

SENATE No. 2179

Senate, October 12, 2017, – Text of the Senate Bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 2017 to provide for supplementing certain existing appropriations and for certain other activities and projects (being the text of Senate document number 2177, printed as amended)

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act making appropriations for the fiscal year 2017 to provide for supplementing certain existing appropriations and for certain other activities and projects.

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to make supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2017 and to make certain changes in law, each of which is immediately necessary to carry out those appropriations or to accomplish other important public purposes, therefore, it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. To provide for supplementing certain items in the general appropriation act
2 and other appropriation acts for fiscal year 2017, the sums set forth in section 2 are hereby
3 appropriated from the General Fund unless specifically designated otherwise in this act or in
4 those appropriation acts, for the several purposes and subject to the conditions specified in this
5 act or in those appropriation acts, and subject to the laws regulating the disbursement of public
6 funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. These sums shall be in addition to any amounts
7 previously appropriated and made available for the purposes of those items. These sums shall be
8 made available until June 30, 2018.

9 SECTION 2.

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DISTRICT ATTORNEYS
Hampden District Attorney

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15	0340-0500	\$150,215
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17	<i>Northwestern District Attorney</i>	
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19	0340-0600	\$142,798
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21	<i>Bristol District Attorney</i>	
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23	0340-0998	\$19,393
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25	<i>Cape and Islands District Attorney</i>	
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27	0340-1000	\$257,578
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30	INDEPENDENTS	
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32	<i>Secretary of the Commonwealth</i>	
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34	0521-0000	\$105,203
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39	<i>Reserves</i>	
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41	1599-8910	\$20,408,910
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44	1750-0100	\$250,000
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47	EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS	
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49	<i>Department of Fish and Game</i>	
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51	2330-0300	\$1,000,000
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54	MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
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56	<i>Department of Transportation</i>	
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58	1595-6368	\$49,828,056
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64 EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

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1599-3224 For a reserve for costs associated with taxes owed to the city of
Boston for the property at 100 Cambridge street.....\$1,429,179

SECTION 2B. To provide for supplementing certain intragovernmental chargeback authorizations in the general appropriation act and other appropriation acts for fiscal year 2017, to provide for certain unanticipated intragovernmental chargeback authorizations, to provide for an alteration of purpose for current intragovernmental chargeback authorizations, and to meet certain requirements of law, the sums set forth in this section are hereby authorized from the Intragovernmental Service Fund for the several purposes specified in this section or in the appropriation acts, and subject to the provisions of law regulating the disbursement of public funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. These sums shall be in addition to any amounts

97 previously authorized and made available for the purposes of those items. These sums shall be
98 made available until June 30, 2018.

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100 EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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102 *Office of the Secretary*

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105 4000-0102\$353,021
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108 SECTION 2C.I. For the purpose of making available in fiscal year 2018 balances of
109 appropriations which otherwise would revert on June 30, 2017, the unexpended balances of the
110 appropriations listed below, not to exceed the amount specified below for each item, are hereby
111 re-appropriated for the purposes of and subject to the conditions stated for the corresponding
112 item in section 2 of chapter 133 of the acts of 2016. However, for items which do not appear in
113 section 2 of the general appropriation act, the amounts in this section are re-appropriated for the
114 purposes of and subject to the conditions stated for the corresponding item in section 2 or 2A of
115 this act or in prior appropriation acts. Amounts in this section are re-appropriated from the fund
116 or funds designated for the corresponding item in section 2 of said chapter 133; provided,
117 however, that for items which do not appear in section 2 of said chapter 133, the amounts in this
118 section are re-appropriated from the fund or funds designated for the corresponding item in
119 section 2 or 2A of this act or in prior appropriation acts. The unexpended balance of each
120 appropriation in the Massachusetts management accounting and reporting system with a
121 secretariat code of 01 or 17 is hereby re-appropriated for the purposes of and subject to the
122 conditions stated for the corresponding item in said section 2 of said chapter 133. The sums re-
123 appropriated in this section shall be in addition to any amounts available for said purposes.

