

**SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 4403**

A bill to make appropriations for the judiciary for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

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PART 1

LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the judiciary for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022, from the following funds:

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**JUDICIARY**

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**APPROPRIATION SUMMARY**

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Full-time equated exempted positions	539.0
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<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$ 470,584,300</b>
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Interdepartmental grant revenues:



1	Total interdepartmental grants and		
2	intradepartmental transfers		1,652,300
3	<b>ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>468,932,000</b>
4	Federal revenues:		
5	Total federal revenues		6,374,800
6	Special revenue funds:		
7	Total local revenues		7,619,800
8	Total private revenues		1,222,600
9	Total other state restricted revenues		93,075,100
10	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>360,639,700</b>
11	<b>Sec. 102. SUPREME COURT</b>		
12	Full-time equated exempted positions	250.0	
13	Community dispute resolution--FTEs	3.0	\$ 3,367,700
14	Direct trial court automation support--FTEs	44.0	7,619,800
15	Drug treatment courts		12,483,000
16	Foster care review board--FTEs	10.0	1,360,400
17	Judicial information systems--FTEs	24.0	5,626,700
18	Judicial institute--FTEs	13.0	2,115,400
19	Mental health courts and diversion services--		
20	FTE	1.0	5,571,800
21	Next generation Michigan court system		4,116,000
22	Other federal grants		275,100
23	State court administrative office--FTEs	63.0	11,331,000
24	Supreme court administration--FTEs	92.0	14,164,500
25	Swift and sure sanctions program		100
26	Veterans courts		1,036,400
27	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>69,067,900</b>
28	Appropriated from:		



1	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
2	IDG from department of corrections	52,300
3	IDG from department of state police	1,500,000
4	IDG from department of state police, Michigan	
5	justice training fund	100,000
6	Federal revenues:	
7	DOJ, drug court training and evaluation	300,000
8	DOT, National Highway Traffic Safety	
9	Administration	1,949,300
10	HHS, access and visitation grant	496,200
11	HHS, children's justice grant	246,000
12	HHS, court improvement project	942,700
13	HHS, state opioid response grant	350,000
14	HHS, title IV-D child support program	836,500
15	HHS, title IV-E foster care program	408,800
16	Other federal grant revenues	275,100
17	Special revenue funds:	
18	Local - user fees	7,619,800
19	Private	201,100
20	Private - interest on lawyers trust accounts	404,100
21	Private - state justice institute	529,000
22	Community dispute resolution fund	2,403,600
23	Drug court fund	1,920,500
24	Justice system fund	605,700
25	Law exam fees	758,700
26	Miscellaneous revenue	161,000
27	State court fund	404,100
28	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>	<b>\$ 46,603,400</b>



1	<b>Sec. 103. COURT OF APPEALS</b>		
2	Full-time equated exempted positions	175.0	
3	Court of appeals operations--FTEs	175.0	\$ 25,094,100
4	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>		<b>\$ 25,094,100</b>
5	Appropriated from:		
6	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>		<b>\$ 25,094,100</b>
7	<b>Sec. 104. BRANCHWIDE APPROPRIATIONS</b>		
8	Full-time equated exempted positions	4.0	
9	Branchwide appropriations--FTEs	4.0	\$ 9,010,100
10	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>		<b>\$ 9,010,100</b>
11	Appropriated from:		
12	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>		<b>\$ 9,010,100</b>
13	<b>Sec. 105. JUSTICES' AND JUDGES' COMPENSATION</b>		
14	Judges positions--586.0 justices and judges		
15	Supreme court justices' salaries--7.0 justices		\$ 1,270,500
16	Circuit court judges' state base salaries--		
17	217.0 judges		24,779,800
18	Circuit court judicial salary standardization		9,922,100
19	Court of appeals judges' salaries--25.0 judges		4,327,300
20	District court judges' state base salaries--		
21	234.0 judges		26,279,000
22	District court judicial salary standardization		10,699,500
23	Probate court judges' state base salaries--		
24	103.0 judges		11,667,700
25	Probate court judicial salary standardization		4,669,600
26	Judges' retirement system defined contributions		5,733,600
27	OASI, Social Security		6,683,000
28	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>		<b>\$ 106,032,100</b>



