

County. If it is absolutely necessary that such funds be appropriated to a state agency for administration purposes, the funds should probably be appropriated to the local government division of the Department of Finance and Administration, which is better equipped to deal with counties on such matters.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$95.0 contained in this bill is a recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2003 shall revert to the general fund.

DUPLICATES/RELATIONSHIP

Relates to the general appropriations act.

Relates to HB 343, HB 354, HB 337

Duplicates HB407

OTHER SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES

House Appropriations and Finance Committee Substitute for House bills 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 (the general appropriations act) includes \$1,000.0 for this purpose with the following language:

“No more than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) of the general fund appropriation to the community offender management program of the corrections department shall be used for detention costs for parole violators.”

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