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125 INDEPENDENTS

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127 *Office of the Treasurer and Receiver-General*

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129 0610-0010\$350,000
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131 EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE

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133 *Reserves*

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135	1599-0044	\$80,000
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145	1599-1450	\$233,997
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147	1599-2004	\$83,326
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151	4100-0060	\$1,772,625
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156	1790-0300	\$2,653,323
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163	5046-0000	\$900,000
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167	4800-0091	\$160,000
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171	1410-0018	\$139,396
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175	4180-1100	\$128,995
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Health Policy Commission

Center for Health Information and Analysis

MASSACHUSETTS OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Department of Mental Health

Department of Children and Families

Department of Veteran Services

Chelsea Soldiers Home

Holyoke Soldiers Home

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181 4190-1100\$587,579
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184 COMMUNITY COLLEGES

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186 *Northern Essex Community College*

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188 7510-0200\$1,000,000
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190 SECTION 3. Section 172 of chapter 6 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
191 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following subsection:
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193 (o) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section or any other general or special
194 law to the contrary, all gaming service employees shall be required to register with the
195 investigations and enforcement bureau established in section 6 of chapter 23K but the
196 Massachusetts gaming commission may, in its discretion, exempt certain gaming service
197 employees by job position from the registration requirement. The commission and the bureau
198 may require a gaming service employee to produce any information deemed necessary.

199 SECTION 4. Section 5 of chapter 18 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby
200 amended by striking out, in lines 71 and 72, the words “and shall have a caseload of not more
201 than 60 recipients”.

202 SECTION 5. Section 2QQQ of chapter 29 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
203 striking out, in lines 4 and 5, as so appearing, the words “supplemental and incentive”.

204 SECTION 6. Subsection (b) of section 2XXXX of said chapter 29, as appearing in
205 section 22 of chapter 47 of the acts of 2017, is hereby amended by inserting after the third
206 sentence the following sentence:- For the purpose of accommodating timing discrepancies
207 between the receipt of retained revenues and related expenditures, the department may incur

208 expenses and the comptroller may certify for payment amounts not to exceed the lower of this
209 authorization or the most recent revenue estimate as reported in the state accounting system.

210 SECTION 7. Said chapter 29 is hereby further amended by inserting after section
211 2XXXXX the following section:-

212 Section 2YYYYY. In order to implement MassHealth's substance use disorder 1115
213 waiver demonstration project and to enhance and expand substance use disorder services, there
214 shall be a Substance Use Disorder Federal Reinvestment Trust Fund. Revenues shall be credited
215 to the fund equal to the amount of federal financial participation received by the General Fund
216 for expenditures for residential recovery services, transitional support services, family recovery
217 services, recovery support navigator services, recovery coach services and other qualifying
218 substance use disorder treatment services and any other federal reimbursements, grants,
219 premiums, gifts, interest or other contributions from any source received that are specifically
220 designated to be credited to the fund. The secretary of health and human services shall be the
221 trustee of the fund. Subject to appropriation, the secretary of health and human services shall
222 make expenditures from the fund to expand and enhance the substance use disorder service
223 continuum for individuals in need of substance use disorder services and to support the planning,
224 implementation and operating costs of administering the funds. For the purpose of
225 accommodating timing discrepancies between the receipt of revenues and related expenditures,
226 the fund may incur expenses, and the comptroller shall certify for payment, amounts not to
227 exceed the most recent revenue estimate as certified by the MassHealth director, as reported in
228 the state accounting system. Amounts remaining in the fund at the end of a fiscal year shall not
229 revert to the General Fund and shall be available for expenditure in the subsequent fiscal year.".

