

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4247**

A bill to make appropriations for the department of corrections for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

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PART 1

LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the department of corrections for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024, from the following funds:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

APPROPRIATION SUMMARY

Full-time equated unclassified positions	16.0
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Full-time equated classified positions	13,179.0
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1	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 2,074,159,700
2	Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
3	Total interdepartmental grants and		
4	intradepartmental transfers		0
5	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 2,074,159,700
6	Federal revenues:		
7	Total federal revenues		5,143,500
8	Special revenue funds:		
9	Total local revenues		9,793,900
10	Total private revenues		0
11	Total other state restricted revenues		29,805,500
12	State general fund/general purpose		\$ 2,029,416,800
13	Sec. 102. DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND		
14	SUPPORT		
15	Full-time equated unclassified positions	16.0	
16	Full-time equated classified positions	359.0	
17	Unclassified salaries--FTEs	16.0	\$ 2,184,900
18	Administrative hearings officers		3,478,000
19	Budget and operations administration--FTEs	270.0	38,416,500
20	Compensatory buyout and union leave bank		100
21	County jail reimbursement program		14,814,600
22	Employee wellness programming--FTEs	7.0	2,164,400
23	Equipment and special maintenance		1,559,700
24	Executive direction--FTEs	22.0	4,600,200
25	Judicial data warehouse user fees		50,600
26	New custody staff training		21,519,600
27	Prison industries operations--FTEs	60.0	10,020,400
28	Property management		2,479,200



1	Prosecutorial and detainer expenses		4,801,000
2	Worker's compensation		12,649,900
3	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	118,739,100
4	Appropriated from:		
5	Federal revenues:		
6	DOJ, prison rape elimination act grant		674,700
7	Special revenue funds:		
8	Correctional industries revolving fund		10,020,400
9	Correctional industries revolving fund 110		721,600
10	Jail reimbursement program fund		5,900,000
11	State general fund/general purpose	\$	101,422,400
12	Sec. 103. OFFENDER SUCCESS ADMINISTRATION		
13	Full-time equated classified positions	337.9	
14	Community corrections comprehensive plans and		
15	services		\$ 14,198,100
16	Education/skilled trades/career readiness		
17	programs--FTEs	259.9	38,065,000
18	Enhanced food technology program--FTEs	11.0	1,638,400
19	Goodwill Flip the Script		1,250,000
20	Offender success community partners		16,225,000
21	Offender success federal grants		751,000
22	Offender success programming		16,122,800
23	Offender success services--FTEs	67.0	17,523,800
24	Probation residential services		14,575,500
25	Public safety initiative		2,000,000
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	122,349,600
27	Appropriated from:		
28	Federal revenues:		



1	DOJ, prisoner reintegration		751,000
2	Federal education revenues		1,596,600
3	State general fund/general purpose	\$	120,002,000
4	Sec. 104. FIELD OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATION		
5	Full-time equated classified positions	1,880.5	
6	Criminal justice reinvestment		\$ 3,748,400
7	Field operations--FTEs	1,849.5	227,263,200
8	Parole board operations--FTEs	31.0	3,931,800
9	Parole/probation services		940,000
10	Residential alternative to prison program		1,500,000
11	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	237,383,400
12	Appropriated from:		
13	Special revenue funds:		
14	Community tether program reimbursement		275,000
15	Reentry center offender reimbursements		10,000
16	Supervision fees		6,630,500
17	Supervision fees set-aside		940,000
18	State general fund/general purpose	\$	229,527,900
19	Sec. 105. CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES ADMINISTRATION		
20	Full-time equated classified positions	676.0	
21	Body-worn cameras		\$ 100
22	Central records--FTEs	43.0	4,888,800
23	Correctional facilities administration--FTEs	34.0	6,288,300
24	Housing inmates in federal institutions		511,000
25	Inmate housing fund		100
26	Inmate legal services		290,900
27	Intelligence unit--FTEs	30.0	3,300,000
28	Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds		100



1	Prison food service--FTEs	324.0	74,359,000
2	Prison store operations--FTEs	33.0	3,461,100
3	Transportation--FTEs	212.0	31,637,200
4	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 124,736,600
5	Appropriated from:		
6	Federal revenues:		
7	DOJ-BOP, federal prisoner reimbursement		411,000
8	SSA-SSI, incentive payment		272,000
9	Special revenue funds:		
10	Correctional industries revolving fund 110		865,800
11	Resident stores		3,461,100
12	State general fund/general purpose		\$ 119,726,700
13	Sec. 106. HEALTH CARE		
14	Full-time equated classified positions	1,547.3	
15	Clinical complexes--FTEs	1,033.3	\$ 154,280,900
16	Health care administration--FTEs	18.0	3,653,900
17	Healthy Michigan plan administration--FTEs	12.0	1,014,800
18	Hepatitis C treatment		10,499,100
19	Interdepartmental grant to health and human		
20	services, eligibility specialists		120,200
21	Mental health and substance use disorder		
22	treatment services--FTEs	484.0	68,341,100
23	Prisoner health care services		105,531,600
24	Vaccination program		691,200
25	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 344,132,800
26	Appropriated from:		
27	Federal revenues:		
28	Federal revenues and reimbursements		403,400



1	Special revenue funds:		
2	Prisoner health care co-payments		257,200
3	State general fund/general purpose	\$	343,472,200
4	Sec. 107. CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES		
5	Full-time equated classified positions	8,378.3	
6	Alger Correctional Facility - Munising--FTEs	259.0	\$ 32,504,800
7	Baraga Correctional Facility - Baraga--FTEs	295.8	38,658,600
8	Bellamy Creek Correctional Facility - Ionia--		
9	FTEs	416.2	50,683,300
10	Carson City Correctional Facility - Carson		
11	City--FTEs	421.4	52,061,800
12	Central Michigan Correctional Facility - St.		
13	Louis--FTEs	386.6	49,051,600
14	Charles E. Egeler Correctional Facility -		
15	Jackson--FTEs	386.6	48,856,100
16	Chippewa Correctional Facility - Kincheloe--		
17	FTEs	443.6	54,880,400
18	Cooper Street Correctional Facility - Jackson--		
19	FTEs	254.6	31,499,300
20	Detroit Detention Center--FTEs	75.8	9,518,900
21	Earnest C. Brooks Correctional Facility -		
22	Muskegon--FTEs	248.2	32,426,900
23	G. Robert Cotton Correctional Facility -		
24	Jackson--FTEs	396.0	48,392,000
25	Gus Harrison Correctional Facility - Adrian--		
26	FTEs	304.0	38,546,000
27	Ionia Correctional Facility - Ionia--FTEs	293.3	37,038,800
28	Kinross Correctional Facility - Kincheloe--FTEs	258.6	34,953,200



1	Lakeland Correctional Facility - Coldwater--		
2	FTEs	275.4	35,214,700
3	Macomb Correctional Facility - New Haven--FTEs	313.3	40,062,600
4	Marquette Branch Prison - Marquette--FTEs	319.7	40,454,400
5	Muskegon Correctional Facility - Muskegon--FTEs	208.0	28,215,400
6	Newberry Correctional Facility - Newberry--FTEs	199.1	26,125,200
7	Oaks Correctional Facility - Eastlake--FTEs	289.4	37,332,900
8	Parnall Correctional Facility - Jackson--FTEs	266.1	31,401,400
9	Richard A. Handlon Correctional Facility -		
10	Ionia--FTEs	268.3	34,553,300
11	Saginaw Correctional Facility - Freeland--FTEs	276.9	35,431,000
12	Special Alternative Incarceration Program -		
13	Jackson--FTEs	26.2	5,135,100
14	St. Louis Correctional Facility - St. Louis--		
15	FTEs	306.6	40,278,500
16	Thumb Correctional Facility - Lapeer--FTEs	283.6	36,075,600
17	Womens Huron Valley Correctional Complex -		
18	Ypsilanti--FTEs	505.1	63,238,600
19	Woodland Correctional Facility - Whitmore Lake-		
20	-FTEs	296.9	39,005,500
21	Northern region administration and support--		
22	FTEs	43.0	4,563,900
23	Southern region administration and support--		
24	FTEs	61.0	20,255,300
25	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 1,076,415,100
26	Appropriated from:		
27	Federal revenues:		
28	DOJ, state criminal assistance program		1,034,800



1	Special revenue funds:	
2	Local funds	9,518,900
3	State restricted fees, revenues, and	
4	reimbursements	102,100
5	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 1,065,759,300
6	Sec. 108. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
7	Information technology services and projects	\$ 31,347,300
8	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 31,347,300
9	Appropriated from:	
10	Special revenue funds:	
11	Correctional industries revolving fund 110	182,000
12	Supervision fees set-aside	714,800
13	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 30,450,500
14	Sec. 109. ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS	
15	Body worn cameras	\$ 100
16	Chance for Life	100
17	Come Out Stay Out	400,000
18	Correction officer signing and retention	
19	bonuses	16,000,000
20	Silent Cry	402,000
21	Universities college in prison program	2,253,600
22	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 19,055,800
23	Appropriated from:	
24	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 19,055,800

PART 2

PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024

GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 201. In accordance with section 30 of article IX of the



1 state constitution of 1963, total state spending from state sources
 2 under part 1 for fiscal year 2023-2024 is \$2,059,222,300.00 and
 3 state spending from state sources to be paid to local units of
 4 government is \$121,453,600.00. The itemized statement below
 5 identifies appropriations from which spending to local units of
 6 government will occur:

7 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS		
8	Community corrections comprehensive plans and	
9	services	\$ 14,198,100
10	County jail reimbursement program	14,814,600
11	Field Operations	69,564,300
12	Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds	100
13	Probation residential services	14,575,500
14	Prosecutorial and detainer expenses	4,801,000
15	Public safety initiative	2,000,000
16	Residential alternative to prison program	1,500,000
17	TOTAL	\$ 121,453,600

18 Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this part and
 19 part 1 are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
 20 MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.

