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First Regular Session - 2013

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1141

BY FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONEYS TO THE STATE TREASURER FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014; LIM
ITING THE NUMBER OF FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS; PROVIDING STATE

TREASURER LGIP FUND REAPPROPRIATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014; PROVIDING

GUIDANCE FOR EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION; PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE INTENT FOR

THE USE OF CONFERENCE RELATED ACTIVITIES; AND PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE

INTENT FOR THE PAYMENT OF BANK SERVICE FEES.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

9 SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the State Treasurer, the 10 following amounts to be expended for the designated expense classes, from 11 the listed funds for the period July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2014:

12		FOR	FOR	
13		PERSONNEL	OPERATING	
14		COSTS	EXPENDITURES	TOTAL
15	FROM:			
16	General			
17	Fund	\$847,400	\$508,100	\$1,355,500
18	State Treasurer LGIP			
19	Fund	378,600	113,500	492,100
20	Treasurer's Office - Professional Services			
21	Fund	378,700	141,000	519,700
22	Idaho Millennium Income			
23	Fund		80,000	80,000
24	Abandoned Property Trust - Unclaimed Property			
25	Fund	563,500	<u>278,300</u>	841,800
26	TOTAL	\$2,168,200	\$1,120,900	\$3,289,100

SECTION 2. FTP AUTHORIZATION. In accordance with Section 67-3519, Idaho Code, the State Treasurer is authorized no more than twenty-six (26) full-time equivalent positions at any point during the period July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2014, unless specifically authorized by the Governor. The Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee will be notified promptly of any increased positions so authorized.

SECTION 3. STATE TREASURER LGIP FUND REAPPROPRIATION AUTHORITY. There is hereby reappropriated to the State Treasurer any unexpended and unencumbered balances of moneys made from the State Treasurer LGIP Fund for fiscal year 2014, to be used for nonrecurring expenditures, for the period July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2014.

SECTION 4. EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION. The Legislature finds that investing in state employee compensation should remain a high priority even in tough economic times, and therefore strongly encourages agency directors, institution executives and the Division of Financial Management to approve the use of salary savings to provide either one-time or ongoing merit increases for deserving employees, and also target employees who are below policy compensation. Such salary savings could result from turnover and attrition, or be the result of innovation and reorganization efforts that create savings. Such savings should be reinvested in employees. Agencies are cautioned to use one-time funding for one-time payments and ongoing funding for permanent pay increases.

SECTION 5. CONFERENCE RELATED ACTIVITIES. It is the intent of the Legislature that no more than \$10,000 from the General Fund, as appropriated in Section 1 of this act, shall be spent on various conference related activities, including sponsorships, in-kind donations, and information booths. No moneys appropriated in Section 1 of the act from dedicated funds shall be used for conference related activities, unless otherwise allowed for in Idaho Code.

SECTION 6. PAYMENT OF BANK SERVICE FEES. Of the amount appropriated in Section 1 of this act, \$435,900 or so much thereof as is necessary, is to be used solely and only for the payment of bank service fees for the period July 1, 2013, through June 30, 2014.