230 SECTION 8. Section 5H of said chapter 29, as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition, is
231 hereby amended by striking out the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the following
232 2 sentences:- Not later than October 31, the state treasurer shall certify the amount of actual
233 receipts and distributions to claimants of abandoned property for the previous fiscal year and,
234 beginning in fiscal year 2013, the comptroller shall transfer 75 per cent of the growth in
235 abandoned property net revenue to the Commonwealth Stabilization Fund established in section
236 2H; provided, however, that such transfer shall be made prior to the certification of the
237 consolidated net surplus for the previous fiscal year as provided in section 5C. For the purposes
238 of this section, “abandoned property net revenue” shall mean the difference between abandoned
239 property receipts and distributions to claimants that exceeds the amount of net revenue collected
240 during the previous fiscal year.

241 SECTION 9. Section 23 of chapter 119 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby
242 amended by striking out, in line 93, the word “or” and inserting in place thereof the following
243 words:- , including the parents of siblings who have custody of the siblings, or.

244 SECTION 10. Subsection (a) of section 29B of said chapter 119, as so appearing, is
245 hereby amended by striking out the last 2 sentences and inserting in place thereof the following 4
246 sentences:- No child under the age of 16 shall have a permanency plan for another permanent
247 planned living arrangement. The department shall file a permanency plan prior to a permanency
248 hearing that shall address the above placement alternatives. The court shall consult with the child
249 in an age-appropriate manner about the permanency plan developed for the child, including for
250 children and young adults whose permanency plan is another permanency planned living
251 arrangement, asking the child or young adult their desired permanency plan. At each hearing
252 where the court determines that a permanency plan for a child is another permanency planned

253 living arrangement, the court shall specify why this plan is in the child’s best interest and the
254 compelling reasons why it is not in the child’s best interest to: (i) return home; (ii) be placed for
255 adoption; (iii) be placed with a legal guardian; or (iv) be placed in a permanency planned living
256 arrangement with other relatives.

257 SECTION 11. Subsection (c) of said section 29B of said chapter 119, as so appearing, is
258 hereby amended by striking out the third sentence and inserting in place thereof the following 2
259 sentences: In the case of a child who has attained age 14 or any young adult, the permanency
260 plan shall also address the services needed to assist the child or young adult in making the
261 transition from foster care to a successful adulthood; provided, however, that the court shall
262 consult with the child or young adult in an age-appropriate manner about the permanency plan. If
263 the permanency plan for the child is another permanency planned living arrangement, the
264 permanency plan shall address the efforts the department has made to place the child or young
265 adult with a parent or relative or in a guardianship or adoption placement.

266 SECTION 12. Section 121 of chapter 140 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby
267 amended by inserting after the word “gun”, in line 100, the following words:- ; provided,
268 however, that “machine gun” shall include bump stocks and trigger cranks.

269 SECTION 13. Said section 121 of said chapter 140, as so appearing, is hereby amended
270 by inserting after the definition of “Assault weapon” the following definition:-

271 “Bump stock”, any device for a semiautomatic firearm that increases the rate of fire
272 achievable with such firearm by using energy from the recoil of the firearm to generate a
273 reciprocating action that facilitates repeated activation of the trigger.

274 SECTION 14. Said section 121 of said chapter 140, as so appearing, is hereby amended
275 by inserting after the definition of “Shotgun” the following definition:-

276 “Trigger crank”, any device to be attached to a semiautomatic firearm that repeatedly
277 activates the trigger of the firearm through the use of a lever or other part that is turned in a
278 circular motion; provided, however, that “trigger crank” shall not include any firearm initially
279 designed and manufactured to fire through the use of a crank or lever.

280 SECTION 15. Chapter 224 of the acts of 2012 is hereby amended by inserting after
281 section 254 the following section:-

282 Section 254A. (a) For the purposes of this section, the following words shall have the
283 following meanings unless the context clearly requires otherwise:

284 “Behavior management monitoring”, monitoring of a child’s behavior, the
285 implementation of a behavior plan and reinforcing implementation of a behavior plan by the
286 child’s parent or other caregiver.

