

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
2023 FIRST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

Introduced
House Bill 136

By Delegates Hanshaw (Mr. Speaker) and Skaff

[By Request Of The Executive]

[Introduced ; referred
to the Committee on the]

1 A BILL supplementing and amending the appropriations of public moneys out of the Treasury from
 2 the balance of moneys remaining as an unappropriated surplus balance in the State Fund,
 3 General Revenue, to the Department of Commerce, Division of Natural Resources, fund
 4 0265, fiscal year 2024, organization 0310 by supplementing and amending the
 5 appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024.

1 WHEREAS, The Governor submitted to the Legislature the Executive Budget Document
 2 dated January 11, 2023, which included a statement of the State Fund, General Revenue, setting
 3 forth therein the cash balance as of July 1, 2022, and further included an estimate of revenues for
 4 the fiscal years 2023 and 2024, less net appropriation balances forwarded for fiscal year 2023 and
 5 regular and surplus appropriations appropriated and recommended for the fiscal years 2023 and
 6 2024: and

1 WHEREAS, The Governor submitted to the Legislature an Executive Message, dated
 2 August 6, 2023, which included an updated Statement of the State Fund, General Revenue,
 3 setting forth therein the cash balance as of July 1, 2023, and further included a revised estimate of
 4 revenues for the fiscal year 2024, less net appropriation balances forwarded and regular and
 5 surplus appropriations for the fiscal year 2024; and

1 WHEREAS, It appears from the Executive Message dated August 6, 2023, Statement of
 2 the State Fund, General Revenue, there now remains an unappropriated surplus balance in the
 3 Treasury which is available for appropriation during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024; therefore
Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

1 That the total appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, to fund 0265, fiscal
 2 year 2024, organization 0310, be supplemented and amended by adding a new item of
 3 appropriation as follows:

TITLE II – APPROPRIATIONS.

Section 1. Appropriations from general revenue.

6 **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**
 7 *35 – Division of Natural Resources*
 8 (W.V. Code Chapter 20)
 9 Fund 0265 FY 2024 Org 0310

10		Appropriation	General Revenue Fund
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13	11a Capital Outlay, Repairs, and Equipment – Surplus.....	67700	2,000,000

NOTE: The purpose of this supplemental appropriation bill is to add a new item of appropriation in the aforesaid account for the designated spending unit for expenditure during the fiscal year 2024.