

SECTION 4 - CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONS

765	LUMP SUM		
	RESERVE - STATE ATTORNEYS WITH REASSIGNED		
	DEATH PENALTY CASES		
		POSITIONS	10.50
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND		599,860

Funds and positions in Specific Appropriation 765 are provided for a state attorney to prosecute a capital felony case that has been reassigned to that state attorney's office. A state attorney must submit a budget amendment, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 216, Florida Statutes, to request the allocation of positions and funds from the lump sum appropriation category. A state attorney may continue to use positions and funds allocated from the lump sum appropriation category until such time that the state attorney ceases the prosecution of the reassigned capital felony case. If funds in this specific appropriation are unobligated in the last quarter of the 2023-2024 fiscal year, the State Attorney in the Ninth Judicial Circuit may submit a budget amendment to request the transfer of the remaining appropriation on a nonrecurring basis.

766	SPECIAL CATEGORIES		
	GRANTS AND AIDS - FOSTER CARE CITIZEN		
	REVIEW PANEL		
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND		342,160
	FROM GRANTS AND DONATIONS TRUST		
	FUND		300,000

767	SPECIAL CATEGORIES		
	SEXUAL PREDATOR CIVIL COMMITMENT		
	LITIGATION COSTS		
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND		2,250,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 767 are provided for attorney fees and case-related expenses associated with prosecuting and defending sexual predator civil commitment cases. Case-related expenses are limited to expert witness fees, clinical evaluations, court reporter costs, and foreign language interpreters. The maximum amount to be paid by the Justice Administrative Commission for medical experts for sexual predator civil commitment cases is \$200 per hour and all related travel costs must be apportioned to the associated case.

768	SPECIAL CATEGORIES		
	REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENDITURES RELATED TO		
	CIRCUIT AND COUNTY JURIES REQUIRED BY		
	STATUTE		
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND		11,700,000

769	SPECIAL CATEGORIES		
	LEGAL REPRESENTATION FOR DEPENDENT		
	CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS		
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND		2,115,500
	FROM GRANTS AND DONATIONS TRUST		
	FUND		1,201,500

Funds in Specific Appropriation 769 shall be used by the Justice Administrative Commission to contract with attorneys to represent dependent children with disabilities in, or being considered for placement in, skilled nursing facilities and dependent children with certain special needs as specified in section 39.01305, Florida Statutes. The implementation of registries, as well as the appointment and compensation of private attorneys appointed pursuant to section 39.01305, Florida Statutes, shall be governed by the provisions of sections 27.40 and 27.5304, Florida Statutes. The flat fee amount for compensation shall not exceed \$1,450 per child per year. No other appropriation shall be used to pay attorney fees and related expenses for attorneys representing dependent children with disabilities and appointments under section 39.01305, Florida Statutes.

770	SPECIAL CATEGORIES		
	PAYMENTS FOR QUALIFIED TRANSPORTATION		
	BENEFITS PROGRAM		
	FROM GRANTS AND DONATIONS TRUST		
	FUND		703,136