287 “Behavior management therapy”, therapy that addresses challenging behaviors that
288 interfere with a child’s successful functioning; provided, however, that “behavior management
289 therapy” shall include assessment, development of a behavior plan and supervision and
290 coordination of interventions to address specific behavioral objectives or performance, including
291 the development of a crisis-response strategy; and provided further, that “behavior management
292 therapy” may include short-term counseling and assistance.

293 “Child” a person under the age of 21.

294 “Family support and training”, a service provided to a parent or other caregiver of a child
295 to improve the capacity of the parent or caregiver to ameliorate or resolve the child’s emotional
296 or behavioral needs and to parent; provided, however, that such service shall be provided where
297 the child resides, including in the child’s home, a foster home, a therapeutic foster home or
298 another community setting.

299 “In-home behavioral services”, a combination of behavior management therapy and
300 behavior management monitoring; provided, however, that such services shall be provided where
301 the child resides, including in the child’s home, a foster home, a therapeutic foster home or
302 another community setting.

303 “In-home therapy”, therapeutic clinical intervention or ongoing training and therapeutic
304 support; provided however, that the intervention or support shall be provided where the child
305 resides, including in the child’s home, a foster home, a therapeutic foster home or another
306 community setting.

307 “Mobile crisis intervention”, a short-term, mobile, on-site, face-to-face therapeutic
308 response service that is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to a child experiencing a
309 behavioral health crisis to identify, assess, treat and stabilize a situation and reduce the
310 immediate risk of danger to the child or others; provided, however, that the intervention shall be
311 consistent with the child’s risk management or safety plan, if any.

312 “Ongoing therapeutic training and support”, services that support implementation of a
313 treatment plan pursuant to therapeutic clinical intervention that shall include, but not be limited
314 to, teaching the child to understand, direct, interpret, manage and control feelings and emotional

315 responses to situations and assisting the family in supporting the child and addressing the child's
316 emotional and mental health needs.

317 "Therapeutic clinical intervention", intervention that shall include: (i) a structured and
318 consistent therapeutic relationship between a licensed clinician and a child and the child's family
319 to treat the child's mental health needs, including improvement of the family's ability to provide
320 effective support for the child and promotion of healthy functioning of the child within the
321 family; (ii) the development of a treatment plan; and (iii) using established psychotherapeutic
322 techniques, working with the family or a subset of the family to enhance problem solving, limit
323 setting, communication, emotional support or other family or individual functions.

324 "Therapeutic mentoring services", services provided to a child designed to support age-
325 appropriate social functioning or to ameliorate deficits in the child's age-appropriate social
326 functioning; provided, however, that such services may include supporting, coaching and
327 training the child in age-appropriate behaviors, interpersonal communication, problem solving,
328 conflict resolution and relating appropriately to other children and adolescents and to adults in
329 recreational and social activities; and provided further, that such services shall be provided where
330 the child resides, including in the child's home, a foster home, a therapeutic foster home or
331 another community setting.

332 (b) The annual report submitted by carriers and contractor pursuant to section 254 shall
333 include a certification that their coverage includes the following mental health home-based and
334 community-based services for a child: (i) intensive care coordination for a child with a serious
335 emotional disturbance; (ii) mobile crisis intervention; (iii) family support and training; (iv) in-
336 home therapy; (v) therapeutic mentoring services; and (vi) in-home behavioral services. The

337 certification shall substantiate that networks for the provided services are active and adequate to
338 ensure access.

339 (c) The commissioner may promulgate regulations or guidelines to implement this
340 section.

341 SECTION 16. Item 1233-2350 of section 2 of chapter 133 of the acts of 2016 is hereby
342 amended by striking out the words “State Lottery and Gaming Fund” and inserting in place
343 thereof the following words:- Gaming Local Aid Fund.

344 SECTION 17. Item 9110-1630 of said section 2 of said chapter 133 is hereby amended
345 by inserting after the word “program”, in line 27, the following words:- ; provided further, that
346 the secretary of elder affairs may transfer funds appropriated in this item to item 9110-1500 for
347 the provision of enhanced home care services.

