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SB 1376: appropriation; deputies; detention officers
Sponsor: Senator Gowan, LD 19
Committee on Military Affairs & Public Safety

Overview

Revises the distribution schedule for the \$10,000 onetime payment allocated to line-level deputies and detention officers in FY 2023.

<u>History</u>

In 2022, the Fifty-fifth Legislature, Second Regular Session, passed <u>Laws 2022</u>, <u>Chapter 313</u> (<u>general appropriations act; 2022-2023</u>) (Appropriations Act). The Appropriations Act, among other things, appropriates \$48,310,000 to the counties for the purposes of a \$10,000 onetime payment to line-level deputies and detention officers employed by each county sheriff's office as of May 1, 2022 (Onetime Bonus). The Onetime Bonuses are to be distributed in equal quarterly installments over two years.

Additionally, the Appropriations Act appropriated \$5,095,000 to the counties for \$5,000 Hiring Bonuses for line-level deputies and detention officers (Hiring Bonus). The Hiring Bonuses are to be distributed in equal quarterly installments over one year.

Provisions

- 1. Requires the Onetime Bonuses to be fully distributed by October 30, 2023. (Sec. 1)
- 2. Permits, beginning May 1, 2023, counties to spend unencumbered and unexpended Onetime Bonus monies for additional Hiring Bonuses. (Sec. 1)
- 3. Revises the distribution of Hiring Bonus monies to the counties, from a prospective distribution based on the total number of hires, to a retrospective distribution based on the total number of vacancies for line-level deputies and detention officers as of May 1, 2022. (Sec. 1)
- 4. Contains a retroactivity clause of July 1, 2022. (Sec. 2)

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