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First Regular Session - 2021

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1179

BY FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ACT 1 RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE BOARD 2 OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO; APPROPRIATING MONEYS TO THE 3 STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF 4 IDAHO FOR COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITIES AND THE OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF 5 EDUCATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; PROVIDING REAPPROPRIATION AUTHORITY; 6 EXEMPTING THE APPROPRIATION FROM OBJECT AND PROGRAM TRANSFER LIMI-7 TATIONS; PROVIDING REQUIREMENTS FOR SYSTEMWIDE NEEDS; DIRECTING AN ADJUSTMENT FOR STUDENT TUITION AND FEES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; DIRECTING 9 THE USE OF APPROPRIATED FUNDS; PROVIDING REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AP-10 PROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE 11 BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO FOR COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITIES 12 AND THE OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021; AND 13 14 DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the State Board of Education and the Board of Regents of the University of Idaho for College and Universities and the Office of the State Board of Education the following amounts to be expended according to the designated programs and expense classes from the listed funds for the period July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022:

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22		FOR	FOR	FOR	TRUSTEE AND		
23		PERSONNEL	OPERATING	CAPITAL	BENEFIT		
24		COSTS	EXPENDITURES	OUTLAY	PAYMENTS	TOTAL	
25	I. BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY:						
26	FROM:						
27	General						
28	Fund	\$97,513,800	\$9,507,600	\$3,757,800		\$110,779,200	
29	Unrestricted						
30	Fund	99,706,500	31,813,900	137,400		131,657,800	
31	Federal COVID-19 Relief						
32	Fund	0	22,221,300	0		22,221,300	
33	TOTAL	\$197,220,300	\$63,542,800	\$3,895,200		\$264,658,300	

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4		COSTS	EXPENDITURES	OUTLAY	PAYMENTS	TOTAL	
5	II. IDAHO STAT	E UNIVERSITY:					
6	FROM:						
7	General						
8	Fund	\$82,070,600	\$2,021,400			\$84,092,000	
9	Charitable Institutions Endowment Income						
10	Fund	1,647,700				1,647,700	
11	Normal School Endowment Income						
12	Fund	2,743,800				2,743,800	
13	Unrestricted						
14	Fund	29,613,100	20,981,200	\$3,629,400		54,223,700	
15	Federal COVID-	19 Relief					
16	Fund	<u>0</u>	<u>350,000</u>	<u>0</u>		350,000	
17	TOTAL	\$116,075,200	\$23,352,600	\$3,629,400		\$143,057,200	
18	III. UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO:						
19	FROM:						
20	General						
21	Fund		\$7,996,700	\$3,491,500		\$95,625,900	
22	Agricultural C	ollege Endowment	Income				
23	Fund	940,100	473,000	246,900		1,660,000	
24	Scientific Sch	ool Endowment In	come				
25	Fund	3,468,500	2,267,000			5,735,500	
26	University End	lowment Income					
27	Fund		4,196,700	905,300		5,102,000	
28	Unrestricted						
29	Fund	50,614,800	10,952,700			61,567,500	
30	Federal COVID-	19 Relief					
31	Fund	<u>0</u>	4,000,000	<u>0</u>		4,000,000	
32	TOTAL	\$139,161,100	\$29,886,100	\$4,643,700		\$173,690,900	
33	IV. LEWIS-CLAR	K STATE COLLEGE:					
34	FROM:	011111 00111101.					
35	General						
36	Fund	\$15,515,400	\$2,528,700	\$425,300		\$18,469,400	
37		\$15,515,400 Endowment Income		7423,300		¥10,409,400	
38	Fund		2,743,800			2,743,800	
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3		PERSONNEL	OPERATING	CAPITAL	BENEFIT		
4		COSTS	EXPENDITURES	OUTLAY	PAYMENTS	TOTAL	
5	Unrestricted						
6	Fund	13,964,800	2,350,200	23,800		16,338,800	
7	Federal COVID-19 Relief						
8	Fund	<u>0</u>	6,218,700	<u>0</u>		6,218,700	
9	TOTAL	\$29,480,200	\$13,841,400	\$449,100		\$43,770,700	
10	V. SYSTEMWIDE PROGRAMS:						
11	FROM:						
12	General						
13	Fund		\$2,167,900		\$4,074,800	\$6,242,700	
14	GRAND TOTAL	\$481,936,800	\$132,790,800	\$12,617,400	\$4,074,800	\$631,419,800	

SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION AUTHORITY. There is hereby reappropriated to the State Board of Education and the Board of Regents of the University of Idaho for College and Universities and the Office of the State Board of Education any unexpended and unencumbered balances appropriated or reappropriated to the State Board of Education and the Board of Regents of the University of Idaho for College and Universities and the Office of the State Board of Education from dedicated funds for fiscal year 2021 to be used for nonrecurring expenditures for the period July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022. The Office of the State Controller shall confirm the reappropriation amount, by fund, expense class, and program, with the Legislative Services Office prior to processing the reappropriation authorized herein.

SECTION 3. EXEMPTIONS FROM OBJECT AND PROGRAM TRANSFER LIMITATIONS. The State Board of Education and the Board of Regents of the University of Idaho for College and Universities and the Office of the State Board of Education are hereby exempted from the provisions of Section 67-3511(1), (2), and (3), Idaho Code, allowing unlimited transfers between object codes and between programs for all moneys appropriated to them for the period July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022. Legislative appropriations shall not be transferred from one fund to another fund unless expressly approved by the Legislature.

SECTION 4. SYSTEMWIDE NEEDS. Of the amount appropriated in Section 1, Subsection V. of this act, the following amounts may be used as follows: (1) an amount not to exceed \$902,600 may be used by the Office of the State Board of Education for systemwide needs that benefit all of the four-year institutions, including but not limited to projects to promote accountability and information transfer throughout the higher education system; and (2) an amount of approximately \$1,960,500 may be used for the mission and goals

of the Higher Education Research Council as outlined in State Board of Education Policy III.W., which includes awards for infrastructure, matching grants, and competitive grants through the Idaho Incubation Fund program.

SECTION 5. STUDENT TUITION AND FEES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 67-3516(2), Idaho Code, the Division of Financial Management may approve the expenditure of dedicated state funds pursuant to the noncognizable process for student tuition and fees during fiscal year 2022. Each of the institution's budget requests for fiscal year 2023 shall reflect all adjustments so approved by the Division of Financial Management.

SECTION 6. USE OF APPROPRIATED FUNDS. The colleges and universities shall verify no appropriated funds are or will be used to support social justice ideology student activities, clubs, events, and organizations on campus. Each college and university shall submit a written report of its expenditures related to these activities to the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee no later than January 14, 2022.

SECTION 7. STUDENT FEE REPORT. As soon as practicable, the State Board of Education shall: (1) make easily accessible a break-out of student activity fees on the institutions' websites; (2) develop a common naming convention for similar activity fees across the institutions; and (3) evaluate the current lists of activity fees assessed to students and determine how and which fees supporting student activities, clubs, and organizations focused on individual beliefs and values can be structured to address the need for access, affordability, and choice. The State Board of Education shall report results of this work to the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee and the House and Senate Education Committees no later than January 14, 2022.

SECTION 8. In addition to the appropriation made in Section 1, Chapter 309, Laws of 2020, and any other appropriation provided by law, there is hereby appropriated to the State Board of Education and the Board of Regents of the University of Idaho for College and Universities and the Office of the State Board of Education \$49,402,500 from the Federal COVID-19 Relief Fund to be expended for operating expenditures for the period July 1, 2020, through June 30, 2021.

SECTION 9. An emergency existing therefor, which emergency is hereby declared to exist, Section 8 of this act shall be in full force and effect on and after passage and approval.