21 Sec. 203. As used in this part and part 1:

22 (a) "Administrative segregation" means confinement for
 23 maintenance of order or discipline to a cell or room apart from
 24 accommodations provided for inmates who are participating in
 25 programs of the facility.

26 (b) "Department" means the Michigan department of corrections.

27 (c) "DOJ" means the United States Department of Justice.

28 (d) "DOJ-BOP" means the DOJ Bureau of Prisons.

29 (e) "EPIC" means effective process improvement and



1 communication.

2 (f) "Evidence-based" means a decision-making process that
3 integrates the best available research, clinician expertise, and
4 client characteristics.

5 (g) "FTE" means full-time equated.

6 (h) "Goal" means the intended or projected result of a
7 comprehensive corrections plan or community corrections program to
8 reduce repeat offending, criminogenic and high-risk behaviors,
9 prison commitment rates, the length of stay in a jail, or to
10 improve the utilization of a jail.

11 (i) "Jail" means a facility operated by a local unit of
12 government for the physical detention and correction of persons
13 charged with or convicted of criminal offenses.

14 (j) "OCC" means the office of community corrections.

15 (k) "Offender success" means that an offender has, with the
16 support of the community, intervention of the field agent, and
17 benefit of any participation in programs and treatment, made an
18 adjustment while at liberty in the community such that he or she
19 has not been sentenced to or returned to prison for the conviction
20 of a new crime or the revocation of probation or parole.

21 (l) "Recidivism" means that term as defined in section 1 of
22 2017 PA 5, MCL 798.31.

23 (m) "Serious emotional disturbance" means that term as defined
24 in section 100d(3) of the mental health code, 1974 PA 258, MCL
25 330.1100d.

26 (n) "Serious mental illness" means that term as defined in
27 section 100d(4) of the mental health code, 1974 PA 258, MCL
28 330.1100d.

29 (o) "SSA" means the United States Social Security



1 Administration.

2 (p) "SSA-SSI" means SSA supplemental security income.

3 Sec. 204. The department shall use the internet to fulfill the
4 reporting requirements of this part. This requirement shall include
5 transmission of reports via email to the recipients identified for
6 each reporting requirement and it shall include placement of
7 reports on an internet site.

8 Sec. 205. Except as otherwise provided in this part, all
9 reports required under this part shall be submitted to the senate
10 and house appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the senate
11 and house fiscal agencies, the senate and house policy offices, the
12 legislative corrections ombudsman, and the state budget office.

13 Sec. 206. To the extent permissible under section 261 of the
14 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1261, all of the
15 following apply:

16 (a) Funds appropriated in part 1 must not be used for the
17 purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if competitively
18 priced and of comparable quality American goods or services, or
19 both, are available.

20 (b) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both,
21 manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses, if they are
22 competitively priced and of comparable quality.

23 (c) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both,
24 that are manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses owned and
25 operated by veterans, if they are competitively priced and of
26 comparable quality.

27 Sec. 207. The department shall not take disciplinary action
28 against an employee of the department in the state classified civil
29 service, or a prisoner, for communicating with a member of the



1 legislature or his or her staff, unless the communication is
2 prohibited by law and the department is exercising its authority as
3 provided by law.

4 Sec. 208. The department shall prepare a report on out-of-
5 state travel expenses not later than January 1 of each year. The
6 travel report shall be a listing of all travel by classified and
7 unclassified employees outside this state in the immediately
8 preceding fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with
9 funds appropriated in the department's budget. The report shall be
10 submitted to the senate and house appropriations committees and to
11 report recipients listed in section 205 of this part. The report
12 shall include the following information:

13 (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.

14 (b) The total transportation and related costs of each travel
15 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
16 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state
17 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
18 and the proportion funded with other revenues.

19 Sec. 209. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by
20 the department to hire a person to provide legal services that are
21 the responsibility of the attorney general. This prohibition does
22 not apply to legal services for bonding activities and for those
23 outside services that the attorney general authorizes.

24 Sec. 210. Not later than December 15, the state budget office
25 shall prepare and transmit a report that provides estimates of the
26 total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the
27 close of the prior fiscal year. This report shall summarize the
28 projected year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation
29 lapses by major departmental program or program areas. The report



1 shall be transmitted to the chairpersons of the senate and house
2 appropriations committees and to report recipients listed in
3 section 205 of this part.

4 Sec. 211. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
5 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000.00 for
6 federal contingency authorization. Authorized funds are not
7 available for expenditure until they have been transferred to
8 another line item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management
9 and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

10 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
11 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for local
12 contingency authorization. Authorized funds are not available for
13 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
14 in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
15 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

16 Sec. 212. The department shall cooperate with the department
17 of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable
18 website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is
19 not limited to, all of the following for the department:

- 20 (a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.
21 (b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.
22 (c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor,
23 including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and
24 payment description.
25 (d) The number of active department employees by job
26 classification.
27 (e) Job specifications and wage rates.

28 Sec. 213. Within 14 days after the release of the executive
29 budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate with the



1 state budget office to provide the chairpersons of the senate and
2 house appropriations committees and report recipients listed in
3 section 205 of this part with an annual report on estimated state
4 restricted fund balances, state restricted fund projected revenues,
5 and state restricted fund expenditures for the prior 2 fiscal
6 years.

7 Sec. 214. The department shall maintain, on a publicly
8 accessible website, a department scorecard that identifies, tracks,
9 and regularly updates key metrics that are used to monitor and
10 improve the department's performance.

11 Sec. 215. (1) Funding in part 1 must not be used to restrict
12 or interfere with actions related to diversity, equity, and
13 inclusion; to restrict or impede a marginalized community's access
14 to government resources, programs, or facilities; or to diminish,
15 interfere with, or restrict an individual's ability to exercise the
16 right to reproductive freedom.

17 (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, local governments
18 must report any action or policy that attempts to restrict or
19 interfere with the duties of the local health officer.

20 Sec. 216. To the extent permissible under the management and
21 budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594, the director shall
22 take all reasonable steps to ensure geographically disadvantaged
23 business enterprises, as defined in Executive Directive 2019-08,
24 compete for and perform contracts to provide services or supplies,
25 or both. The director shall strongly encourage firms with which the
26 department contracts to subcontract with certified geographically
27 disadvantaged business enterprises for services, supplies, or both.

28 Sec. 217. (1) On a quarterly basis, the department shall
29 report to the senate and house appropriations committees and to



1 report recipients listed in section 205 of this part on the number
 2 of full-time equated positions in pay status by civil service
 3 classification, including the number of full-time equated positions
 4 in pay status by civil service classification for each correctional
 5 facility. This report must include the following:

6 (a) A comparison by line item of the number of full-time
 7 equated positions authorized from funds appropriated in part 1 to
 8 the actual number of full-time equated positions employed by the
 9 department at the end of the reporting period.

10 (b) A detailed accounting of all vacant positions that exist
 11 within the department.

12 (c) A detailed accounting of all correction officer positions
 13 at each correctional facility, including positions that are filled
 14 and vacant positions, by facility.

15 (d) A detailed accounting of all vacant positions that are
 16 health-care-related.

17 (e) A detailed accounting of vacant positions that are being
 18 held open for temporarily nonactive employees.

19 (2) As used in this section, "vacant position" means any
 20 position that has not been filled at any time during the past 12
 21 calendar months.

22 Sec. 218. It is the intent of the legislature that the
 23 department maximize the efficiency of the state workforce, and,
 24 where possible, prioritize in-person work. The department must post
 25 its in-person, remote, or hybrid work policy on its website.

26 Sec. 219. The department may charge fees and collect revenues
 27 in excess of appropriations in part 1 not to exceed the cost of
 28 offender services and programming, employee meals, parolee loans,
 29 academic/vocational services, custody escorts, compassionate



1 visits, union steward activities, and public works programs and
2 services provided to local units of government or private nonprofit
3 organizations. The revenues and fees collected are appropriated for
4 all expenses associated with these services and activities.