1	Appropriated from:		
2	Special revenue funds:		
3	Court fee fund		1,970,800
4	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>104,061,300</b>
5	<b>Sec. 106. JUDICIAL AGENCIES</b>		
6	Full-time equated exempted positions	8.0	
7	Judicial tenure commission--FTEs	8.0	\$ 1,583,800
8	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,583,800</b>
9	Appropriated from:		
10	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,583,800</b>
11	<b>Sec. 107. INDIGENT DEFENSE - CRIMINAL</b>		
12	Full-time equated exempted positions	56.0	
13	Appellate public defender program--FTEs	56.0	\$ 8,982,800
14	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>8,982,800</b>
15	Appropriated from:		
16	Federal revenues:		
17	Other federal grant revenues		570,200
18	Special revenue funds:		
19	Private - interest on lawyers trust accounts		88,400
20	Miscellaneous revenue		172,400
21	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>8,151,800</b>
22	<b>Sec. 108. INDIGENT CIVIL LEGAL ASSISTANCE</b>		
23	Indigent civil legal assistance	\$	7,937,000
24	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>7,937,000</b>
25	Appropriated from:		
26	Special revenue funds:		
27	State court fund		7,937,000
28	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>0</b>



1	<b>Sec. 109. MICHIGAN INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION</b>		
2	Full-time equated exempted positions	16.0	
3	Michigan indigent defense commission--FTEs	16.0	\$ 2,699,400
4	Michigan indigent defense commission grants		146,917,400
5	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>		<b>\$ 149,616,800</b>
6	Appropriated from:		
7	Special revenue funds:		
8	Local indigent defense reimbursement		300,000
9	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>		<b>\$ 149,316,800</b>
10	<b>Sec. 110. TRIAL COURT OPERATIONS</b>		
11	Full-time equated exempted positions	21.0	
12	Court equity fund reimbursements		\$ 60,815,700
13	Drug case-flow program		250,000
14	Drunk driving case-flow program		3,300,000
15	Judicial technology improvement fund		4,815,000
16	Juror compensation reimbursement--FTE	1.0	6,608,000
17	Statewide e-file system--FTEs	20.0	11,028,300
18	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>		<b>\$ 86,817,000</b>
19	Appropriated from:		
20	Special revenue funds:		
21	Court equity fund		50,440,000
22	Drug fund		250,000
23	Drunk driving fund		3,300,000
24	Electronic filing fee fund		11,028,300
25	Judicial technology improvement fund		4,815,000
26	Juror compensation fund		6,608,000
27	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>		<b>\$ 10,375,700</b>
28	<b>Sec. 111. ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS</b>		



1	Full-time equated exempted positions	9.0	
2	Compliance with <i>Montgomery v Louisiana</i> --FTEs	7.0	\$ 939,100
3	Judicial tenure commission		204,000
4	Justice data collection and reporting system		4,501,600
5	Justice for all initiative--FTEs	2.0	798,000
6	<b>GROSS APPROPRIATION</b>		<b>\$ 6,442,700</b>
7	Appropriated from:		
8	<b>State general fund/general purpose</b>		<b>\$ 6,442,700</b>

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## PART 2

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## PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

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FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022

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**GENERAL SECTIONS**

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Sec. 201. In accordance with section 30 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, total state spending from state sources under part 1 for fiscal year 2021-2022 is \$453,714,800.00. State spending from state sources to be paid to local units of government under part 1 is \$291,623,800.00. The itemized statement below identifies appropriations from which spending to local units of government will occur:

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**JUDICIARY**

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**SUPREME COURT**

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Drug treatment courts	\$ 8,838,000
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Mental health courts and diversion services	5,571,800
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Next generation Michigan court system	4,116,000
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Swift and sure sanctions program	100
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Veterans courts	1,036,400
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1	<b>COURT OF APPEALS</b>		
2	Court of appeals operations	\$	200,000
3	<b>JUSTICES' AND JUDGES' COMPENSATION</b>		
4	Circuit court judicial salary standardization	\$	9,922,100
5	District court judicial salary standardization		10,699,500
6	Probate court judges' state base salaries		11,667,700
7	Probate court judicial salary standardization		4,669,600
8	OASI, Social Security		1,168,200
9	<b>TRIAL COURT OPERATIONS</b>		
10	Court equity fund reimbursements	\$	60,815,700
11	Drug case-flow program		250,000
12	Drunk driving case-flow program		3,300,000
13	Judicial technology improvement fund		4,815,000
14	Juror compensation reimbursement		6,608,000
15	Statewide e-file system		11,028,300
16	<b>MICHIGAN INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION</b>		
17	Michigan indigent defense commission grants	\$	146,917,400
18	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>291,623,800</b>

19       Sec. 202. (1) The appropriations authorized under this part  
20 and part 1 are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA  
21 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.

