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MEMORANDUM

To: Senate Committee on Ways and Means

From: Office of Revisor of Statutes

Date: March 19, 2024

Subject: HB 2491 -Abolishing the law enforcement training center fund; all liabilities of such fund are transferred to and imposed on the state general fund; moneys previously credited to such fund shall be credited to the state general fund.

House Bill No. 2491 abolishes the law enforcement training center fund.

Currently, the law enforcement training center fund receives: \$1.25 surcharge on each vehicle registration; \$11.50 on each case filed in municipal court (other than a nonmoving traffic violation) where there is a finding of guilty or a plea of guilty, a plea of no contest, forfeiture of bond or a diversion; and \$15 for each district court docket fee in a criminal proceeding. Further, the law enforcement training center has the power to assess the costs of any investigation, hearing or other matter pending before the commission, and such assessments collected shall be credited to the law enforcement training center fund.

Under the bill, all such receipts and assessments shall be deposited in the state treasury and credited to the state general fund. On July 1, 2024, all moneys in and liabilities of the law enforcement training center fund shall be transferred to the state general fund and the law enforcement training center fund is abolished on that date.

The House made no amendments to HB 2491 and passed the bill by a vote of 122-0 on March 14, 2024.