5 Sec. 220. The department shall receive and retain copies of
6 all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. Federal and state
7 guidelines for short-term and long-term retention of records shall
8 be followed. The department may electronically retain copies of
9 reports unless otherwise required by federal and state guidelines.

10 Sec. 221. The department shall report no later than April 1 on
11 each specific policy change made to implement a public act
12 affecting the department that took effect during the prior calendar
13 year to the senate and house appropriations committees, to the
14 joint committee on administrative rules, and to report recipients
15 listed in section 205 of this part.

16 Sec. 222. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department shall do the following:

18 (a) Report to the senate and house appropriations committees
19 and to report recipients listed in section 205 of this part any
20 amounts of severance pay for a department director, deputy
21 director, or other high-ranking department official not later than
22 14 days after a severance agreement with the director or official
23 is signed. The name of the director or official and the amount of
24 severance pay must be included in the report required by this
25 subdivision.

26 (b) By February 1, report on the total amount of severance pay
27 remitted to former department employees during the prior fiscal
28 year and the total number of former department employees that were
29 remitted severance pay during the prior fiscal year.



1 (2) As used in this section, "severance pay" means
 2 compensation that is both payable or paid upon the termination of
 3 employment and in addition to either wages or benefits earned
 4 during the course of employment or generally applicable retirement
 5 benefits.

6 Sec. 223. Appropriations in part 1 shall, to the extent
 7 possible by the department, not be expended until all existing work
 8 project authorization available for the same purposes is exhausted.

9 Sec. 224. It is the intent of the legislature that the
 10 department establish and maintain a management-to-staff ratio of
 11 not more than 1 supervisor for each 8 employees at the department's
 12 central office in Lansing and at both the northern and southern
 13 region administration offices.

14 Sec. 225. The department shall provide the state court
 15 administrative office data sufficient to administer the swift and
 16 sure sanctions program.

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18 **DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT**

19 Sec. 301. For 3 years after a felony offender is released from
 20 the department's jurisdiction, the department shall maintain the
 21 offender's file on the offender tracking information system and
 22 make it publicly accessible in the same manner as the file of the
 23 current offender. However, the department shall immediately remove
 24 the offender's file from the offender tracking information system
 25 upon determination that the offender was wrongfully convicted and
 26 the offender's file is not otherwise required to be maintained on
 27 the offender tracking information system.

28 Sec. 302. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
 29 department must conduct a feasibility study and submit results of



1 the study by March 1. In an effort to strengthen staff retention
2 efforts, the study must assess all aspects of allowing custody
3 staff to reach their highest level of pay within 3 years of service
4 instead of reaching it within 5 years of service.

5 Sec. 303. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
6 department shall submit a report by March 1 on the department's
7 staff retention strategies. The report must include, but not be
8 limited to, the following:

9 (a) The department's strategies on how to improve employee
10 engagement, how to improve employee wellness, and how to offer
11 additional training and professional development for employees,
12 including metrics the department is using to measure success of
13 employee wellness programming.

14 (b) Mechanisms by which the department receives employee
15 feedback in areas under subdivision (a) and how the department
16 considers suggestions made by employees.

17 (c) Steps the department has taken, and future plans and goals
18 the department has for retention and improving employee wellness.

19 Sec. 304. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
20 department shall submit a report by March 1 on the number of
21 employee departures. The report must include the number of
22 corrections officers that departed from employment at a state
23 correctional facility in the immediately preceding fiscal year and
24 the number of years they worked for the department. The report
25 shall include a chart that shows the normal distribution of
26 employee departures in these positions based on years of service.
27 Years of service shall be grouped into the following ranges: 1 to 3
28 years, 3 to 5 years, 5 to 10 years, 10 to 15 years, 15 to 20 years,
29 and 20 and more years. The department shall review all reasons for



1 employee departures and summarize in the report the primary reasons
2 for departure for each of the ranges of years of service based on
3 the available responses. The report shall include a section that
4 shows the distinction between recruits who are in-training at the
5 academy that depart employment, recruits who are in-training at a
6 facility that depart employment, and employees who have been on the
7 job that depart employment.

8 Sec. 305. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
9 department shall maintain a staff savings initiative program in
10 conjunction with the EPIC program for employees to submit
11 suggestions for efficiencies for the department. The department
12 shall consider each suggestion in a timely manner. By March 1, the
13 department shall report on process improvements that were
14 implemented based on suggestions that were recommended for
15 implementation from the staff savings initiative and EPIC programs.
16 An employee whose suggestion is implemented by the department shall
17 receive noncompensatory recognition for their efforts.

18 Sec. 306. Funds appropriated in part 1 for prosecutorial and
19 detainer expenses shall be used to reimburse counties for housing
20 and custody of parole violators and offenders being returned by the
21 department from community placement who are available for return to
22 institutional status and for prisoners who volunteer for placement
23 in a county jail.

24 Sec. 307. The department shall provide fiduciary oversight of
25 funds received under the local corrections officers training act,
26 2003 PA 125, MCL 791.531 to 791.546.

27 Sec. 308. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
28 department shall issue an annual report for all vendor contracts.
29 The report shall cover service contracts with a value of



1 \$500,000.00 or more and include all of the following:

2 (a) The original start date and the current expiration date of
3 each contract.

4 (b) The number, if any, of contract compliance monitoring site
5 visits completed by the department for each vendor.

6 (c) The number and amount of fines, if any, for service-level
7 agreement noncompliance for each vendor broken down by area of
8 noncompliance.

9 Sec. 309. The department must ensure that a prisoner telephone
10 system is maintained. The prisoner telephone system must meet
11 ongoing operational needs of the department while maintaining the
12 lowest per-minute rate possible. The department must provide notice
13 at least 45 days in advance of each of the following taking effect:

14 (a) Amendments to the telephone contract.

15 (b) Changes to telephone rates.

16 (c) Extending the telephone contract, including the department
17 exercising the option to extend the contract.

18 (d) Rebidding the telephone contract.

19 Sec. 310. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
20 department shall provide for the training of all custody staff in
21 effective and safe ways of handling prisoners with mental illness
22 and referring prisoners to mental health treatment programs. Mental
23 health awareness training shall be incorporated into the training
24 of new custody staff.

25 Sec. 311. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
26 department must provide diversity, equity, and inclusion training
27 for all department staff. Training must emphasize tolerance and
28 cultural diversity and sensitivity.

29 Sec. 312. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the



1 department shall issue a report for all correctional facilities by
2 January 1 setting forth the following information for each
3 facility: its name, street address, and date of construction; its
4 current maintenance costs; any maintenance planned; its current
5 utility costs; its expected future capital improvement costs; the
6 current unspent balance of any authorized capital outlay projects,
7 including the original authorized amount; and its expected future
8 useful life.

9 Sec. 313. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
10 department shall provide a strategic plan update report that
11 details the progress being made in achieving the strategic plan of
12 the department. The report shall be submitted by March 1 and shall
13 contain updates on relevant strategic plan objectives, as well as
14 key statistics and information about the department's efforts to
15 decrease the overall recidivism rate and promote offender success
16 by ensuring readiness to reenter society.

17 (2) Reports and studies related to the effectiveness of
18 departmental programming created as part of a strategic plan
19 objective shall be provided within 30 days of being received by or
20 completed by the department.

21 Sec. 314. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
22 department shall provide a report on the Michigan state industries
23 program by December 1. The report shall include, but not be limited
24 to, the locations of the programs, the total number of participants
25 at each location, a description of job duties and typical inmate
26 schedules, the products that are produced, and how the program
27 provides marketable skills that lead to employable outcomes after
28 release from a department facility.

29 Sec. 315. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for employee



1 wellness programming shall be used for post-traumatic stress
2 outreach, treating mental health issues, peer support programs, and
3 providing mental health programming for all department staff,
4 including former employees.

5 (2) By December 15, the department shall submit a report on
6 programs the department has established, the level of employee
7 involvement, and expenditures made by the department for employee
8 wellness programming.

9 Sec. 316. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
10 department shall work to hire and train new corrections officers to
11 address attrition of corrections officers and to decrease overtime
12 costs. The department shall submit quarterly reports on new
13 employee schools. The reports must include the following
14 information for the immediately preceding fiscal quarter, and as
15 much of the information as possible for the current and next fiscal
16 year.

17 (a) The number of new employee schools that took place and the
18 location of each.

19 (b) The number of recruits that started in each employee
20 school.

21 (c) The number of recruits that graduated from each employee
22 school and continued employment with the department.

23 (2) Quarterly reports must outline steps the department took
24 in the previous quarter to obtain the highest number of recruits
25 possible for each new employee school. A report prepared pursuant
26 to this subsection must include, but not be limited to, all of the
27 following information:

28 (a) Internal sources of recruitment, including transfers and
29 promotions.



1 (b) External sources of recruitment, including advertisements.

2 (c) Job portals, social networking platforms, placement
3 agencies, job fairs, campus placements, or professional entities
4 used for recruitment.

