. It appropriates a total of \$165,843,600 and caps the number of authorized full-time equivalent positions at 618.50.

For benefit costs, the bill maintains the current appropriated amount for health insurance at \$11,650 per eligible FTP; provides a 5.5% increase for the employer's share of PERSI contributions; and temporarily reduces the rate agencies pay the Division of Human Resources for its services. For statewide cost allocation, \$102,200 is provided. The bill also provides funding for the equivalent of a 3% change in employee compensation for permanent employees, with a minimum increase of \$550 for each employee and the remaining amount to be distributed based on merit.

FISCAL NOTE

	FTP	Gen	Ded	Fed	Total
FY 2019 Original Appropriation	619.50	43,445,400	8,089,600	123,502,800	175,037,800
FY 2019 Total Appropriation	619.50	42,839,400	8,089,600	121,502,800	172,431,800
Noncognizable Funds and Transfers	(1.00)	0	0	0	0
FY 2019 Estimated Expenditures	618.50	42,839,400	8,089,600	121,502,800	172,431,800
Removal of Onetime Expenditures	0.00	0	(2,720,000)	(5,280,000)	(8,000,000)
Base Adjustments	0.00	606,000	(350,000)	0	256,000
FY 2020 Base	618.50	43,445,400	5,019,600	116,222,800	164,687,800
Benefit Costs	0.00	29,800	2,000	51,600	83,400
Statewide Cost Allocation	0.00	45,100	0	57,100	102,200
Change in Employee Compensation	0.00	346,200	23,400	600,600	970,200
FY 2020 Total	618.50	43,866,500	5,045,000	116,932,100	165,843,600
Chg from FY 2019 Orig Approp	(1.00)	421,100	(3,044,600)	(6,570,700)	(9,194,200)
% Chg from FY 2019 Orig Approp.	(0.2%)	1.0%	(37.6%)	(5.3%)	(5.3%)

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