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House Bill 79 & 80—133rd General Assembly

Budget Bills for the
Bureau of Workers' Compensation and
Ohio Industrial Commission
(FY 2020-FY 2021)

As Introduced

February 22, 2019

Executive

OICCD1 Rent - William Green Building

Section: 1

Requires that appropriation item 845402, Rent - William Green Building, be used for rent and operating expenses for the space occupied by the Industrial Commission in the William Green Building.

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BWCCD1 Workers' Compensation Fraud Unit**Section: 1**

Earmarks \$828,200 in each fiscal year from appropriation item 855410, Attorney General Payments, for the expenses of the Workers' Compensation Fraud Unit within the Attorney General's Office. Specifies that these payments must be processed at the beginning of each quarter of each fiscal year and deposited into the Workers' Compensation Section Fund (Fund 1950).

BWCCD2 Safety and Hygiene**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$24.08 million cash in FY 2020 and \$23.74 million cash in FY 2021 from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260) to cover the Division of Safety and Hygiene's operating expenses.

BWCCD3 Safety Grants**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$20.0 million cash each in FY 2020 and in FY 2021 from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260) to be used for Safety Grants.

BWCCD4 Health and Safety Initiative**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$6.0 million cash in each fiscal year of the biennium from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260). Specifies that these amounts must be used under appropriation item 855611, Health and Safety Initiative, for the purpose of creating and operating a health and wellness program.

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BWCCD5 Safety Campaign**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$1.5 million cash in each fiscal year of the biennium from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260). Specifies that these amounts must be used under appropriation item 855612, Safety Campaign, for the purpose of creating and operating a statewide safety awareness and education campaign.

BWCCD6 Federal Grant Programs**Section: 1**

Specifies that appropriation item 855609, Safety and Hygiene Operating, may be used to provide the state match for federal grant funding received by the Division of Safety and Hygiene.

BWCCD7 Vocational Rehabilitation**Section: 1**

Allows the Bureau of Workers' Compensation and the Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities Agency to enter into an interagency agreement for the provision of vocational rehabilitation services and staff to mutually eligible clients. Allows the Bureau to provide funds from the State Insurance Fund to fund vocational rehabilitation services and staff in accordance with the interagency agreement.

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BWCCD8 Research Grants**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$2.0 million cash in FY 2020 and \$2.0 million cash in FY 2021 from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260). Specifies that these amounts must be used under appropriation item 855613, Research Grants, for the purpose of creating and operating the occupational safety and health research program.

BWCCD9 Substance Use Recovery and Workplace Safety Program**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$5.0 million cash in FY 2020 and \$10.0 million cash in FY 2021 from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260). Specifies that these amounts must be used under appropriation item 855618, Substance Use Recovery and Workplace Safety Program, for the purpose of creating and operating the opioid workplace safety program.

BWCCD10 Safety and Health Center of Excellence**Section: 1**

Requires the Treasurer of State to remit \$2.0 million cash in FY 2020 from the State Insurance Fund to the state treasury to the credit of the Safety and Hygiene Fund (Fund 8260). Specifies that these amounts must be used under appropriation item 855619, Safety and Health Center of Excellence, for the purpose of creating a center of excellence at the Ohio Center of Occupational Safety and Health.

Executive

BWCCD11 Deputy Inspector General for BWC and OIC Funding**Section: 2**

Requires the Director of Budget and Management (OBM), on July 1, 2019 and January 1, 2020, or as soon as possible thereafter, to transfer \$212,500 cash from the Workers' Compensation Fund (Fund 7023) to the Deputy Inspector General for the Bureau of Workers' Compensation and Industrial Commission Fund (Fund 5FT0) to pay for the FY 2020 costs related to the Deputy Inspector General for the Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC) and Industrial Commission (OIC). Requires the Director of OBM, on July 1, 2020 and January 1, 2021, or as soon as possible thereafter, to transfer the same amounts from Fund 7023 to Fund 5FT0, to pay for the corresponding costs in FY 2021. Specifies that if additional amounts are needed, the Inspector General may seek Controlling Board approval for additional transfers of cash and to increase the amount appropriated in appropriation item 965604, Deputy Inspector General for the BWC and OIC.