5 (d) Whether the department's website was used to advertise
6 vacancies.

7 Sec. 317. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
8 department must work to promote and recruit more minority and
9 female corrections officers to help increase the diversity of the
10 state's corrections officers' workforce. The department must submit
11 quarterly reports on the department's efforts to recruit minority
12 and female officers, and on the diversity of the corrections
13 officer training academies.

14 Sec. 318. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
15 department shall submit a quarterly report on the number of
16 overtime hours worked by all custody staff, by facility. The report
17 shall include for each facility, the number of mandatory overtime
18 hours worked, the number of voluntary overtime hours worked, the
19 reasons for overtime hours worked, and the average number of
20 overtime hours worked by active employees.

21 Sec. 319. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
22 department may establish agreements and exchange offender data with
23 local, state, and federal agencies, law enforcement, community
24 service and treatment providers, and research partners in order to
25 improve offender success, reduce recidivism risk, and enhance
26 public safety. This data sharing may include, but is not limited
27 to, efforts to support the following:

28 (a) Providing continuing access to behavioral health, physical
29 health, and medication needs through community-based providers.



1 (b) Establishing assistance program eligibility and
2 participation.

3 (c) Collaborating with community service providers for
4 continued care and access to services for offenders.

5 (d) Providing ongoing cognitive and behavioral treatment
6 programming in the community.

7 (e) Providing substance abuse testing and referrals for
8 counseling services and treatment.

9 (f) Providing vocational skill training, job placement
10 support, and monitoring employment attainment.

11 (g) Determining educational attainment and needs.

12 (h) Establishing accurate offender identification, criminal
13 histories, and monitoring new criminal activity.

14 (i) Measuring and evaluating treatment programs and services
15 in support of evidence-based practices.

16 Sec. 320. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department shall submit a status report on the corrections officer
18 training academy on January 30 and June 30 to the joint capital
19 outlay subcommittee and to recipients listed in section 205 of this
20 part. The report shall include, but not be limited to, the
21 following:

22 (a) History of appropriations for the project, including
23 appropriations made specifically for the project and appropriations
24 made from other operating line items to support project
25 expenditures.

26 (b) Anticipated costs of the project, by phase.

27 (c) Actual expenditures made for the project by line item,
28 fund source, fiscal year, and phase of the project, starting with
29 initial expenditures.



1 (d) Any other information the department considers necessary.

2 Sec. 321. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
3 department shall submit a report by April 1 on changes to existing
4 programs that offer professional development and training
5 opportunities for all levels of custody supervisors and first line
6 managers. The report must include an overview of any changes to
7 existing departmental programs, as well as a review of programs
8 available in other organizations and states that serve similar
9 purposes that may be adopted in part or in full to enhance
10 departmental training.

11 Sec. 322. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
12 department shall submit 3-year and 5-year prison population
13 projection updates concurrent with submission of the executive
14 budget recommendation, including explanations of the methodology
15 and assumptions used in developing the projection updates.

16 Sec. 323. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department shall place the statistical report from the immediately
18 preceding calendar year on an internet site by June 30. The
19 statistical report shall include, but not be limited to, the
20 information as provided in the 2004 statistical report.

21 Sec. 324. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
22 department shall report the reincarceration recidivism rates of
23 offenders based on available data.

24 Sec. 325. (1) The department shall administer a county jail
25 reimbursement program from the funds appropriated in part 1 for the
26 purpose of reimbursing counties for housing in jails certain felons
27 who otherwise would have been sentenced to prison.

28 (2) The county jail reimbursement program shall reimburse
29 counties for convicted felons in the custody of the sheriff if the



1 conviction was for a crime committed on or after January 1, 1999
2 and 1 of the following applies:

3 (a) The felon's sentencing guidelines recommended range upper
4 limit is more than 18 months, the felon's sentencing guidelines
5 recommended range lower limit is 12 months or less, the felon's
6 prior record variable score is 35 or more points, and the felon's
7 sentence is not for commission of a crime in crime class G or crime
8 class H or a nonperson crime in crime class F under chapter XVII of
9 the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 777.1 to 777.69.

10 (b) The felon's minimum sentencing guidelines range minimum is
11 more than 12 months under the sentencing guidelines described in
12 subdivision (a).

13 (c) The felon was sentenced to jail for a felony committed
14 while the felon was on parole and under the jurisdiction of the
15 parole board and for which the sentencing guidelines recommended
16 range for the minimum sentence has an upper limit of more than 18
17 months.

18 (3) State reimbursement under this section shall be \$65.00 per
19 diem per diverted offender for offenders with a presumptive prison
20 guideline score, \$55.00 per diem per diverted offender for
21 offenders with a straddle cell guideline for a group 1 crime, and
22 \$40.00 per diem per diverted offender for offenders with a straddle
23 cell guideline for a group 2 crime. Reimbursements shall be paid
24 for sentences up to a 1-year total.

25 (4) As used in this section:

26 (a) "Group 1 crime" means a crime in 1 or more of the
27 following offense categories: arson, assault, assaultive other,
28 burglary, criminal sexual conduct, homicide or resulting in death,
29 other sex offenses, robbery, and weapon possession as determined by



1 the department based on specific crimes for which counties received
2 reimbursement under the county jail reimbursement program in fiscal
3 year 2007 and fiscal year 2008, and listed in the county jail
4 reimbursement program document titled "FY 2007 and FY 2008 Group
5 One Crimes Reimbursed", dated March 31, 2009.

6 (b) "Group 2 crime" means a crime that is not a group 1 crime,
7 including larceny, fraud, forgery, embezzlement, motor vehicle,
8 malicious destruction of property, controlled substance offense,
9 felony drunk driving, and other nonassaultive offenses.

10 (c) "In the custody of the sheriff" means that the convicted
11 felon has been sentenced to the county jail and is either housed in
12 a county jail, is in custody but is being housed at a hospital or
13 medical facility for a medical or mental health purpose, or has
14 been released from jail and is being monitored through the use of
15 the sheriff's electronic monitoring system.

16 (5) County jail reimbursement program expenditures shall not
17 exceed the amount appropriated in part 1 for the county jail
18 reimbursement program. Payments to counties under the county jail
19 reimbursement program shall be made in the order in which properly
20 documented requests for reimbursements are received. A request
21 shall be considered to be properly documented if it meets
22 departmental requirements for documentation. By October 15, the
23 department shall distribute the documentation requirements to all
24 counties.

25 (6) Any county that receives funding under this section for
26 the purpose of housing in jails certain felons who otherwise would
27 have been sentenced to prison shall, as a condition of receiving
28 the funding, report by September 30 an annual average jail capacity
29 and annual average jail occupancy for the immediately preceding



1 fiscal year.

2 (7) Not later than February 1, the department shall report all
3 of the following information:

4 (a) The number of inmates sentenced to the custody of the
5 sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program.

6 (b) The total amount paid to counties under the county jail
7 reimbursement program.

8 (c) The total number of days inmates were in the custody of
9 the sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program.

10 (d) The number of inmates sentenced to the custody of the
11 sheriff under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison, group 1
12 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).

13 (e) The total amount paid to counties under each of the 3
14 categories: presumptive prison, group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in
15 subsection (3).

16 (f) The total number of days inmates were in the custody of
17 the sheriff under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison,
18 group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).

19 (g) The estimated cost of housing inmates sentenced to the
20 custody of the sheriff and eligible for the county jail
21 reimbursement program as inmates of a state prison.

22 Sec. 326. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
23 department shall provide monthly email reports on prisoner
24 populations by security levels by facility, prison facility
25 capacities, and parolee and probationer populations.

26 (2) The department shall provide monthly email reports that
27 include information on end-of-month prisoner populations in county
28 jails, the net operating capacity according to the most recent
29 certification report, identified by date, the number of beds in



1 currently closed housing units by facility, and end-of-month data,
2 year-to-date data, and comparisons to the prior year for the
3 following:

4 (a) Community residential program populations, separated by
5 centers and electronic monitoring.

6 (b) Parole populations.

7 (c) Probation populations, with identification of the number
8 in special alternative incarceration.

9 (d) Prison and camp populations, with separate identification
10 of the number in special alternative incarceration and the number
11 of lifers.

12 (e) Prisoners classified as past their earliest release date.

13 (f) Parole board activity, including the numbers and
14 percentages of parole grants and parole denials.

15 (g) Prisoner exits, identifying transfers to community
16 placement, paroles from prisons and camps, paroles from community
17 placement, total movements to parole, prison intake, prisoner
18 deaths, prisoners discharging on the maximum sentence, and other
19 prisoner exits.

20 (h) Prison intake and returns, including probation violators,
21 new court commitments, violators with new sentences, escaper new
22 sentences, total prison intake, returns from court with additional
23 sentences, community placement returns, technical parole violator
24 returns, and total returns to prison and camp.

25 (3) If the department knows it will not meet the reporting
26 requirements under this section, the department shall immediately
27 issue a report stating that fact and listing the reasons for not
28 meeting the reporting requirements.

