

ESSB 5187 - H AMD TO H AMD (H-1823.1/23) **551**

By Representative Chambers

1 On page 247, line 27, increase the general fund-state
2 appropriation for fiscal year 2024 by \$146,470,000

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4 On page 247, line 28, increase the general fund-state
5 appropriation for fiscal year 2024 by \$5,000,000

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7 On page 248, line 2, correct the total.

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9 On page 254, after line 2 insert the following:

10 "(21) \$4,500,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for
11 fiscal year 2024 is provided solely for the criminal justice training
12 commission to award one-time law enforcement new-hire funding totaling
13 \$10,000 per new law enforcement officer hired to each local law
14 enforcement agency, subject to the availability of amounts
15 appropriated for this specific purpose. The commission must distribute
16 funding to each local law enforcement agency to be used as sign-on
17 bonuses for each new law enforcement officer who is hired by a local
18 law enforcement agency and has completed the basic law enforcement
19 academy. The commission shall begin distributing funds no later than
20 December 1, 2023.

21 (22) \$112,310,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for
22 fiscal year 2024 is provided solely for the criminal justice training
23 commission to award law enforcement one-time retention funding
24 totaling \$10,000 per retained law enforcement officer to each local
25 law enforcement agency, subject to the availability of amounts
26 appropriated for this specific purpose. The commission must distribute
27 funding to each local law enforcement agency to be used as one-time

1 retention bonuses for each currently employed law enforcement officer
2 provided such officer remains employed with their hiring law
3 enforcement agency for at least one year. The commission shall begin
4 distributing funds no later than December 1, 2023.

5 (23)(a) \$24,660,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for
6 fiscal year 2024 is provided solely to the criminal justice training
7 commission for body camera grants to support the equipment purchase
8 and video storage costs, and the public records requests, associated
9 with law enforcement body camera programs.

10 (b) From amounts provided by the commission, the Washington
11 association of sheriffs and police chiefs must distribute one-time
12 grants to local law enforcement agencies to support the equipment
13 purchase and video storage costs associated with law enforcement body
14 camera programs, and any costs associated with public records requests
15 for body camera footage. Subject to the availability of amounts
16 appropriated for this specific purpose, no more than \$90,000 in law
17 enforcement body camera grant funding may be awarded to a single local
18 law enforcement agency. The association shall select grant recipients
19 and begin distributing funds no later than December 1, 2023.

20 (24) \$5,000,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for fiscal
21 year 2024 and \$5,000,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for
22 fiscal year 2025 are provided solely for the criminal justice training
23 commission to fund the Washington auto theft prevention authority."

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25 On page 348, line 18, increase the general fund-state
26 appropriation for fiscal year 2024 by \$2,000,000

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28 On page 349, line 15, correct the total.

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30 On page 358, after line 27 insert the following:

31 "(47) \$500,000 of the general fund-state appropriation for
32 fiscal year 2024 is provided solely for the department of fish and
33 wildlife to use and distribute \$10,000 per fish and wildlife officer
34 position hired as sign-on bonuses for each new officer who is hired

1 by the department and who has completed the basic law enforcement
2 academy.

3 (48) \$1,500,000 of the general fund–state appropriation for
4 fiscal year 2024 is provided solely for the department of fish and
5 wildlife to award one-time retention bonuses totaling \$10,000 per
6 currently employed fish and wildlife officer provided such officer
7 remains employed with the department for at least one year. The
8 department must enter into collective bargaining agreements as
9 needed to implement this subsection."

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11 On page 376, line 5, increase the general fund-state appropriation
12 for fiscal year 2024 by \$6,820,000

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14 On page 376, line 22, correct the total.

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16 On page 377, after line 28 insert the following:

17 "(8) \$1,080,000 of the general fund–state appropriation for
18 fiscal year 2024 is provided solely for the Washington state patrol
19 to use and distribute \$10,000 per trooper hired as sign-on bonuses
20 for each new state patrol officer who is hired by the Washington
21 state patrol and who has completed the Washington state patrol
22 academy.

23 (9) \$5,740,000 of the general fund–state appropriation for fiscal
24 year 2024 is provided solely for the Washington state patrol to award
25 as one-time retention bonuses totaling \$10,000 per currently employed
26 state patrol trooper provided such officer remains employed with their
27 hiring law enforcement agency for at least one year. The Washington
28 state patrol must enter into collective bargaining agreements as
29 needed to implement this subsection."

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31 On page 543, after line 18, insert the following:

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33 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 763. COMPENSATION–VACCINE BOOSTER INCENTIVE**
34 **–PARTICIPATION ASSUMPTION**

1 General Fund—State Appropriation (FY 2024).(\$19,286,000)

2 The appropriations in this section are subject to the following
3 conditions and limitations: Funding is for reductions in the
4 expected cost of vaccine booster incentives for both represented and
5 nonrepresented employees in general government state agencies. The
6 underlying budget assumes an 80 percent participation rate in the
7 incentive, far higher than the 44 percent rate of the population of
8 Washington. This act assumes participation in the vaccine booster
9 incentive program will be 50 percent. Agency allotments shall be
10 adjusted for general fund-state amounts appropriated in part VII of
11 this act for unused vaccine booster incentive payment, and those
12 amounts placed in unallotted status and remain unexpended."

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14 Renumber the remaining sections consecutively, and correct any
15 references accordingly.

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17 On page 1280, after line 5, insert the following:

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19 "Washington Student Loan Account: For transfer to the state general
20 fund, \$150,000,000 for fiscal year 2023.....\$150,000,000"

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EFFECT: Provides:

- \$125.6 million in one-time funding for new hire law enforcement sign-on bonuses totaling \$10,000 per person and retention bonuses totaling \$10,000 per retained law enforcement officer. This funding provides a total of: (1) \$4.5 million for new hire sign-on bonuses and \$112.3 million for retention bonuses to the Criminal Justice Training Commission for local law enforcement officers; (2) \$500,000 for new hire sign-on bonuses and \$1.5 million for retention bonuses to the Department of Fish and Wildlife; and (3) \$1.1 million for new hire sign-on bonuses and \$5.7 million for retention bonuses to the Washington State Patrol for state troopers.

- \$24.7 million in one-time funding to the Criminal Justice Training Commission (Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs) to distribute one-time grants to local law

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enforcement agencies to support the equipment and video storage costs associated with public records request for body-camera footage. No more than \$90,000 may be awarded to a single law enforcement agency.

- \$10 million in one-time funding to the Criminal Justice Training Commission (Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs) for the Washington Auto Theft Prevention Authority.

Reduces appropriations for vaccination booster incentive payments under the assumption that participation in the incentive program will be 50 percent, rather than 80 percent in the compensation provisions that are funded in the bill.

Transfers all funding in the Washington Student Loan Account into the General Fund in fiscal year 2023.

FISCAL IMPACT:

(Public Safety) Increases General Fund - State by \$160,290,000.

(Vaccine Booster) Reduces General Fund - State by \$19,286,000.

(Repeal Student Loan) Reduces WA Student Loan Account - State by \$150,000,000. Increases General Fund - State resources by \$150,000,000.

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