

P.L. 2023, CHAPTER 66, *approved June 30, 2023*
Senate, No. 3978

1 **AN ACT TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT** the annual appropriations act
2 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, P.L.2022, c.49.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and the General Assembly of the
5 State of New Jersey:

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7 1. In addition to the amounts appropriated under P.L.2022, c.49,
8 the annual appropriations act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023,
9 there are appropriated from the General Fund the following amounts
10 for the purposes specified:

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12 **26 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**

13 *10 Public Safety and Criminal Justice*

14 *16 Detention and Rehabilitation*

15
16 **DIRECT STATE SERVICES**

17 08-7040 Institutional Care and Treatment \$9,100,000

18 99-7040 Administration and Support Services..... 7,700,000

19 Total Direct State Services Appropriation,

20 Detention and Rehabilitation \$16,800,000

21 ***Direct State Services:***

22 Materials and Supplies(\$16,800,000)

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24 **42 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
25 PROTECTION**

26 *40 Community Development and Environmental Management*

27 *43 Science and Technical Programs*

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29 **DIRECT STATE SERVICES**

30 29-4850 Environmental Management and Preservation –

31 Constitutional Dedication..... \$3,771,000

32 Total Direct State Services Appropriation,

33 Science and Technical Programs \$3,771,000

34 ***Direct State Services:***

35 29 Water Resources Monitoring and Planning

36 – Constitutional Dedication.....(\$3,771,000)

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38 **GRANTS-IN-AID**

39 07-4850 Water Monitoring and Resource Management \$382,000

40 Total Grants-in-Aid Appropriation,

41 Science and Technical Programs \$382,000

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

1 **Grants-in-Aid:**
2 07 Lake Hopatcong Commission (\$382,000)
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4 **44 Site Remediation and Waste Management**
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6 **CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION**
7 29-4815 Environmental Management and Preservation –
8 Constitutional Dedication..... \$12,821,000
9 Total Capital Construction Appropriation,
10 Site Remediation and Waste Management .. \$12,821,000
11 **Capital Projects:**
12 29 Hazardous Substance Discharge
13 Remediation – Constitutional
14 Dedication (\$3,771,000)
15 29 Private Underground Storage Tank
16 Remediation – Constitutional
17 Dedication (3,771,000)
18 29 Hazardous Substance Discharge
19 Remediation Loans & Grants –
20 Constitutional Dedication..... (5,279,000)
21
22 **54 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**
23 **50 Economic Planning, Development, and Security**
24 **53 Economic Assistance and Security**
25 **7550 Division of Family Development**
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27 **STATE AID**
28 15-7550 Income Maintenance Management \$1,310,000
29 Total State Aid Appropriation,
30 Division of Family Development \$1,310,000
31 **State Aid:**
32 15 State Supplemental Security Income
33 Administrative Fee.....(\$1,310,000)
34
35 **82 DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY**
36 **50 Economic Planning and Development, and Security**
37 **51 Economic Planning and Development**
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39 **GRANTS-IN-AID**
40 38-2043 Economic Development \$40,000,000
41 Total Grants-in-Aid Appropriation,
42 Economic Planning and Development \$40,000,000
43 **Grants-in-Aid:**
44 38 Green Fund.....(\$40,000,000)
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46 2. The following language provision is added to section 1 of
47 P.L.2022, c.49, the annual appropriations act for the fiscal year
48 ending June 30, 2023:

1 **82 DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY**
 2 *50 Economic Planning and Development, and Security*
 3 *51 Economic Planning and Development*

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5 **GRANTS-IN-AID**

6 Notwithstanding any other law or regulation to the contrary, the
7 amount hereinabove appropriated for the Child Care Employer
8 Innovation Pilot Program shall be paid to the New Jersey Economic
9 Development Authority for deposit into the Child Care Facilities
10 Fund.

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12 Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection a. of section 9 of
13 P.L.2022, c.25, or any other law or regulation, to the contrary, the
14 amount appropriated to effectuate the provisions of section 3 of
15 P.L.2022, c.25 (C.30:5B-38) shall be paid to the New Jersey
16 Economic Development Authority for deposit into the Child Care
17 Facilities Fund.

