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HOUSE BILL 24-1200

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Bird, Sirota, Taggart, Amabile, Daugherty, Joseph, Kipp, Marshall, Martinez, Mauro, Snyder, Woodrow, McCluskie; also SENATOR(S) Zenzinger, Bridges, Kirkmeyer, Priola.

CONCERNING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

**SECTION 1. Appropriation to the department of state for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023.** In Session Laws of Colorado 2023, section 2 of chapter 474, (SB 23-214), **amend** Part XXI as follows:

Section 2. **Appropriation.**

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*Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing law; dashes through words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law and such material is not part of the act.*

APPROPRIATION FROM

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ITEM & SUBTOTAL	TOTAL	GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	REAPPROPRIATED FUNDS	FEDERAL FUNDS
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

**PART XXI  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**(1) ADMINISTRATION DIVISION**

Personal Services	2,658,764
	(25.1 FTE)
Health, Life, and Dental	1,780,886
Short-term Disability	17,487
S.B. 04-257 Amortization	
Equalization Disbursement	582,868
S.B. 06-235 Supplemental	
Amortization Equalization	
Disbursement	582,868
Salary Survey	627,387
PERA Direct Distribution	42,358
Workers' Compensation	78,177
Operating Expenses	534,000
Legal Services	1,195,027
Outside legal services	25,000
Administrative Law Judge	
Services	32,857
Payment to Risk	
Management and Property	
Funds	<del>175,809</del>
	384,455
Vehicle Lease Payments	16,776
Leased Space	1,383,579
Payments to OIT	558,704
CORE Operations	14,820

APPROPRIATION FROM

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	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Electronic Recording Technology Board	4,048,377						
Indirect Cost Assessment	334,424						
Discretionary Fund	<u>5,000</u>						
		14,695,168			14,695,168*		
		14,903,814			14,903,814 <sup>a</sup>		

<sup>a</sup> Of this amount, ~~\$10,646,791~~ \$10,855,437 shall be from the Department of State Cash Fund created in Section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S., and \$4,048,377(I) shall be from the Electronic Recording Technology Fund created in Section 24-21-404 (1)(a), C.R.S., which is shown for informational purposes only because it is continuously appropriated.

**(2) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DIVISION**

Personal Services <sup>107a</sup>	7,511,768						
	(46.0 FTE)						
Operating Expenses	510,898						
Hardware/Software Maintenance	2,783,625						
Information Technology Asset Management	<u>449,093</u>						
		11,255,384	570,002		10,228,033 <sup>a</sup>	457,349 <sup>b</sup>	

<sup>a</sup> This amount shall be from the Department of State Cash Fund created in Section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S.

<sup>b</sup> This amount shall be from the Indirect Costs Excess Recovery Fund created in Section 24-75-1401 (2), C.R.S.

**(3) ELECTIONS DIVISION**

Personal Services	3,397,304				3,397,304 <sup>a</sup>		
					(43.0 FTE)		
Operating Expenses	428,239				428,239 <sup>a</sup>		
Help America Vote Act Program	244,488				244,488 <sup>b</sup>		

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Local Election Reimbursement <sup>108</sup>	15,800,000		12,265,576		3,200,000 <sup>a</sup>		334,424 <sup>c</sup>
Initiative and Referendum	165,000				165,000 <sup>a</sup>		
Document Management	<u>741,956</u>				741,956 <sup>a</sup>		
		20,776,987					

<sup>a</sup> These amounts shall be from the Department of State Cash Fund created in Section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S.

<sup>b</sup> Of this amount, \$234,488 shall be from the Department of State Cash Fund created in Section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S., and shall be transferred into the Federal Elections Assistance Fund created in Section 1-1.5-106 (1)(a), C.R.S., which is continuously appropriated to the Department of State for the implementation of the federal Help America Vote Act of 2002, pursuant to Section 1-1.5-106 (2)(b), C.R.S., and \$10,000(I) shall be from the Federal Elections Assistance Fund created in Section 1-1.5-106 (1)(a), C.R.S. which is continuously appropriated to the Department of State for the implementation of the federal Help America Vote Act of 2002, pursuant to Section 1-1.5-106 (2)(b), C.R.S., and is shown for informational purposes. Appropriations from the Federal Elections Assistance Fund do not constitute fiscal year spending for the purposes of Section 20 of Article X of the State Constitution.

<sup>c</sup> This amount shall be from the Indirect Costs Excess Recovery Fund created in Section 24-75-1401 (2), C.R.S.

**(4) BUSINESS AND LICENSING DIVISION**

Personal Services	2,935,910						
	(41.4 FTE)						
Operating Expenses	127,325						
Business Intelligence Center							
Personal Services	<u>318,095</u>						
		3,381,330			3,381,330 <sup>a</sup>		

<sup>a</sup> This amount shall be from the Department of State Cash Fund created in Section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S.

**TOTALS PART XXI**

(STATE)		<del>50,108,869</del>	12,835,578		<del>\$36,481,518</del> <sup>a</sup>		\$791,773
		<u>\$50,317,515</u>			<u>\$36,690,164</u> <sup>a</sup>		

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<sup>a</sup> Of this amount, \$4,058,377 contains an (I) notation.

**FOOTNOTES** -- The following statements are referenced to the numbered footnotes throughout section 2.

107a DEPARTMENT OF STATE, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DIVISION, PERSONAL SERVICES -- OF THIS APPROPRIATION, \$414,151 GENERAL FUND AND \$457,349 REAPPROPRIATED FUNDS REMAIN AVAILABLE FOR EXPENDITURE UNTIL THE CLOSE OF THE 2026-27 STATE FISCAL YEAR, PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-21-104.5(3), C.R.S.

108 Department of State, Elections Division, Local Election Reimbursement -- If actual reimbursements to counties required by section 1-5-505.5, C.R.S., exceed the cash funds amount specified in this line item, the Department may spend up to 115.0 percent of the cash funds amount specified to make the required reimbursements.

**SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety or for appropriations for the support and maintenance of the departments of the state and state institutions.

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Julie McCluskie  
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE  
OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Steve Fenberg  
PRESIDENT OF  
THE SENATE

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APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

(Date and Time)

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Jared S. Polis  
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF COLORADO