



13	0321-1520	.....	\$1,100,000
14		DISTRICT ATTORNEY	
15		Suffolk District Attorney	
16	0340-0198	.....	\$81,853
17		SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH	
18		Office of the Secretary	
19	0521-0000	.....	\$443,308
20		OFFICE OF THE STATE TREASURER	
21		Office of the Treasurer	
22	0610-0050	.....	\$70,000
23		OFFICE OF THE STATE COMPTROLLER	
24		Office of the State Comptroller	
25	1599-3384	.....	\$12,506,260
26		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS	
27		Department of Fish and Game	
28	2310-0200	.....	\$870,000
29		EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	

30	Executive Office of Health and Human Services	
31	4000-0700 .....	\$11,000,000
32	Department of Transitional Assistance	
33	4400-1100 .....	\$3,488,689
34	Department of Public Health	
35	4590-0918 .....	\$4,000,000
36	Department of Children and Families	
37	4800-0015 .....	\$2,686,662
38	4800-0025 .....	\$144,197
39	4800-0038 .....	\$3,226,463
40	4800-0041 .....	\$8,830,544
41	EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	
42	Department of Housing and Community Development	
43	7004-0101 .....	\$41,000,000
44	7004-0108 .....	\$2,500,000
45	EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF EDUCATION	
46	Department of Elementary and Secondary Education	



66           0340-0802 For costs associated with the moving and relocation of the Plymouth district  
67 attorney's office .....\$2,409,170

68                           EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

69                           Office of the Secretary for Administration and Finance

70           1599-4445     For a reserve to meet the fiscal year 2016 costs of quarter point benefits  
71 authorized by collective bargaining agreements with the executive branch and ratified by the  
72 general court..... \$4,939,821

73           1599-4447     For a reserve to meet the fiscal year 2016 costs of salary adjustments  
74 authorized by collective bargaining agreements with the executive branch that have not yet been  
75 ratified by the general court; provided, that no funds shall be expended from this item prior to  
76 ratification of the collective bargaining agreements by the general court..... \$11,373,102

77           1599-8910     For a reserve for identified current year deficiencies documented by the  
78 sheriffs of the commonwealth..... \$18,000,000

79           SECTION 2C.I. For the purpose of making available in fiscal year 2017 balances of  
80 appropriations which otherwise would revert on June 30, 2016, the unexpended balances of the  
81 appropriations listed below, not to exceed the amount specified below for each item, are hereby  
82 re-appropriated for the purposes of and subject to the conditions stated for the corresponding  
83 item in section 2 of chapter 46 of the acts of 2015. For items that do not appear in section 2 of  
84 the general appropriation act, the amounts in this section are re-appropriated for the purposes of  
85 and subject to the conditions stated for the corresponding item in section 2 or 2A in prior

86 appropriation acts. The sums re-appropriated in this section shall be in addition to any amounts  
87 available for said purposes.

88 EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

89 Office of the Secretary of Health and Human Services

90 1599-0321 Women’s Preventive Health Reserve .....\$300,000

91 SECTION 3. Section 11 of chapter 61A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
92 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 10 and 11, the words “, prior to  
93 January first of each year,”.

94 SECTION 4. Said section 11 of said chapter 61A, as so appearing, is hereby further  
95 amended by striking out, in line 17, the words “February first” and inserting in place thereof the  
96 following words:- April 1.

97 SECTION 5. Section 87CC of chapter 112 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is  
98 hereby amended by striking out the last sentence.

99 SECTION 6. Chapter 120 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section  
100 16, as so appearing, and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

101 Section 16. Every person committed to the department until the age of 18 as a delinquent  
102 child, if not already discharged, shall be discharged upon reaching the person’s eighteenth  
103 birthday. Every person committed to the department until the age of 19 as a delinquent child, if  
104 not already discharged, shall be discharged upon reaching the person’s nineteenth birthday.  
105 Every person committed to the department until the age of 20 as a delinquent child, if not already  
106 discharged, shall be discharged upon reaching the person’s twentieth birthday. Every person

107 committed to the department until the age of 21 as a youthful offender, if not already discharged,  
108 shall be discharged upon reaching the person's twenty-first birthday. The department may  
109 continue to have responsibility for any person provided for in this chapter under 22 years of age  
110 for the purposes of specific educational or rehabilitative programs, under conditions agreed upon  
111 by both the department and such persons and terminable by either. Such services must be offered  
112 prior to the person's discharge date as provided herein; however, a person may request and the  
113 department shall consider any such request for the services described, for up to 90 days after the  
114 person's effective date of discharge, even where the person has previously declined services or  
115 services were terminated for non-compliance, and may reach an agreement with the person,  
116 terminable by either, to provide the services described herein until such person attains the age of  
117 22.