348 SECTION 18. Said item 9110-1630 of said section 2 of said chapter 133 is hereby
349 further amended by striking out the words

350 General Fund.....95%

351 Community First Trust Fund.....5%", inserted by section 29 of chapter 283 of the
352 acts of 2016, and inserting in place thereof the following words :-

353 General Fund.....86.32%

354 Community First Trust Fund.....13.68%

355 SECTION 19. The second paragraph of section 136 of chapter 219 of the acts of 2016 is
356 hereby amended by striking out, in line 3, the word “March” and inserting in place thereof the
357 following word:- December.

358 SECTION 20. Item 0940-0101 of section 2 of chapter 47 of the acts of 2017 is hereby
359 amended by striking out the figure “\$2,468,211” and inserting in place thereof the following
360 figure:- \$3,100,000.

361 SECTION 21. Said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby further amended by inserting
362 after item 1410-0018 the following item:-

363 1410-0022 For the operation of a comprehensive program to enhance employment
364 opportunities and outcomes among veterans by assisting businesses to attract, hire, train and
365 retain veterans under section 2C of chapter 115 of the General Laws \$100,000

366 SECTION 22. Said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby further amended by striking
367 out the item number 1599-1690 and inserting in place thereof the following item number:- 1599-
368 1691.

369 SECTION 23. Said item 1599-1690 of said section 2 of said chapter 47, as amended by
370 section 22, is hereby further amended by inserting after the words “said transfer”, the following
371 words:- ; provided further, that not more than \$13,511,090 from this item shall be expended for
372 payroll costs incurred in fiscal year 2017 by the 14 sheriffs’ offices; and.

373 SECTION 24. Said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby further amended by inserting
374 after item 1599-1977 the following 2 items:-

375 1599-2003 For the purpose of funding the Uniform Law Commission; provided, that
376 prior fiscal year payments may be payable from this item \$50,000

377 1599-3222 For a reserve to fund the administrative costs associated with the
378 implementation of an employer contribution including, but not limited to, costs of

379 commonwealth personnel, contracts and the purchase of new information technologies as
380 necessary; provided, that the secretary may transfer from this item to other items of appropriation
381 and allocations as are necessary to meet such costs where the amounts otherwise available are
382 insufficient for the purpose in accordance with a transfer plan which shall be filed in advance
383 with the house and senate committees on ways and means; and provided further, that the
384 secretary may only transfer such amounts to other items of appropriation and allocations within
385 the executive office for administration and finance, the executive office of health and human
386 services, the executive office of labor and workforce development, the department of revenue
387 and the department of unemployment assistance \$2,925,694.

388 SECTION 25. Item 2330-0100 of said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby amended by
389 inserting after the penultimate proviso the following proviso:- ; provided further, that not less
390 than \$450,000 shall be expended for a program of collaborative research by the division of
391 marine fisheries through the Massachusetts Marine Fisheries Institute, in collaboration with the
392 School for Marine Science and Technology at the University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth, that
393 applies innovative technology to assess the biomass of fish in the region managed by the New
394 England Fishery Management Council.

395 SECTION 26. Said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby further amended by inserting
396 after item 4000-0051 the following item:-

397 4000-0250 For the executive office of health and human Services which may expend for
398 the costs of the operations and maintenance of the health insurance exchange not more than
399 \$15,000,000 from monies received from the commonwealth health insurance connector
400 authority; provided, that for the purpose of accommodating timing discrepancies between the

401 receipt of retained revenues and related expenditures, the office may incur expenses and the
402 comptroller may certify for payment amounts not to exceed the lower of this authorization or the
403 most recent revenue estimate as reported in the state accounting system; and provided further,
404 that any unspent balance at the close of fiscal year 2018 shall remain in the account and may be
405 expended for this item in fiscal year 2019.....\$15,000,000.

406 SECTION 27. Item 4513-1000 of said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby amended by
407 inserting after the penultimate proviso the following proviso:- ; provided further, that not less
408 than \$100,000 shall be expended for the program's critical congenital heart defects screening
409 activities.

