CONCERNING THE CREATION OF A CASH FUND INTO WHICH MONEY RECEIVED FROM PHARMACEUTICAL REBATES FOR THE STATE DRUG ASSISTANCE PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT WILL BE CREDITED.

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Appropriation Items of Note

Appropriation Not Required, No Amendment in Packet

New Cash Fund (with Continuous Appropriation)

Fiscal Impact of Bill as Amended to Date
The most recent Legislative Council Staff Fiscal Note (attached) reflects the fiscal impact of the bill as of 06/09/20.

XXX | No Change: Attached LCS Fiscal Note accurately reflects the fiscal impact of the bill
Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to new information or technical issues
Update: Fiscal impact has changed due to amendment adopted after LCS Fiscal Note was prepared
Non-Concurrence: JBC Staff and Legislative Council Staff disagree about the fiscal impact of the bill

Amendments in This Packet for Consideration by Appropriations Committee

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Current Appropriations Clause in Bill
The bill neither requires nor contains an appropriation clause for FY 2020-21.

Points to Consider

Legislative Authority
Is it necessary to "continuously appropriate" money in the HIV Medications Rebate Fund? This method of funding essentially moves related expenditures off-budget, and thus expenditures are not reported or accounted for through the budget process.

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