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1 **OFFENDER SUCCESS ADMINISTRATION**

2 Sec. 401. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
3 department shall provide a report by March 1 on offender success
4 expenditures and allocations. At a minimum, the report shall
5 include details on prior-year expenditures, including amounts spent
6 on each project funded, itemized by service provided and service
7 provider.

8 (2) The department may accept cash or in-kind donations to
9 supplement funds for prison education training, supplies, and
10 materials necessary to complete the academic and jobs skills
11 related programs. All funds received are appropriated and may be
12 expended by the department.

13 Sec. 402. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
14 department shall partner with nonprofit faith-based, business and
15 professional, civic, and community organizations for the purpose of
16 providing offender success services. Offender success services
17 include, but are not limited to, counseling, providing information
18 on housing and job placement, and money management assistance.

19 Sec. 403. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for offender
20 success services, the department, when reasonably possible, shall
21 ensure that inmates have potential employer matches in the
22 communities to which they will return prior to each inmate's
23 initial parole hearing.

24 Sec. 404. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
25 department shall design services for offender success and
26 vocational education programs, collaborating with the department of
27 labor and economic opportunity and local entities to the extent
28 deemed necessary by the director. The department shall ensure the
29 program provides relevant professional development opportunities to



1 prisoners who are high quality, demand driven, locally receptive,
2 and responsive to the needs of communities where the prisoners are
3 expected to reside after their release from correctional
4 facilities.

5 (2) By March 1, the department shall provide a report
6 detailing the results of the workforce development program.

7 Sec. 405. Funds awarded for probation residential services in
8 part 1 shall provide for a per diem reimbursement of not more than
9 \$65.00.

10 Sec. 406. Pursuant to an approved comprehensive plan,
11 allowable uses of community corrections comprehensive plans and
12 services funds shall include reimbursing counties for
13 transportation, treatment costs, and housing drunk drivers during a
14 period of assessment for treatment and case planning.
15 Reimbursements for housing during the assessment process shall be
16 at the rate of \$43.50 per day per offender, up to a maximum of 5
17 days per offender.

18 Sec. 407. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
19 department shall submit the following information for each county
20 and counties consolidated for community corrections comprehensive
21 plans:

22 (a) Approved technical assistance grants and community
23 corrections comprehensive plans including each program and level of
24 funding, the utilization level of each program, and profile
25 information of enrolled offenders.

26 (b) If federal funds are made available, the number of
27 participants funded, the number served, the number successfully
28 completing the program, and a summary of the program activity.

29 (c) Status of the community corrections information system and



1 the jail population information system.

2 (d) Data on residential services, including participant data,
3 participant sentencing guideline scores, program expenditures,
4 average length of stay, and bed utilization data.

5 (e) Offender disposition data by sentencing guideline range,
6 by disposition type, by prior record variable score, by number and
7 percent statewide and by county, current year, and comparisons to
8 the previous 3 years.

9 (f) Data on the use of funding made available under the drunk
10 driver jail reduction and community treatment program.

11 (2) The report required under subsection (1) shall include the
12 total funding allocated, program expenditures, required program
13 data, and year-to-date totals.

14 Sec. 408. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for public
15 safety initiative, the law enforcement agency receiving funding
16 under part 1 shall submit quarterly expenditure reports including a
17 detailed listing of expenditures made, the purpose for which the
18 expenditures were made, the amounts of expenditures by purpose,
19 specific services provided, and the number of individuals served.
20 The reports must be submitted to the senate and house of
21 representatives appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the
22 senate and house fiscal agencies, the department of corrections,
23 and the state budget office.

24 (2) If the law enforcement agency receiving funding under part
25 1 does not submit all quarterly reports for the prior fiscal year
26 by September 30, the law enforcement agency shall not receive any
27 funding appropriated in part 1 until all reports are submitted.

28 (3) If requested by the senate and house of representatives
29 appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the law enforcement



1 agency receiving funding under part 1 shall appear before the
2 subcommittees to discuss the expenditure report required under
3 subsection (1). The subcommittees will work with the law
4 enforcement agency to determine when the meeting will occur.

5 Sec. 409. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
6 department shall establish and maintain policies and procedures
7 that assist prisoners with obtaining a birth certificate, duplicate
8 Social Security card, if eligible, DD Form 214 or other military
9 documentation, state identification card, and operator's license
10 prior to parole or discharge.

11 Sec. 410. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for offender
12 success administration, the department shall collaborate with the
13 Michigan Restaurant and Lodging Association and other restaurant
14 industry stakeholders to provide job placement assistance to
15 individuals on probation and parole.

16 Sec. 411. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for the
17 enhanced food technology program, the department shall maintain an
18 enhanced food technology program that provides on-the-job training
19 in prison kitchens that will lead to prisoners earning food service
20 training credentials recognized by the restaurant industry.

21 Sec. 412. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
22 offender success programming, the department shall establish
23 medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot programs to
24 provide prerelease treatment and postrelease referral for opioid
25 addicted offenders, as well as alcohol-addicted offenders who
26 voluntarily participate in the medication-assisted treatment
27 offender success pilot programs. The department shall collaborate
28 with residential and nonresidential substance abuse treatment
29 providers and with community-based clinics to provide postrelease



1 assessment and treatment. The programs shall employ a multifaceted
2 approach to treatment, including various forms of medication-
3 assisted treatment approved by the Food and Drug Administration for
4 the treatment of opioid use disorder or alcohol use disorder,
5 counseling, and postrelease referral to community-based providers.
6 The department shall consider the use of long-acting injectable
7 formulations, when clinically appropriate, of FDA-approved
8 medication-assisted treatment for alcohol and opioid use disorder
9 when developing an offender's release plan.

10 (2) The department shall submit a report by December 1 on the
11 number of offenders who received an injectable treatment for
12 alcohol use disorder and the number that received an injectable
13 treatment for opioid use disorder prior to release, the number of
14 offenders that subsequently received treatment in the community for
15 a duration of at least 3 months, and the number of offenders who
16 received injections and were subsequently returned to prison during
17 the prior fiscal year.

18 Sec. 413. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
19 department shall ensure that any inmate with a diagnosed mental
20 illness is referred to a local mental health care provider that is
21 able and willing to treat the inmate upon parole or discharge. The
22 department shall ensure that the provider is informed of the
23 inmate's current treatment plan including any medications that are
24 currently prescribed to the inmate.

25 Sec. 414. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Goodwill Flip
26 the Script shall be distributed to a Michigan-chartered 501(c)(3)
27 nonprofit corporation operating in a county with greater than
28 1,500,000 people for administration and expansion of a program that
29 serves a population of individuals aged 16 to 39. The program shall



1 target those who are entering the criminal justice system for the
2 first or second time and shall assist those individuals through the
3 following program types:

4 (a) Alternative sentencing programs in partnership with a
5 local district or circuit court.

6 (b) Educational recovery for special adult populations with
7 high rates of illiteracy.

8 (c) Career development and continuing education for women.

9 (2) The program selected shall report by March 30 on program
10 performance measurements, the number of individuals diverted from
11 incarceration, the number of individuals served, and outcomes of
12 participants who complete the program.

13 Sec. 415. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
14 department shall report by March 1 on academic and vocational
15 programs, including, but not limited to, all of the following:

16 (a) The number of instructors and the number of instructor
17 vacancies, by program and facility.

18 (b) The number of prisoners enrolled in each program, the
19 number of prisoners completing each program, the number of
20 prisoners who do not complete each program and are not subsequently
21 reenrolled, and the reason for not completing the program, the
22 number of prisoners transferred to another facility while enrolled
23 in a program and not subsequently reenrolled, the number of
24 prisoners enrolled who are repeating the program, and the number of
25 prisoners on waiting lists for each program, all itemized by
26 facility.

27 (c) The steps the department has undertaken to improve
28 programs, track records, accommodate transfers and prisoners with
29 health care needs, and reduce waiting lists.



1 (d) The number of prisoners paroled without a high school
2 diploma and the number of prisoners paroled without a high school
3 equivalency.

4 (e) An explanation of the value and purpose of each program,
5 for example, to improve employability, reduce recidivism, reduce
6 prisoner idleness, or some combination of these and other factors.

7 (f) An identification of program outcomes for each academic
8 and vocational program.

9 (g) The number of prisoners not paroled at their earliest
10 release date due to lack of a high school equivalency and the
11 reason those prisoners have not obtained a high school equivalency.

12 Sec. 416. From the funds appropriated in part 1, priority may
13 be given to funding reentry or rehabilitation programs that have
14 been demonstrated to reduce prison violence and recidivism,
15 including faith-based initiatives.

16 Sec. 417. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for criminal
17 justice reinvestment shall be used only to fund data collection and
18 evidence-based programs designed to reduce recidivism among
19 probationers, parolees, and prisoners.