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19 3. In addition to the amounts appropriated under P.L.2022, c.49,
20 the annual appropriations act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023,
21 there are appropriated from the Property Tax Relief Fund the
22 following amounts for the purposes specified:

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 24 **34 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**
 25 *30 Educational, Cultural, and Intellectual Development*
 26 *31 Direct Educational Services and Assistance*

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28 **STATE AID**

29	03-5120	Miscellaneous Grants-In-Aid	\$83,222,000
30		Total State Aid Appropriation,	
31		Direct Educational Services and Assistance	<u>\$83,222,000</u>
32		(From Property Tax Relief Fund .	\$83,222,000)

33 **State Aid:**
34 03 American Rescue Plan Maintenance of
35 Equity Aid (PTRF).....(\$83,222,000)

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 37 **82 DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY**
 38 *70 Government Direction, Management, and Control*
 39 *75 State Subsidies and Financial Aid*

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41 **STATE AID**

42	29-2078	Locally Provided Assistance	\$219,000
43		Total State Aid Appropriation,	
44		State Subsidies and Financial Aid	<u>\$219,000</u>
45		(From Property Tax Relief Fund .	\$219,000)

46 **State Aid:**
47 29 South Jersey Port Corporation Property Tax
48 Reserve Fund (PTRF) (\$219,000)

1 4. The General Provisions of P.L.2022, c.49, the annual
2 appropriations act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, are
3 amended to read as follows:

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GENERAL PROVISIONS

6 82. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 8 of P.L.1992, c.160
7 (C.26:2H-18.58) or any other law or regulation to the contrary, an
8 amount not to exceed **【\$661,865,000】** \$984,886,000, as determined
9 by the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, is
10 appropriated from the Health Care Subsidy Fund to the Division of
11 Medical Assistance and Health Services to fund Medical Coverage -
12 Title XIX Parents and Children in the General Medical Services
13 program classification.

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15 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

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STATEMENT

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20 This bill supplements the FY 2023 Appropriations Act with an
21 additional \$158,525,000 in spending authority, of which \$75,084,000
22 is from the General Fund and \$83,441,000 is from the Property Tax
23 Relief Fund. The bill also adds and modifies certain language
24 provisions of the FY 2023 Appropriations Act.

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26 ***Department of Corrections:***

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28 This bill appropriates \$16,800,000 in Direct State Services
29 funding for Materials and Supplies due to increased costs related to
30 food for incarcerated persons, facility supplies, and fuel and utility
31 costs.

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33 ***Department of Education:***

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35 This bill appropriates \$83,222,000 in State Aid from the Property
36 Tax Relief Fund to bring New Jersey in compliance with the
37 maintenance of equity requirements set forth in the federal American
38 Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).

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40 ***Department of Environmental Protection:***

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42 This bill appropriates \$12,821,000 in Capital Construction
43 funding for hazardous substance discharge and private underground
44 storage tank remediation as dedicated by Article VIII, Section II,
45 paragraph 6 of the State Constitution.

46 This bill appropriates \$3,771,000 in Direct State Services funding
47 for water resources monitoring and planning as dedicated by Article
48 VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution.

1 This bill appropriates \$382,000 in Grants-in-Aid funding from the
2 General Fund for the Lake Hopatcong Commission to support the
3 anticipated loss of revenue collections for boating licenses that were
4 associated with the temporary waiver of driver's license fees.

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6 *Department of Human Services:*

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8 This bill appropriates \$1,310,000 in State Aid funding from the
9 General Fund due to increased administrative costs in the
10 Supplemental Security Income Program.

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12 *Department of the Treasury:*

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14 This bill appropriates \$40,000,000 in Grants-in-Aid funding from
15 the General Fund for the Green Fund, which shifts the appropriation
16 from fiscal year 2024 to fiscal year 2023.

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18 This bill appropriates \$219,000 in State Aid funding from the
19 Property Tax Relief Fund for the South Jersey Port Corporation to
20 make additional PILOT payments to Paulsboro per an agreement
21 between the Borough of Paulsboro and the South Jersey Port
22 Corporation.

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24 The bill also adds new language to allow certain funds to be used
25 for a current program which provides grants to licensed child care
26 providers for the purpose of making improvements to their child care
27 facilities, in accordance with an application process and eligibility
28 requirements determined by the New Jersey Economic Development
29 Authority.

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31 Finally, the bill modifies existing language in the FY 2023
32 Appropriations Act to increase the amount available from the Health
33 Care Subsidy Fund to the Division of Medical Assistance and Health
34 Services (DMAHS) to fund Medical Coverage – Title XIX Parents
35 and Children in the General Medical Services program classification.

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40 Makes FY 2023 supplemental appropriations of \$158,525,000 and
41 modifies certain language provisions.