22       (2) Funds appropriated in part 1 to an entity within the  
23 judicial branch shall not be expended or transferred to another  
24 account without written approval of the authorized agent of the  
25 judicial entity. If the authorized agent of the judicial entity  
26 notifies the state budget director of its approval of an  
27 expenditure or transfer, the state budget director shall  
28 immediately make the expenditure or transfer. The authorized  
29 judicial entity agent shall be designated by the chief justice of





1 the supreme court.

2 Sec. 203. As used in this part and part 1:

3 (a) "DOJ" means the United States Department of Justice.

4 (b) "DOT" means the United States Department of  
5 Transportation.

6 (c) "FTE" means full-time equated.

7 (d) "HHS" means the United States Department of Health and  
8 Human Services.

9 (e) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.

10 (f) "OASI" means old age survivor's insurance.

11 (g) "SADO" means the state appellate defender office created  
12 under the appellate defender act, 1978 PA 620, MCL 780.711 to  
13 780.719.

14 (h) "Title IV-D" means the part of the federal social security  
15 act, 42 USC 301 to 1397mm, pertaining to the child support  
16 enforcement program.

17 (i) "Title IV-E" means the part of the federal social security  
18 act, 42 USC 301 to 1397mm, pertaining to the foster care program.

19 Sec. 204. The reporting requirements of this part shall be  
20 completed with the approval of, and at the direction of, the  
21 supreme court, except as otherwise provided in this part. The  
22 judicial branch shall use the internet to fulfill the reporting  
23 requirements of this part. This requirement shall include  
24 transmission of reports via electronic mail to the recipients  
25 identified for each reporting requirement and it shall include  
26 placement of reports on an internet site.

27 Sec. 205. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for  
28 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if  
29 competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or



1 services, or both, are available. Preference shall be given to  
2 goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan  
3 businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable  
4 quality. In addition, preference shall be given to goods or  
5 services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan  
6 businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are  
7 competitively priced and of comparable quality.

8 Sec. 207. Not later than January 1 of each year, the state  
9 court administrative office shall prepare a report on out-of-state  
10 travel listing all travel by judicial branch employees outside this  
11 state in the immediately preceding fiscal year that was funded in  
12 whole or in part with funds appropriated in the budget for the  
13 judicial branch. The report shall be submitted to the senate and  
14 house appropriations committees, the senate and house fiscal  
15 agencies, and the state budget office. The report shall include the  
16 following information:

17 (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.

18 (b) The transportation and related costs of each travel  
19 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general  
20 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state  
21 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,  
22 and the proportion funded with other revenues.

23 Sec. 209. Not later than November 30, the state budget office  
24 shall prepare and transmit a report that provides for estimates of  
25 the total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the  
26 close of the prior fiscal year. This report shall summarize the  
27 projected year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation  
28 lapses by major program or program areas. The report shall be  
29 transmitted to the chairpersons of the senate and house



1 appropriations committees and the senate and house fiscal agencies.

2 Sec. 211. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the judicial  
3 branch shall maintain a searchable website accessible by the public  
4 at no cost that includes all expenditures made by the judicial  
5 branch within a fiscal year. The posting shall include the purpose  
6 for which each expenditure is made. The judicial branch shall not  
7 provide financial information on its website under this section if  
8 doing so would violate a federal or state law, rule, regulation, or  
9 guideline that establishes privacy or security standards applicable  
10 to that financial information.

11 Sec. 212. Within 14 days after the release of the executive  
12 budget recommendation, the judicial branch shall cooperate with the  
13 state budget office to provide the senate and house appropriations  
14 committee chairs, the senate and house appropriations subcommittee  
15 chairs, and the senate and house fiscal agencies with an annual  
16 report on estimated state restricted fund balances, state  
17 restricted fund projected revenues, and state restricted fund  
18 expenditures for the prior 2 fiscal years.

19 Sec. 213. The judiciary shall maintain, on a publicly  
20 accessible website, a scorecard that identifies, tracks, and  
21 regularly updates key metrics that are used to monitor and improve  
22 the judiciary's performance.

23 Sec. 214. Total authorized appropriations from all sources  
24 under part 1 for legacy costs for the fiscal year ending September  
25 30, 2022 are estimated at \$14,001,700.00. From this amount, total  
26 judiciary appropriations for pension-related legacy costs are  
27 estimated at \$7,844,500.00. Total judiciary appropriations for  
28 retiree health care legacy costs are estimated at \$6,157,200.00.