20 (2) Of the funds appropriated in part 1 for criminal justice
21 reinvestment, at least \$600,000.00 shall be allocated to an
22 organization that has received a United States Department of Labor
23 training to work 2-adult reentry grant to provide county jail
24 inmates with programming and services to prepare them to get and
25 keep jobs. Examples of eligible programs and services include, but
26 are not limited to: adult education, tutoring, manufacturing skills
27 training, participation in a simulated work environment, mentoring,
28 cognitive therapy groups, life skills classes, substance abuse
29 recovery groups, fatherhood programs, classes in understanding the



1 legal system, family literacy, health and wellness, finance
 2 management, employer presentations, and classes on job retention.
 3 Programming and support services should begin before release and
 4 continue after release from the county jail. To be eligible for
 5 funding, an organization must show at least 2 years' worth of data
 6 that demonstrate program success.

7 (3) The department shall report on programs described under
 8 this section by March 30. The report shall include the
 9 reincarceration recidivism rate of program participants, the
 10 employment rate of participants who complete the program, and the
 11 cost of the program per participant.

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13 **FIELD OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATION**

14 Sec. 501. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
 15 department shall prepare individual reports by March 1 for the
 16 residential reentry program, the electronic monitoring program, and
 17 the special alternative to incarceration program. Each program's
 18 report shall include information on all of the following:

19 (a) Monthly new participants by type of offender. Residential
 20 reentry program participants shall be categorized by reason for
 21 placement. For technical rule violators, the report shall sort
 22 offenders by length of time since release from prison, by the most
 23 recent violation, and by the number of violations occurring since
 24 release from prison.

25 (b) Monthly participant unsuccessful terminations, including
 26 cause.

27 (c) Number of successful terminations.

28 (d) End month population by facility/program.

29 (e) Average length of placement.



1 (f) Return to prison statistics.

2 (g) Description of each program location or locations,
3 capacity, and staffing.

4 (h) Sentencing guideline scores and actual sentence statistics
5 for participants, if applicable.

6 (i) Comparison with prior year statistics.

7 (j) Analysis of the impact on prison admissions and jail
8 utilization and the cost effectiveness of the program.

9 Sec. 502. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
10 department shall review and revise as necessary policy proposals
11 that provide alternatives to prison for offenders being sentenced
12 to prison as a result of technical probation violations and
13 technical parole violations. To the extent the department has
14 insufficient policies or resources to affect the continued increase
15 in prison commitments among these offender populations, the
16 department shall explore other policy options to allow for program
17 alternatives, including department or OCC-funded programs, local
18 level programs, and programs available through private agencies
19 that may be used as prison alternatives for these offenders.

20 (2) By April 1, the department shall provide a report on the
21 number of all parolees returned to prison and probationers
22 sentenced to prison for either a technical violation or new
23 sentence during the preceding fiscal year. The report shall include
24 the following information for probationers, for parolees after
25 their first parole, and for parolees who have been paroled more
26 than once:

27 (a) The numbers of parole and probation violators returned to
28 or sent to prison for a new crime with a comparison of original
29 versus new offenses by major offense type: assaultive,



1 nonassaultive, drug, and sex.

2 (b) The numbers of parole and probation violators returned to
3 or sent to prison for a technical violation and the type of
4 violation, including, but not limited to, zero gun tolerance and
5 substance abuse violations. For parole technical rule violators,
6 the report shall list violations by type, by length of time since
7 release from prison, by the most recent violation, and by the
8 number of violations occurring since release from prison.

9 (c) The educational history of those offenders, including how
10 many had a high school equivalency or high school diploma prior to
11 incarceration in prison, how many received a high school
12 equivalency while in prison, and how many received a vocational
13 certificate while in prison.

14 (d) The number of offenders who participated in the reentry
15 program versus the number of those who did not.

16 (e) The unduplicated number of offenders who participated in
17 substance abuse treatment programs, mental health treatment
18 programs, or both, while in prison, itemized by diagnosis.

19 Sec. 503. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
20 department shall submit a report detailing the number of prisoners
21 who have received life imprisonment sentences with the possibility
22 of parole and who are currently eligible for parole by April 30.

23 Sec. 504. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for the
24 residential alternative to prison program, the department shall
25 provide vocational, educational, and cognitive programming in a
26 secure environment to enhance existing alternative sentencing
27 options, increase employment readiness and successful placement
28 rates, and reduce new criminal behavior for the west Michigan
29 probation violator population. The department shall measure and set



1 the following metric goals:

2 (a) 85% of participants successfully complete the program.

3 (b) Of the participants that complete the program, 75% will
4 earn a nationally recognized credential for career and vocational
5 programs.

6 (c) Of the participants that complete the program, 100% will
7 earn a certificate of completion for cognitive programming.

8 (d) The prison commitment rate for probation violators will be
9 reduced by 5% within the impacted geographical area after the first
10 year of program operation.

11 Sec. 505. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
12 department shall issue quarterly reports for the previous 4
13 quarters detailing outcomes of prisoners who have been reviewed for
14 parole. The report shall include all of the following:

15 (a) How many prisoners in each quarter were reviewed.

16 (b) How many prisoners were granted parole.

17 (c) How many prisoners were denied parole.

18 (d) How many parole decisions were deferred.

19 (e) The distribution of the total number of prisoners reviewed
20 during that quarter grouped by whether the prisoner had been
21 interviewed for the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, or
22 more than sixth time.

23 (f) The number of paroles granted, denied, or deferred for
24 each of the parole guideline scores of low, average, and high.

25 (g) The reason for denying or deferring parole.

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27 **HEALTH CARE**

28 Sec. 601. By April 1, the department shall provide reports on
29 the following:



1 (a) Physical and mental health care, pharmaceutical services,
2 and durable medical equipment for prisoners. Reports must detail
3 current and prior fiscal year expenditures itemized by vendor,
4 allocations, status of payments from contractors to vendors, and
5 projected year-end expenditures from accounts. Reports must include
6 a breakdown of all payments to the integrated care provider and to
7 other providers itemized by physical health care, mental health
8 care, pharmaceutical services, and durable medical equipment
9 expenditures.

10 (b) Pharmaceutical prescribing practices, including a detailed
11 accounting of expenditures on antipsychotic medications, and any
12 changes that have been made to the prescription drug formularies.

13 (c) A status report on efforts to develop measurable data and
14 outcomes for physical and mental health care within the prisoner
15 population.

16 Sec. 602. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department shall assure that all prisoners, upon any health care
18 treatment funded from appropriations in part 1, are given the
19 opportunity to sign a release of information form designating a
20 family member or other individual to whom the department shall
21 release records information regarding a prisoner. A release of
22 information form signed by a prisoner shall remain in effect for 1
23 year, and the prisoner may elect to withdraw or amend the release
24 form at any time.

25 (2) The department shall assure that any such signed release
26 forms follow a prisoner upon transfer to another department
27 facility or to the supervision of a parole officer.

28 (3) The form shall be placed online, on a public website
29 managed by the department.



1 Sec. 603. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
2 department shall provide a report by April 1 on prisoner health
3 care utilization that includes the number of inpatient hospital
4 days, outpatient visits, emergency room visits, and prisoners
5 receiving off-site inpatient medical care in the fiscal year, by
6 facility.

7 Sec. 604. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Hepatitis C
8 treatment shall be used only to purchase specialty medication for
9 Hepatitis C treatment in the prison population. In addition to the
10 above appropriation, any rebates received from the medications used
11 shall be used only to purchase specialty medication for Hepatitis C
12 treatment. By February 15, the department shall issue a report for
13 the prior fiscal year showing the total amount spent on specialty
14 medication for the treatment of Hepatitis C, the number of
15 prisoners who were treated, the amount of any rebates that were
16 received from the purchase of specialty medication, and what
17 outstanding rebates are expected to be received.

18 (2) The report must include the Hepatitis C status of all
19 incoming prisoners and the number of prisoners who are reinfected
20 while incarcerated and require retreatment for Hepatitis C. The
21 report must also include the number of those treated and released
22 and then retreated upon reincarceration.

23 Sec. 605. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
24 department shall provide the department of health and human
25 services with a monthly list of prisoners newly committed to the
26 department of corrections. The department and the department of
27 health and human services shall enter into an interagency agreement
28 under which the department of health and human services provides
29 the department of corrections with monthly lists of newly committed



1 prisoners who are eligible for Medicaid benefits in order to
2 maintain the process by which Medicaid benefits are suspended
3 rather than terminated. The department shall assist prisoners who
4 may be eligible for Medicaid benefits after release from prison
5 with the Medicaid enrollment process prior to release from prison.

6 (2) The department shall provide quarterly updates on the
7 utilization of Medicaid benefits for prisoners.

8 Sec. 606. By March 1, the department shall report on the
9 number of prisoners who received medication assisted therapies, the
10 length of time on therapies, and the number of prisoners who have
11 discontinued treatment while incarcerated.

