

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2026 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **Senate Bill 843**

BY SENATORS SMITH (MR. PRESIDENT) AND WOELFEL

(BY REQUEST OF THE EXECUTIVE)

[Introduced February 9, 2026; referred  
to the Committee on Finance]



1 A BILL making a supplementary appropriation of public moneys out of the Treasury from the  
2 balance of moneys remaining unappropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, to  
3 the Department of Health, The Vital Statistics Account, fund 5144, fiscal year 2026,  
4 organization 0506, by supplementing and amending the appropriations for the fiscal year  
5 ending June 30, 2026.

1 WHEREAS, The Governor has established that there now remains an unappropriated  
2 balance in the Department of Health, The Vital Statistics Account, fund 5144, fiscal year 2026,  
3 organization 0506, that is available for expenditure during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026,  
4 which is hereby appropriated by the terms of this supplementary appropriation bill; therefore

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

1 That the total appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, to fund 5144, fiscal  
2 year 2026, organization 0506, be supplemented and amended by increasing an existing item of  
3 appropriation as follows:

4 **TITLE II – APPROPRIATIONS.**

5 **Sec. 3. Appropriations from other funds.**

6 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

7 *250 - Department of Health –*

8 *The Vital Statistics Account*

9 (W.V. Code Chapter 16)

10 Fund 5144 FY 2026 Org 0506

11 **Appro-**

**Other**

12 **priation**

**Funds**

13 1 Personal Services and Employee Benefits ..... 00100 \$ 330,000