29 Sec. 215. The judicial branch shall not take disciplinary



1 action against an employee for communicating with a member of the  
2 legislature or his or her staff, unless the communication is  
3 prohibited by law and the judicial branch is exercising its  
4 authority as provided by law.

5 Sec. 219. The judicial branch shall receive and retain copies  
6 of all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. Federal and  
7 state guidelines for short-term and long-term retention of records  
8 shall be followed. The judicial branch may electronically retain  
9 copies of reports unless otherwise required by federal and state  
10 guidelines.

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12 **JUDICIAL BRANCH**

13 Sec. 301. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the direct  
14 trial court automation support program of the state court  
15 administrative office shall recover direct and overhead costs from  
16 trial courts by charging for services rendered. The fee shall cover  
17 the actual costs incurred to the direct trial court automation  
18 support program in providing the service, including development of  
19 future versions of case management systems.

20 Sec. 302. Funds appropriated within the judicial branch shall  
21 not be expended by any component within the judicial branch without  
22 the approval of the supreme court.

23 Sec. 303. Of the amount appropriated in part 1 for the  
24 judicial branch, \$711,900.00 is allocated for circuit court  
25 reimbursement under section 3 of 1978 PA 16, MCL 800.453, and for  
26 costs associated with the court of claims.

27 Sec. 304. A member of the legislature may request a report or  
28 data from the data collected in the judicial data warehouse. The  
29 report shall be made available to the public upon request, unless



1 disclosure is prohibited by court order or state or federal law.  
2 Any data provided under this section shall be public and non-  
3 identifying information.

4 Sec. 305. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for community  
5 dispute resolution, community dispute resolution centers shall  
6 provide dispute resolution services specified in the community  
7 dispute resolution act, 1988 PA 260, MCL 691.1551 to 691.1564, and  
8 shall help to reduce suspensions and truancy, and improve school  
9 climate. Funding appropriated in part 1 for community dispute  
10 resolution may be used to develop or expand juvenile diversion  
11 services in cooperation with local prosecutors. Participation in  
12 the dispute resolution processes is voluntary for all parties.

13 Sec. 307. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for mental  
14 health courts and diversion services, \$1,730,000.00 is intended to  
15 address the recommendations of the mental health diversion council.

16 Sec. 308. If sufficient funds are not available from the court  
17 fee fund to pay judges' compensation, the difference between the  
18 appropriated amount from that fund for judges' compensation and the  
19 actual amount available after the amount appropriated for trial  
20 court reimbursement is made shall be appropriated from the state  
21 general fund for judges' compensation. If an appropriation is made  
22 under this section, the state court administrative office shall  
23 notify, within 14 days of the appropriation, the senate and house  
24 standing committees on appropriations, the senate and house  
25 appropriations subcommittees on judiciary, the senate and house  
26 fiscal agencies, and the state budget office.

27 Sec. 309. By April 1, the state court administrative office  
28 shall provide a report on drug treatment, mental health, and  
29 veterans court programs in this state. The report shall include



1 information on the number of each type of program that has been  
2 established, the number of program participants in each  
3 jurisdiction, the impact of the programs on offender criminal  
4 involvement and recidivism, and an accounting of prior year  
5 expenditures, including grant amounts requested by the courts,  
6 grant amounts awarded to the courts, and grant amounts expended by  
7 the courts. The report shall be submitted to the senate and house  
8 appropriations subcommittees on judiciary, the senate and house  
9 fiscal agencies, and the state budget office.

10 Sec. 310. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for  
11 problem solving courts, \$100,000.00 shall be used by the state  
12 court administrative office for a program in a veterans treatment  
13 court or a mental health treatment court, or both, that  
14 investigates the effectiveness of oral fluid testing to determine  
15 compliance with required mental health medicine prescriptions or  
16 requirements.

17 (2) By April 1, the state court administrative office shall  
18 provide a report on the oral fluid testing programs established in  
19 this state. The report shall include information on the number of  
20 programs established, the number of program participants in each  
21 jurisdiction, and the impact of the programs on offender criminal  
22 involvement and recidivism. The report shall be submitted to the  
23 senate and house appropriations subcommittees on judiciary, the  
24 senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state budget office.