12 Sec. 607. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for mental
13 health and substance use disorder treatment, \$15,600,000.00 must be
14 allocated for establishing 4 medication assisted treatment clinics.
15 The department must select sites for clinics at correctional
16 facilities that would allow the department to treat the highest
17 number of prisoners with opioid use disorder as effectively and
18 efficiently as possible. Clinics must operate at least 5 days a
19 week and must be capable of treating up to 400 prisoners, at each
20 clinic, per year. Funding must be used by the department to support
21 costs of staff, including nurses, qualified mental health
22 professionals, recovery coaches, and corrections officers.
23 Prisoners must be treated while incarcerated and must be provided
24 with 1 injection of medication immediately before being released
25 from prison into the community.

26 (2) The department must submit quarterly reports on the status
27 of establishment and operation of medication assisted treatment
28 clinics. Reports shall include, but not be limited to, all of the
29 following:



- 1 (a) Site locations selected.
- 2 (b) Staffing levels.
- 3 (c) Expenditures on staffing and supplies, including oral and
4 injectable medications.
- 5 (d) Number of prisoners treated.
- 6 (e) Number of prisoners requiring treatment but not yet
7 receiving treatment.
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9 **CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AND ADMINISTRATION**

10 Sec. 701. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
11 department shall report on the department's plans to eliminate
12 programming for prisoners. The report shall be provided at least 30
13 days prior to program elimination.

14 (2) As used in this section, "programming for prisoners" means
15 a department core program or career and technical education program
16 funded in part 1.

17 Sec. 702. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for prison
18 food service, the department shall report by January 15 on the
19 following:

20 (a) Average per-meal cost for prisoner food service. Per-meal
21 cost shall include all costs directly related to the provision of
22 food for the prisoner population, and shall include, but not be
23 limited to, actual food costs, total compensation for all food
24 service workers, including benefits and legacy costs, and
25 inspection and compliance costs for food service.

26 (b) Food service-related contracts, including goods or
27 services to be provided and the vendor.

28 (c) Major sanitation violations.

29 Sec. 703. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the



1 department shall calculate the cost per prisoner per day for each
2 security custody level. This calculation shall include all actual
3 direct and indirect costs for the previous fiscal year. To
4 calculate the cost per prisoner per day, the department shall
5 divide the prisoner-related costs by the total number of prisoner
6 days for each custody level and correctional facility. For
7 multilevel facilities, costs that cannot be accurately allocated to
8 each custody level can be included in the calculation on a per-
9 prisoner basis for each facility. A report summarizing these
10 calculations shall be submitted not later than January 15.

11 Prisoner-related costs included in the cost per prisoner per day
12 calculation shall include all expenditures for the following, from
13 all fund sources:

- 14 (a) New custody staff training.
- 15 (b) Prison industries operations.
- 16 (c) Education/skilled trades/career readiness programs.
- 17 (d) Enhanced food technology program.
- 18 (e) Offender success programming.
- 19 (f) Central records.
- 20 (g) Correctional facilities administration.
- 21 (h) Housing inmates in federal institutions.
- 22 (i) Inmate legal services.
- 23 (j) Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds.
- 24 (k) Prison food service.
- 25 (l) Prison store operations.
- 26 (m) Transportation.
- 27 (n) Health care.
- 28 (o) Correctional facilities.
- 29 (p) Northern and southern region administration and support.



1 Sec. 704. Any local unit of government or private nonprofit
2 organization that contracts with the department for public works
3 services shall be responsible for financing the entire cost of such
4 an agreement.

5 Sec. 705. The department shall allow the Michigan Braille
6 transcribing fund program to operate at designated locations. The
7 department shall continue to encourage the Michigan Braille
8 transcribing fund program to produce high-quality materials for use
9 by the visually impaired.

10 Sec. 706. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
11 department shall report as follows:

12 (a) Within 72 hours of occurrence, any critical incident
13 occurring at a correctional facility.

14 (b) By March 1, the number of critical incidents occurring
15 each month at each facility during the immediately preceding
16 calendar year, categorized by type and severity of each incident.

17 (2) As used in this section, "critical incident" includes a
18 prisoner assault on staff that results in a serious physical injury
19 to staff, an escape or attempted escape, a prisoner disturbance
20 that causes facility operation concerns, and an unexpected death of
21 a prisoner.

22 Sec. 707. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
23 department shall report by March 1 on the ratio of corrections
24 officers to prisoners for each correctional institution, the ratio
25 of shift command staff to line custody staff, and the ratio of
26 noncustody institutional staff to prisoners for each correctional
27 facility.

28 Sec. 708. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
29 department shall focus on providing required programming to



1 prisoners who are past their earliest release date because of not
2 having received the required programming. Programming includes, but
3 is not limited to, violence prevention programming, sexual abuse
4 prevention programming, substance use disorder programming,
5 thinking for a change programming, and any other programming that
6 is required as a condition of parole.

7 (2) It is the intent of the legislature that any prisoner
8 required to complete a violence prevention program, sexual abuse
9 prevention program, or other program as a condition of parole shall
10 be placed on a waiting list for the appropriate programming upon
11 entrance to prison and transferred to a facility where that program
12 is available in order to accomplish timely completion of that
13 program prior to the expiration of his or her minimum sentence and
14 eligibility for parole. To the extent feasible, the department
15 shall consistently provide prisoner programming with the goal of
16 having prisoners complete recommended cognitive programming as
17 early as possible during the prisoner's sentence to impact the
18 prisoner's behavior while incarcerated. Nothing in this section
19 should be deemed to make parole denial appealable in court.

20 (3) The department shall submit a quarterly report detailing
21 enrollment in sex abuse prevention programming, violent prevention
22 programming, and thinking for a change programming. At a minimum,
23 the report shall include the following:

24 (a) A full accounting, from the date of entrance to prison, of
25 the number of individuals who are required to complete the
26 programming, but have not yet done so.

27 (b) The number of individuals who have reached their earliest
28 release date, but who have not completed required programming.

29 (c) A plan of action for addressing any waiting lists or



1 backlogs for programming that may exist.

2 Sec. 709. If a pregnant prisoner in a facility funded from
3 appropriations in part 1 consents to a visitor being present, the
4 department shall allow that 1 person to be present during the
5 prisoner's labor and delivery, in addition to a doula being present
6 if the pregnant prisoner wants to work with a doula. The person
7 allowed to accompany the prisoner must be an immediate family
8 member, legal guardian, spouse, or domestic partner. The department
9 is authorized to deny access to a visitor if the department has a
10 safety concern with that visitor's access. The department is
11 authorized to conduct a criminal background check on a visitor.

12 Sec. 710. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
13 department shall evaluate all prisoners at intake for substance
14 abuse disorders, serious developmental disorders, serious mental
15 illness, and other mental health disorders. Prisoners with serious
16 mental illness or serious developmental disorders shall not be
17 removed from the general population as a punitive response to
18 behavior caused by their serious mental illness or serious
19 developmental disorder. Due to persistent high violence risk or
20 severe disruptive behavior that is unresponsive to treatment,
21 prisoners with serious mental illness or serious developmental
22 disorders may be placed in secure residential housing programs that
23 will facilitate access to institutional programming and ongoing
24 mental health services funded from appropriations in part 1. A
25 prisoner with serious mental illness or serious developmental
26 disorder who is confined in these specialized housing programs
27 shall be evaluated or monitored by a medical professional at a
28 frequency of not less than every 12 hours.

29 Sec. 711. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the



1 department shall report by March 1 on the annual number of
2 prisoners during the prior fiscal year in administrative
3 segregation and, of those, the number who at any time during the
4 current or prior prison term were diagnosed with serious mental
5 illness or have a developmental disorder and the number of days
6 each of the prisoners with serious mental illness or a
7 developmental disorder have been confined to administrative
8 segregation.

9 Sec. 712. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
10 department shall do all of the following:

11 (a) Ensure that any inmate care and control staff in contact
12 with prisoners less than 18 years of age are adequately trained
13 with regard to the developmental and mental health needs of
14 prisoners less than 18 years of age. By April 1, the department
15 shall report on the training curriculum used and the number and
16 types of staff receiving annual training under that curriculum.

17 (b) Provide appropriate placement for prisoners less than 18
18 years of age who have serious mental illness, serious emotional
19 disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder and need to be
20 housed separately from the general population. Prisoners less than
21 18 years of age who have serious mental illness, serious emotional
22 disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder shall not be
23 removed from an existing placement as a punitive response to
24 behavior caused by their serious mental illness, serious emotional
25 disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder. Due to persistent
26 high violence risk or severe disruptive behavior that is
27 unresponsive to treatment, prisoners less than 18 years of age with
28 serious emotional disturbance, serious mental illness, or serious
29 developmental disorders may be placed in secure residential housing



1 programs that will facilitate access to institutional programming
2 and ongoing mental health services. A prisoner less than 18 years
3 of age with serious mental illness, serious emotional disturbance,
4 or a serious developmental disorder who is confined in these
5 specialized housing programs shall be evaluated or monitored by a
6 medical professional at a frequency of not less than every 12
7 hours.

