

HB1250_L.022

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Appropriations.

HB26-1250 be amended as follows:

1 Amend the Finance Committee Report, dated May 4, 2026, page 1, strike
2 lines 4 and 5 and substitute:

3 "Page 1 of the Judiciary Committee Report, dated April 21, 2026, strike
4 line 15 and substitute:

5 "Page 6 of the bill, line 7, strike "(3)(a)(VII)(B), (5), and (6)" and
6 substitute "(3)(a)(VII)(C), (5), and (6); and **add** (3)(a)(VI.5)".

7 Page 6 of the bill, after line 18 insert:

8 "(VI.5) THE REMAINING PORTION OF THE BALANCE, UP TO
9 FIFTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS PER YEAR, TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL
10 AFFAIRS CREATED IN SECTION 24-1-125 FOR GRANT AND PORTAL
11 ADMINISTRATION RELATED TO CIVIL ASSET FORFEITURE PROCEEDS
12 REQUIRED PURSUANT TO SECTION 16-13-701;".".

13 Page 2 of the Finance Committee Report, after line 11 insert:

14 "(III) NOTWITHSTANDING THIS SUBSECTION (3)(b), BEGINNING IN
15 THE 2027-28 STATE FISCAL YEAR, THE FUND MUST ONLY BE FUNDED
16 THROUGH GIFTS, GRANTS, DONATIONS, AND MONEY TRANSMITTED
17 PURSUANT TO SECTION 16-13-311 (3)(a)(VII)(C). THE GENERAL
18 ASSEMBLY SHALL NOT APPROPRIATE MONEY FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO
19 THE FUND.

20 (IV) THE SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE ADMINISTRATOR
21 AND THE PRIVATE CONTRACTOR MUST BE CONTINGENT ON MONEY BEING
22 IN THE FUND. IF THE FUND DOES NOT HAVE MONEY, THE GENERAL
23 ASSEMBLY IS NOT REQUIRED TO APPROPRIATE OR TRANSFER MONEY TO
24 THE FUND. THE PRIVATE CONTRACTOR IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE
25 LEGAL DEFENSE FOR INDIGENT CIVIL ASSET FORFEITURE DEFENDANTS IF
26 THERE IS NO BALANCE REMAINING FROM THE MONEY THE PRIVATE
27 CONTRACTOR RECEIVES FROM THE FUND."

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