25 Sec. 311. (1) The funds appropriated in part 1 for drug  
26 treatment courts as that term is defined in section 1060 of the  
27 revised judicature act of 1961, 1961 PA 236, MCL 600.1060, shall be  
28 administered by the state court administrative office to operate  
29 drug treatment court programs. A drug treatment court shall be



1 responsible for handling cases involving substance abusing  
2 nonviolent offenders through comprehensive supervision, testing,  
3 treatment services, and immediate sanctions and incentives. A drug  
4 treatment court shall use all available county and state personnel  
5 involved in the disposition of cases including, but not limited to,  
6 parole and probation agents, prosecuting attorneys, defense  
7 attorneys, and community corrections providers. The funds may be  
8 used in connection with other federal, state, and local funding  
9 sources.

10 (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the chief justice  
11 shall allocate sufficient funds for the Michigan judicial institute  
12 to provide in-state training for those identified in subsection  
13 (1), including training for new drug treatment court judges.

14 (3) For drug treatment court grants, consideration for  
15 priority may be given to those courts where higher instances of  
16 substance abuse cases are filed.

17 (4) The judiciary shall receive \$1,500,000.00 in Byrne formula  
18 grant funding as an interdepartmental grant from the department of  
19 state police to be used for expansion of drug treatment courts, to  
20 assist in avoiding prison bed space growth for nonviolent offenders  
21 in collaboration with the department of corrections.

22 Sec. 312. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the state  
23 court administrator shall produce a statistical report regarding  
24 the implementation of the parental rights restoration act, 1990 PA  
25 211, MCL 722.901 to 722.908, as it pertains to minors seeking  
26 court-issued waivers of parental consent. The state court  
27 administrative office shall report the total number of petitions  
28 filed and the total number of petitions granted under that act.

29 Sec. 317. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for



1 the permanent assignment of state-owned vehicles to justices or  
2 judges or any other judicial branch employee. This section does not  
3 preclude the use of state-owned motor pool vehicles for state  
4 business in accordance with approved guidelines.

5 Sec. 321. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the judicial  
6 branch shall support a statewide legal self-help internet website  
7 and local nonprofit self-help centers that use the statewide  
8 website to provide assistance to individuals representing  
9 themselves in civil legal proceedings. The state court  
10 administrative office shall summarize the costs of maintaining the  
11 website, provide statistics on the number of people visiting the  
12 website, and provide information on content usage, form completion,  
13 and user feedback. By March 1, the state court administrative  
14 office shall report this information for the preceding fiscal year  
15 to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on judiciary,  
16 the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state budget office.

17 Sec. 322. If Byrne formula grant funding is awarded to the  
18 state appellate defender in excess of the amount appropriated in  
19 part 1, the state appellate defender office may receive and expend  
20 Byrne formula grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 as  
21 an interdepartmental grant from the department of state police. If  
22 the appellate defender appointed under section 3 of the appellate  
23 defender act, 1978 PA 620, MCL 780.713, receives federal grant  
24 funding from the United States Department of Justice in excess of  
25 the amount appropriated in part 1, the office of appellate defender  
26 may receive and expend grant funds in an amount not to exceed  
27 \$300,000.00 as other federal grants.

28 Sec. 324. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for the  
29 medication-assisted treatment program, the judiciary shall maintain





1 a medication-assisted treatment program to provide treatment for  
 2 opioid-addicted and alcohol-addicted individuals who are referred  
 3 to and voluntarily participate in the medication-assisted treatment  
 4 program.

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6 **MICHIGAN INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION**

7 Sec. 351. The Michigan indigent defense commission shall not  
 8 award a grant under this act to an indigent defense system for the  
 9 construction of a new infrastructure project.

10 Sec. 352. An indigent defense system shall not expend money  
 11 from a grant awarded under this act for the construction of a new  
 12 infrastructure project.

13 Sec. 353. If Byrne formula grant funding is awarded to the  
 14 Michigan indigent defense commission, the Michigan indigent defense  
 15 commission may receive and expend Byrne formula grant funds in an  
 16 amount not to exceed \$250,000.00 as an interdepartmental grant from  
 17 the department of state police. The Michigan indigent defense  
 18 commission, created under section 5 of the Michigan indigent  
 19 defense commission act, 2013 PA 93, MCL 780.985, may receive and  
 20 expend federal grant funding from the United States Department of  
 21 Justice in an amount not to exceed \$300,000.00 as other federal  
 22 grants.