8 (c) Implement a specialized offender success program that
9 recognizes the needs of prisoners less than 18 years old for
10 supervised offender success.

11 Sec. 713. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
12 department shall submit a monthly report on the number of youth in
13 prison. The report shall include, but not be limited to, the
14 following information:

15 (a) The total number of inmates under age 18 who are not on
16 Holmes youthful trainee act status.

17 (b) The total number of inmates under age 18 who are on Holmes
18 youthful trainee act status.

19 (c) The total number of inmates aged 18 to 23 who are on
20 Holmes youthful trainee act status.

21 Sec. 714. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
22 department must submit a report on the number of prisoners that
23 lost visiting privileges. The report required under this section
24 must be submitted by November 15 and include data for the prior
25 fiscal year. The report must include all of the following
26 information:

27 (a) The reason or reasons each prisoner lost visiting
28 privileges.

29 (b) The number of prisoners that applied to have visiting



1 privileges restored.

2 (c) The number of prisoners that had visiting privileges
3 restored.

4 (d) The number of prisoners that had visiting restrictions
5 extended.

6 Sec. 715. (1) Any lease, rental, contract, or other legal
7 agreement that includes a provision allowing a private person or
8 entity to use state-owned facilities or other property to conduct a
9 for-profit business enterprise shall require the lessee to pay fair
10 market value for the use of the state-owned property.

11 (2) The lease, rental, contract, or other legal agreement
12 shall also require the party using the property to make a payment
13 in lieu of taxes to the local jurisdictions that would otherwise
14 receive property tax revenue, as if the property were not owned by
15 the state.

16 Sec. 716. The department shall ensure that any contract,
17 funded from appropriations in part 1, with a public or private
18 party to operate a facility to house state prisoners includes a
19 provision to allow access by both the office of the legislative
20 auditor general and the office of the legislative corrections
21 ombudsman to the facility and to appropriate records and documents
22 related to the operation of the facility. These access rights for
23 both offices shall be the same for the contracted facility as for a
24 general state-operated correctional facility.

25 Sec. 717. Funds appropriated in part 1 for intelligence unit
26 must be used by the department to establish an intelligence unit to
27 conduct investigatory and intelligence operations for the
28 department. Intelligence operations must include, but not be
29 limited to, intelligence operations for prisoner phone services.



1 The department must renegotiate the current phone contract to
2 remove the cost of intelligence operations from the contract. The
3 savings that result from transferring responsibility for
4 intelligence operations from the contractor to the department must
5 be passed on to prisoners and prisoners' families as the department
6 negotiates lower phone call rates in all future contracts.

7 Sec. 718. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
8 department must submit a preliminary report on the department's
9 plans to close, consolidate, or relocate any correctional facility
10 in the state. The preliminary report must be provided at least 30
11 days prior to the effective date of the closure, consolidation, or
12 relocation. The preliminary report must include the projected
13 savings to the state from closure, consolidation, or relocation of
14 the facility and must include the impact on staff positions.

15 (2) Following a prison closure, consolidation, or relocation,
16 the department must submit a report on the actual savings achieved
17 by the department and the impact on staff positions. Savings
18 amounts and impact on staff positions must be itemized by facility.
19 The report must be submitted 6 months following the prison closure,
20 consolidation, or relocation.

21 (3) If the department is planning to close a correctional
22 facility, the department must complete an analysis of the potential
23 economic impact of a prison closure on the local community where
24 the facility is located. The analysis must be submitted within 30
25 days of the department's decision to close the facility.

26 Sec. 719. The department shall consult with the legislature
27 and other appropriate state agencies to develop a framework to
28 provide investment in communities that have formerly operational
29 state correctional facilities that have been closed. This framework



1 shall include plans to ensure that vacant state correctional
2 facilities do not become a nuisance or danger to the community.

3 Sec. 720. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
4 department shall make an information packet for the families of
5 incoming prisoners available on the department's website. The
6 information packet shall be reviewed by February 1 and updated as
7 necessary. The packet shall provide information on topics
8 including, but not limited to: how to put money into prisoner
9 accounts, how to make telephone calls or create Jpay email
10 accounts, how to visit in person, proper procedures for filing
11 complaints or grievances, the rights of prisoners to physical and
12 mental health care, how to utilize the offender tracking
13 information system (OTIS), truth-in-sentencing and how it applies
14 to minimum sentences, the parole process, and guidance on the
15 importance of the role of families in the reentry process. The
16 department may partner with external advocacy groups and actual
17 families of prisoners in the packet-writing process to ensure that
18 the information is useful and complete.

19 Sec. 721. The department may accept in-kind services and
20 equipment donations to facilitate the addition of a cable network
21 that provides programming that will address the religious needs of
22 incarcerated individuals. This network may be a cable television
23 network that presently reaches the majority of households in the
24 United States. A bilingual channel affiliated with this network may
25 also be added to department programming to assist the religious
26 needs of Spanish-speaking inmates. The addition of these channels
27 shall be at no additional cost to this state.

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29 **ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS**



1 Sec. 801. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Chance for Life
2 shall be used to contract with an organization that provides
3 prison-based rehabilitation programming, including educational,
4 life skills, and behavioral modification programs. The organization
5 shall enter into a performance-based contract with the department
6 that allows for payment based on the number of prisoners and
7 parolees served according to the agreed upon program rules, as well
8 as program outcomes.

9 (2) The objective of programming shall be to offer a
10 progressive transformational program to individuals while they are
11 in prison in an effort to prepare them for a successful transition
12 back into the community. The department shall select an
13 organization that meets all of the following to provide the
14 programming under this section:

15 (a) Has the purpose to increase community safety by reducing
16 recidivism through providing evidence-based mentoring, employment
17 soft skills training, job placement assistance, critical thinking
18 skills, mediation, and conflict resolution training.

19 (b) Has experience offering programs to male and female prison
20 populations in correctional facilities in this state.

21 (c) Has experience with and offers programming that includes
22 the family in the reentry process using the family group decision-
23 making for reintegration model, which focuses on 7 factors as a
24 basis for successful family reintegration.

25 (d) Has experience with and offers programming that utilizes
26 techniques to address post-prison adjustment disorders.

27 (3) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for Chance for
28 Life are designated as a work project appropriation. Any
29 unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the



1 fiscal year and shall be available for expenditure until the
2 project has been completed. The following is in compliance with
3 section 451a(1) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL
4 18.1451a:

5 (a) The purpose of the project is to contract with an
6 organization that provides prison-based rehabilitation programming,
7 including educational, life skills, and behavioral modification
8 programs.

9 (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing state
10 employees or contracts.

11 (c) The estimated cost of the project is \$100.00.

12 (d) The tentative completion date for the project is September
13 30, 2027.

14 Sec. 802. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Come Out Stay
15 Out must be granted by the department to Come Out Stay Out to
16 provide education, employment, and housing services to offenders
17 upon release from prison. The goal of providing these services is
18 to rebuild and rehabilitate men and women who have been
19 incarcerated and returned to society.

20 (2) The program must report by March 30 on expenditure of
21 funds, program performance measurements, number of participants
22 served, and outcomes of participants that complete the program.

23 Sec. 803. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for corrections
24 officer signing and retention bonuses must be used by the
25 department to continue signing and retention bonuses for
26 corrections officers. Funding must be used to grant up to \$1,500.00
27 signing bonuses for new corrections officers and up to \$3,000.00
28 retention bonuses for current corrections officers. The department
29 must pay a minimum of 50% of the signing and retention bonus in the



1 first month of employment. The remaining percentage must be paid if
2 the corrections officer continues employment with the department
3 for at least 12 months.

4 (2) Expenditure of funds for corrections officer signing and
5 retention bonuses must be agreed to by the office of state employer
6 and the Michigan corrections organization, and approved by the
7 civil service commission.

8 Sec. 804. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Silent Cry must
9 be granted by the department to Silent Cry to establish the
10 Harvesting Hope Healing Trauma pilot project. The pilot project
11 must offer disadvantaged offenders, upon release from prison, a
12 direct solution to assistance with ongoing mental health issues.
13 The goal of the pilot project is to provide mental health care
14 services that equip offenders with necessary skills to ensure
15 growth and attainment of desired outcomes.

16 (2) Silent Cry must report by March 30 on expenditure of
17 funds, program performance measurements, number of participants
18 served, and outcomes of participants that complete the program.

19 Sec. 805. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for universities
20 college in prison program must be used by the department in
21 collaboration with state universities to provide prisoners the
22 opportunity to participate in comprehensive bachelor's degree
23 programs providing participants with undergraduate credits. Funding
24 must be used to provide financial aid support, advising, curricular
25 and program oversight, mentoring and tutoring technology, learning
26 resources and supplies, program coordinators, and student success
27 coaches.

28 (2) Universities receiving funding under this section must
29 report by March 30 on expenditure of funds, program performance



- 1 measurements, number of participants served, and outcomes of
- 2 participants that complete the program.