

## CHAPTER 241

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**GOVERNMENT - STATE**


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**HOUSE BILL 08-1371**

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Madden, May M., Buescher, Green, Labuda, and Todd;  
also SENATOR(S) Gordon.

**AN ACT**

**CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO  
SUBMIT BIDS FOR LEGISLATIVE PRINTING, AND, PROVIDING FOR THE FUNDING THEREOF.**

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

**SECTION 1.** 2-3-304, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

**2-3-304. Director of research - assistants.** (7) PURSUANT TO THE PROCESS SET FORTH IN PART 2 OF ARTICLE 70 OF TITLE 24, C.R.S., AND NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 24-70-217, C.R.S., IF AUTHORIZED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PRINT SHOP, MAY SUBMIT PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING OF THE FIRST CLASS, AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 24-70-203 (1) (a), C.R.S.

**SECTION 2.** 24-113-103 (3), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW PARAGRAPH to read:

**24-113-103. State competition with private enterprise prohibited - exceptions.** (3) The restrictions on competition with private enterprise contained in this section do not apply to:

(e.5) PRINTING OF THE FIRST CLASS, AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 24-70-203 (1) (a), PERFORMED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL PRINT SHOP UNDER A CONTRACT AWARDED THROUGH COMPETITIVE BIDDING PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-3-304 (7), C.R.S.

**SECTION 3.** Section 1 of House Bill 08-1361, enacted at the Second Regular

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*Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.*

Session of the Sixty-sixth General Assembly, is amended to read:

Section 1. **Appropriation.** In addition to any other appropriation, there is hereby appropriated, to the legislative department of the state of Colorado, the sum of thirty-three million one hundred eighty-eight thousand nine hundred fifty-eight dollars (\$33,188,958), or so much thereof as may be necessary, of which amount thirty-two million two hundred eleven thousand nine hundred twenty-eight dollars (\$32,211,928) shall be out of any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated, one hundred seventy-seven thousand thirty dollars (\$177,030) shall be from cash funds, and eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000) shall be from reappropriated funds, for payment of the expenses of the legislative department for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2008, to be allocated as follows:

House of representatives and senate	<del>\$ 12,992,311</del> <sup>1/</sup> \$ 12,970,487 <sup>1/</sup> (76.75 FTE)
State auditor	7,902,919 <sup>2/</sup> (73.0 FTE)
Joint budget committee	1,492,526 (16.0 FTE)
Legislative council	<del>5,077,695</del> 5,099,519 (55.2 FTE)
Committee on legal services	5,240,064 <sup>3/</sup> (56.1 FTE)
PERA Amortization Equalization Disbursement	332,921
PERA Supplemental Amortization Equalization Disbursement	150,522
Total legislative department	\$33,188,958

<sup>1/</sup> Of this amount, \$90,000 is appropriated out of cash funds generated by the sale of bill boxes and legislative directories, \$3,816 is appropriated out of cash funds in the methamphetamine abuse prevention, intervention, and treatment cash fund created in section 18-18.5-105 (1) (a), Colorado Revised Statutes, and ~~\$12,898,495~~ \$12,876,671 is appropriated out of the general fund.

<sup>2/</sup> Of this amount, \$7,019,705 is appropriated out of the general fund, \$800,000 is appropriated out of reappropriated funds received from various departments for audits, and \$83,214 is appropriated out of cash funds received pursuant to section 2-3-113 (7), Colorado Revised Statutes.

<sup>3/</sup> In addition, it is anticipated that, during the 2008-09 fiscal year, the tax levy on civil actions provided for in section 2-5-119, Colorado Revised Statutes, will return approximately \$330,000 to the general fund to offset expenses of the revision of statutes by the office of legislative legal services.

**SECTION 4. Effective date.** (1) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (2) of this section, this act shall take effect upon passage.

(2) Section 3 of this act shall take effect only if the director of research of the legislative council files written notice with the staff director of the joint budget committee and the state controller no later than October 1, 2008, that the legislative council print shop is the successful bidder for legislative printing as authorized in this act.

**SECTION 5. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: May 20, 2008