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1 AN ACT relating to the smoking cessation program, making an appropriation 2 therefor, and declaring an emergency.

- 3 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:
- ◆ Section 1. Moneys received in fiscal year 2023-2024, fiscal year 2024-2025,
- 5 and fiscal year 2025-2026 as a result of the Final Consent Judgment in Commonwealth of
- 6 Kentucky, ex. rel. Daniel Cameron, Attorney General v. Juul Labs, Inc., 22-CI-00942,
- 7 shall be used to support the Smoking Cessation Program within the Public Health budget
- 8 unit of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services.
- 9 → Section 2. There hereby is appropriated General Fund moneys in the amount of
- 10 \$1,026,000 for fiscal year 2023-2024, \$1,024,000 in fiscal year 2024-2025, and
- \$1,539,000 in fiscal year 2025-2026 to the Department for Public Health to support the
- 12 Smoking Cessation Program.
- → Section 3. Notwithstanding Section 2 of this Act, if the moneys deposited into
- the General Fund as a result of the Final Consent Judgment during any fiscal year are
- greater than or less than the amounts appropriated under Section 2 of this Act, the
- appropriation for that fiscal year shall equal the amount deposited into the General Fund
- as a result of the Final Consent Judgment.
- → Section 4. Whereas the health and well-being of Kentuckians continues to
- decline as a result of smoking nicotine products, an emergency is declared to exist, and
- 20 this Act takes effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise
- 21 becoming a law.