410 SECTION 28. Said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby further amended by striking
411 out item 7002-1075.

412 SECTION 29. Item 8324-0000 of said section 2 of said chapter 47 is hereby amended by
413 inserting after the word "option" the following words: - ; provided further, that notwithstanding
414 any general or special law to the contrary, 100 per cent of the amount appropriated in this item
415 for the administration of the department of fire services, the state fire marshal's office, the
416 Massachusetts firefighting academy, critical incident stress management programs, the On-Site
417 Academy, other fire training academies, the regional dispatch centers, the radio and dispatch
418 center improvements and the associated fringe benefits costs of personnel paid from this item for
419 these purposes shall be assessed upon insurance companies writing fire, homeowners' multiple
420 peril or commercial multiple peril policies on property situated in the commonwealth and paid
421 within 30 days after receiving notice of the assessment from the commissioner of insurance.

422 SECTION 30. Item 2000-1701 of section 2B of said chapter 47 is hereby amended by
423 striking out the figure “\$1,535,671”, and inserting in place thereof the following figure:-
424 \$3,150,000.

425 SECTION 31. Item 4000-0102 of said section 2B of said chapter 47 is hereby amended
426 by striking out the figure “\$8,878,161”, and inserting in place thereof the following figure:-
427 \$11,914,066

428 SECTION 32. Section 2E of said chapter 47 is hereby amended by striking out item
429 1595-1068 and inserting in place thereof the following item:-

430 1595-1068 For an operating transfer to the MassHealth provider payment account in the
431 Medical Assistance Trust Fund established in section 2QQQ of chapter 29 of the General Laws;
432 provided, that these funds shall be expended for services provided during state or federal fiscal
433 year 2016, 2017 or 2018 or for public hospital transformation and incentive initiative payments
434 for state fiscal year 2017 or 2018 or for Medicaid care organization payments under 42 CFR
435 438.6(c) for rate year 2018; provided further, that all payments from the Medical Assistance
436 Trust Fund shall be: (i) subject to the availability of federal financial participation; (ii) made only
437 under federally-approved payment methods; (iii) consistent with federal funding requirements
438 and all federal payment limits as determined by the secretary of health and human services; and
439 (iv) subject to the terms and conditions of an agreement with the executive office of health and
440 human services; provided further, that the secretary of health and human services shall notify, in
441 writing, the house and senate committees on ways and means and the joint committee on health
442 care financing of increases or decreases in any payments made within the term of the current
443 1115 waiver or other state plan amendments within 15 days; and provided further, that the

444 secretary of health and human services shall utilize funds from the Medical Assistance Trust
445 Fund to make payments of up to \$492,955,903 to the Cambridge public health commission or to
446 Medicaid care organizations for payment to the Cambridge public health commission if the
447 Cambridge public health commission, in anticipation of receiving such payments, first
448 voluntarily transfers an amount equal to the nonfederal share of such payments to the Medical
449 Assistance Trust Fund using a federally-permissible source of funds.....\$747,100,000.

450 SECTION 33. Said section 2E of said chapter 47 is hereby further amended by inserting
451 after item 1595-1069 the following item under the following caption:-

452 EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

453 Department of Career Services

454 1595-1075 For an operating transfer to the Workforce Competitiveness Trust Fund
455 established in section 2WWW of chapter 29 of the General Laws.....\$1,000,000

456 SECTION 34. Section 133 of said chapter 47 is hereby amended by striking out the first
457 sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- The registry of motor vehicles,
458 in cooperation with the department of conservation and recreation, shall offer for purchase an
459 annual MassParks pass and a senior MassParks pass to cover fees for parking for 1 calendar year
460 at state-owned facilities where parking fees are charged to applicants for the issuance or renewal
461 of a motor vehicle registration or license to operate a motor vehicle.

