The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act making appropriations for the fiscal year 2016 to provide for supplementing certain existing appropriations and for certain other activities and projects.

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purposes, which are to forthwith make supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2016 and to make certain changes in law, each of which is immediately necessary to carry out those appropriations or to accomplish other important public purposes, therefore, it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. To provide for supplementing certain items in the general appropriation act

- and other appropriation acts for fiscal year 2016, the sums set forth in section 2, inclusive, are
- 3 hereby appropriated from the General Fund unless specifically designated otherwise in this act or
- 4 in those appropriation acts, for the several purposes and subject to the conditions specified in this
- 5 act or in those appropriation acts, and subject to the laws regulating the disbursement of public
- 6 funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016. These sums shall be in addition to any amounts
- 7 previously appropriated and made available for the purposes of those items
- 8 SECTION 2.

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12	EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE
13	Office of the Secretary for Administration and Finance
14	1599-8910 \$10,234,237
15	SECTION 3. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, for the purpose
16	of making available in fiscal year 2017 balances of appropriations which otherwise would revert
17	on June 30, 2016, the unexpended balances of all appropriations in the Massachusetts
18	management accounting and reporting system with a secretariat code of 01 or 17, are hereby re-
19	appropriated for the purposes of and subject to the conditions stated for the corresponding item
20	section 2 of chapter 46 of the acts of 2015 or section 2A of chapter 194 of the acts of 2011. The
21	sums re-appropriated in this section shall be in addition to any amounts available for said
22	purposes.
23	SECTION 4. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the secretary of
24	health and human services, with the written approval of the secretary of administration and
25	finance, may authorize transfers of surplus among items 4000-0320, 4000-0430, 4000-0500,
26	4000-0600, 4000-0640, 4000-0700, 4000-0875, 4000-0880, 4000-0885, 4000-0940, 4000-0950,
27	4000-0990, 4000-1400, 4000-1420 and 4000-1425 of chapter 46 of the acts of 2015, as amended,
28	for the purpose of reducing any deficiency in these items, but any such transfer shall be made not
29	later than September 1, 2016.