118 SECTION 7. Subsection (c) of section 46 of chapter 151A of the General Laws, as so  
119 appearing, is hereby amended by striking out clause (3) and inserting in place thereof the  
120 following 2 clauses:-

121 (3) to the heads of the departments of career services, transitional assistance, revenue,  
122 veterans' services, office of Medicaid and industrial accidents, information necessary in the  
123 performance of their official duties;

124 (3 ½) to the heads of governmental agencies who are partners in the Workforce  
125 Innovation and Opportunity Act, information necessary for the purpose of complying with  
126 performance reporting requirements of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, Public  
127 Law 113-128;

128 SECTION 8. Item 4000-0321 of section 2 of chapter 46 of the acts of 2015 is hereby  
129 amended by inserting after the words “accounting system” the following words:- ; provided  
130 further, that after providing payments due in accordance with the terms of the contingency  
131 contracts, the office may use available funds to support special MassHealth projects that will  
132 receive enhanced federal revenue opportunities, including MassHealth eligibility operations and  
133 systems enhancements that support reforms and improvements to the MassHealth programs;  
134 provided further, that any enhanced federal financial participation received for these special  
135 projects, including the Implementation Advanced Planning Document or other eligibility  
136 operations and systems enhancement that support reforms and improvements to the MassHealth  
137 program shall be deposited into this account.

138 SECTION 9. Item 4000-0700 of said section 2 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
139 inserting after the words “neonatal intensive care unit cases” the following words:- ; provided  
140 further, that MassHealth shall expend not less than \$11,000,000 for payments in addition to its  
141 standard payment amount per discharge, or SPAD, above rate year 2013, or of reimbursement  
142 provided under any subsequent inpatient payment methodologies, and to provide additional  
143 payments above its standard outpatient payment amount per episode, or PAPE, above rate year  
144 2013, or of reimbursement provided under any subsequent outpatient payment methodologies to  
145 any acute care hospital that has greater than 63 per cent of its gross patient service revenue from  
146 governmental payers and free care as determined by the executive office of health and human  
147 services.

148 SECTION 10. Item 4590-0918 of said section 2 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
149 striking out, each time it appears, the figure “\$14,000,000” and inserting in place thereof the  
150 following figure:- \$18,000,000.



151 SECTION 11. Said section 2 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by striking out item  
152 5046-0005 and inserting in place thereof the following item:

153 5046-0006 For adult mental health community-based placements; provided, that funds  
154 shall be used to expand community-based placements for discharge ready individuals currently  
155 in the department's continuing care facilities; and provided further, that the annualized cost of  
156 these placements in fiscal year 2017 shall not exceed the amount appropriated in this item

157 \$4,000,000

158 Community First Trust Fund.... 100%

159 SECTION 12. Item 7004-0101 of said section 2 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
160 inserting after the words, "administrative costs" the following words:- except the department  
161 may expend not more than \$360,000 for the direct costs associated with the coordination and  
162 placement of homeless families in hotels and motels used as overflow shelter capacity and  
163 oversight of hotel and motel compliance with state requirements.

164 SECTION 13. Item 7035-0002 of said section 2 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
165 striking out the words "the Lawrence/Methuen Community Coalition" and inserting in place  
166 thereof the following words:- Family Services of the Merrimack Valley.

167 SECTION 14. Item 8900-0011 of said section 2 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
168 inserting after the word "system" the following words:- ; provided further, that the commissioner  
169 of correction may allocate year-end net profits to the cost of drug, substance abuse and  
170 rehabilitative programming.

171 SECTION 15. Item 8900-0021 of section 2B of said chapter 46 is hereby amended, by  
172 inserting after the words “inmates” the following words:- ; provided, that the commissioner of  
173 correction may allocate year-end net profits to the cost of drug, substance abuse and  
174 rehabilitative programming.

175 SECTION 16. Item 1595-6368 of section 2E of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
176 striking out the figure “\$365,025,340” and inserting in place thereof the following figure:-  
177 \$337,468,038.

178 SECTION 17. Subsection (a) of section 151 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
179 striking out the fifth and sixth sentences and inserting in place thereof the following 3 sentences:-  
180 The tax amnesty program shall apply to returns due on or before December 31, 2015. In the case  
181 of taxpayers otherwise coming into compliance with tax obligations pursuant to the amnesty,  
182 unless the commissioner determines that the taxpayer has acted with fraudulent intent, the  
183 commissioner may apply limited look-back periods for unfiled returns, not to exceed 4 years.  
184 The scope of the tax amnesty program, including the particular tax types, periods covered, and  
185 the applicability of the look-back periods, shall be determined by the commissioner.

186 SECTION 18. Subsection (c) of said section 151 of said chapter 46 is hereby amended by  
187 striking out the words, “for any tax period beginning before January 1, 2014,” and inserting in  
188 place thereof the following words:- on or before December 31, 2015.

189 SECTION 19. Section 54 of chapter 119 of the acts of 2015 is hereby amended by  
190 striking out the word, “March” and inserting in place thereof the following word:- November.

191 SECTION 20. The salary adjustments and other economic benefits authorized by the  
192 following collective bargaining agreements shall be effective for the purposes of section 7 of  
193 chapter 150E of the General Laws:

194 (1) between the sheriff of Essex county and the Essex County Correctional Officers  
195 Association;

196 (2) between the commonwealth and the International Association of Fire Fighters Local  
197 S-28 & S-29;

198 (3) between the commonwealth and the Massachusetts Correction Officers Federated  
199 Union;

200 (4) between the sheriff of Worcester county and the New England Police Benevolent  
201 Association, Local 550;

202 (5) between the sheriff of Essex county and the National Correctional Employees Union,  
203 Local 123; and

204 (6) between the sheriff of Essex county and the Essex County Regional Emergency  
205 Communication Dispatchers.