462 SECTION 35. Chapter 63 of the acts of 2017 is hereby amended by striking out section
463 15 and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

464 Section 15. Sections 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 shall take effect on January 1, 2018.

465 SECTION 36. Notwithstanding section 10 of chapter 70B of the General Laws or any
466 other general or special law to the contrary, in determining the grant percentage for the fiscal
467 year 2018 approved school projects, the Massachusetts School Building Authority shall calculate
468 the community poverty factor by examining the proportion of economically disadvantaged
469 students from calendar year 2015 to the present and assigning whichever year's factor is the
470 highest as determined by the department of elementary and secondary education.

471 SECTION 37. Section 36 is hereby repealed.

472 SECTION 38. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, unexpended
473 balances from item 7004-9024 of section 2 of chapter 133 of the acts of 2016 shall revert to the
474 General Fund at the end of fiscal year 2017.

475 SECTION 39. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, before the
476 close of fiscal year 2017 and upon the recommendation of the secretary of administration and
477 finance and the secretary of health and human services or their designees, the comptroller shall
478 adjust any fiscal year 2017 appropriation fund split against or transferred out of the Community
479 First Trust Fund established in section 35AAA of chapter 10 of the General Laws to match final
480 department fiscal year 2017 Community First Trust Fund expenditures.

481 SECTION 40. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the executive
482 office for administration and finance may transfer up to \$15,000,000 from the Commonwealth
483 Care Trust Fund established in section 2000 of chapter 29 of the General Laws to the Health
484 Safety Net Trust Fund established in section 66 of chapter 118E of the General Laws.

485 SECTION 41. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, payments
486 from the Health Safety Net Trust Fund established in section 66 of chapter 118E of the General

487 Laws may be made either as safety net care payments under the commonwealth's waiver
488 pursuant to section 1115 of the federal Social Security Act or as an adjustment to Title XIX
489 service rate payments or a combination of both. Other federally-permissible funding mechanisms
490 available for public service hospitals as defined by the regulations of the executive office of
491 health and human services may be used to reimburse up to \$70,000,000 of uncompensated care
492 pursuant to said sections 66 and section 69 of said chapter 118E using sources distinct from the
493 funding made available to the Health Safety Net Trust Fund.

494 SECTION 42. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, any
495 unexpended balances, not exceeding a total of \$20,000,000, in items 4000-0600, 4000-0700 and
496 4000-1425 of section 2 of chapter 133 of the acts of 2016 shall not revert to the General Fund
497 until September 1, 2017 and may be expended by the executive office of health and human
498 services to pay for services enumerated in said items 4000-0600, 4000-0700 and 4000-1425
499 provided during fiscal year 2017.

500 SECTION 43. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the secretary
501 of health and human services, with the written approval of the secretary of administration and
502 finance, may authorize transfers of surplus among items 4000-0320, 4000-0430, 4000-0500,
503 4000-0600, 4000-0640, 4000-0700, 4000-0875, 4000-0880, 4000-0885, 4000-0940, 4000-0950,
504 4000-0990, 4000-1400, 4000-1420 and 4000-1425 for the purpose of reducing any deficiency in
505 these items but any such transfer shall be made not later than September 30, 2017.

506 SECTION 44. The executive office of public safety and security shall notify individuals
507 licensed under chapter 140 of changes made by sections 12, 13 and 14 of this act and the
508 effective date of those changes. The executive office shall also notify manufacturers of bump

509 stocks and trigger cranks of changes made under sections 12, 13 and 14 and the effective date of
510 those changes.

511 SECTION 45. Sections 12, 13 and 14 shall take effect 90 days after the effective date of
512 this act; provided, however, that it shall be unlawful to purchase, sell or offer for sale a bump
513 stock or trigger crank in violation of chapter 140 of the General Laws after the effective date of
514 this act.

515 SECTION 46. Not later than December 31, 2019, the Massachusetts gaming commission
516 shall file a report with the house and senate committees on ways and means on any gaming
517 service employee job positions that were exempted from the requirements of subsection (o) of
518 section 172 of chapter 6 of the General Laws, as amended by section 3.

519 SECTION 47. Section 37 shall take effect on June 30, 2018.