23 Sec. 354. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the Michigan  
 24 indigent defense commission shall submit a report by September 30  
 25 to the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on judiciary,  
 26 the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state budget office  
 27 on the incremental costs associated with the standard development  
 28 process, the compliance plan process, and the collection of data  
 29 from all indigent defense systems and attorneys providing indigent



1 defense. Particular emphasis shall be placed on those costs that  
2 may be avoided after standards are developed and compliance plans  
3 are in place.

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5 **ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS**

6 Sec. 402. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the state  
7 appellate defender office attorneys and support staff shall ensure  
8 Michigan compliance with *Montgomery v Louisiana*, 577 US \_\_\_\_\_  
9 (2016). The purpose of the program is to ensure competent,  
10 resourced, and supervised counsel in cases involving the  
11 resentencing of juvenile lifers. The representation by SADO counsel  
12 will create opportunities for release, saving prison costs for the  
13 state.

14 (2) The state appellate defender office shall submit a report  
15 by September 30 to the senate and house appropriations  
16 subcommittees on judiciary, the senate and house fiscal agencies,  
17 and the state budget office on the number of juvenile lifer cases  
18 investigated and prepared by the state appellate defender office.  
19 The report shall include a calculation of hours spent and focus on  
20 incremental costs associated with investigating and conducting a  
21 robust examination of each case, with particular emphasis on those  
22 costs that may be avoided after the cases have been disposed.

23 Sec. 403. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for a  
24 justice data collection and reporting system, the state court  
25 administrative office shall enter into a contract with a vendor to  
26 establish a justice data collection and reporting system.

27 (2) The justice data collection and reporting system  
28 established under subsection (1) must do all of the following:

29 (a) Provide uniform collection, record, and reporting of data



1 for all of the following:

2 (i) A criminal case from arrest through disposition and  
3 completion of a sentence, as applicable, including, but not limited  
4 to, a sentence of probation.

5 (ii) A juvenile justice system case, including, but not limited  
6 to, a disposition involving probation.

7 (iii) A case involving neglect or abuse of a child.

8 (iv) A civil case.

9 (b) Integrate with financial and other systems utilized by  
10 departments and agencies of this state and units of local  
11 government, including, but not limited to, the department of state  
12 police and other law enforcement agencies, prosecuting attorneys,  
13 and courts.

14 (c) Provide storage of the following information and data that  
15 may be accessed by approved users in real time, including, but not  
16 limited to, prosecutors, judges, law enforcement officers, and jail  
17 administrators:

18 (i) Data entered for the following events:

19 (A) Arrest and jail booking.

20 (B) Authorizations for a criminal charge or filing of a  
21 petition, as applicable.

22 (C) Sentencing.

23 (D) Probable cause findings following a preliminary  
24 examination, transfer, removal, and remand.

25 (ii) The name and address of each individual entered into a  
26 system that is capable of aggregating data for statistical  
27 purposes.

28 (iii) Restitution owed and remaining as to each defendant or  
29 juvenile.



1 (iv) Case entries for juvenile justice system cases, including  
2 cases placed on the consent calendar.

3 (d) Perform alias and phonetic name searches.

4 (e) Provide real-time updates of record changes to approved  
5 users, including, but not limited to, prosecutors, judges, law  
6 enforcement officers, and jail administrators.

7 (3) By September 30, the state court administrative office  
8 shall submit a report on the following to the senate and house  
9 committees on appropriations, the senate and house subcommittees on  
10 judiciary, the senate and house subcommittees on corrections, and  
11 the senate and house fiscal agencies:

12 (a) An analysis of individuals who have multiple data entries  
13 under subsection (2), including, but not limited to, demographic  
14 information; restitution owed; restitution aging; fees, fines, and  
15 court costs owed; and fees, fines, and court costs aging.

16 (b) The extent the justice data collection and reporting  
17 system has improved overall system performance by decreasing the  
18 duplication of data.

19 (c) How the justice data collection and reporting system is  
20 tracking individuals who have entries from a juvenile justice  
21 system case or a case that involved abuse or neglect of the  
22 individual as a child, and who are subsequently involved in a  
23 criminal case.

24 (4) Any unexpended funds for the justice data collection and  
25 reporting system are designated as a work project appropriation.  
26 Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of  
27 the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for  
28 projects under this section until the projects have been completed.  
29 The following is in compliance with section 451a(1) of the



1 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:

2 (a) The purpose of the project is to establish a justice data  
3 collection and reporting system.

4 (b) The project will be accomplished by the judicial branch  
5 and by contracts.

6 (c) The estimated cost of this project is \$4,501,600.00.

7 (d) The tentative completion date for this work project is  
8 September 30, 2026.

