A-Bill for an Act

Relating to the financial administration of the Department of Consumer and Business Services; and declaring an emergency.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds, collected or received by the Department of Consumer and Business Services.

1. Workers’ Compensation Board ........................................ $ 29,700,797
2. Workers’ Compensation Division..................................... $ 59,178,637
3. Oregon OSHA ....................................................... $ 55,532,432
4. Central Services Division ........ $ 59,744,101
5. Division of Financial Regulation.................................. $167,569,714
6. Building Codes Division ............................... $ 46,044,075

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from federal funds collected or received by the Department of Consumer and Business Services for the following purposes:

1. Oregon OSHA ....................................................... $ 14,556,518
2. Central Services Division ........ $ 360,746
3. Building Codes Division ............................... $ 302,794

Note: For budget, see 2023-2025 Biennial Budget

NOTE: Matter in boldfaced type in an amended section is new; matter [italic and bracketed] is existing law to be omitted.
New sections are in boldfaced type.

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SECTION 3. For the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, the following expenditures by the Department of Consumer and Business Services are not limited:

(1) Expenditures from the Workers' Benefit Fund;
(2) Expenditures from the Self-Insured Employer Adjustment Reserve;
(3) Expenditures from the Self-Insured Employer Group Adjustment Reserve;
(4) Expenditures from the Consumer and Business Services Fund for payment of contracted collection costs, including contracted processing costs for the Combined Payroll Tax Reporting System and workers' compensation paying agent reimbursements as described in ORS 656.307;
(5) Expenditures from the Funeral and Cemetery Consumer Protection Trust Fund; and
(6) Special payments to Oregon Health and Science University for research on occupational illness and disease.

SECTION 4. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect July 1, 2023.