

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1127

BY FINANCE COMMITTEE

AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONEYS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018; PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE INTENT FOR THE MORTGAGE RECOVERY FUND; AND LIMITING THE NUMBER OF AUTHORIZED FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT POSITIONS.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Finance, the following amounts to be expended for the designated expense classes, from the listed funds for the period July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018:

	FOR PERSONNEL COSTS	FOR OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FOR CAPITAL OUTLAY	TOTAL
FROM:				
State Regulatory Fund	\$6,481,400	\$1,691,900	\$82,000	\$8,255,300
Mortgage Recovery Fund		50,000		50,000
Securities Investor Training Fund	<u>50,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>50,000</u>
TOTAL	\$6,531,400	\$1,741,900	\$82,000	\$8,355,300

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. The Department of Finance is hereby granted continuous appropriation authority for reimbursement of persons to whom an Idaho court awards actual damages resulting from acts constituting violations of the Idaho Residential Mortgage Practices Act by a mortgage broker, mortgage lender or mortgage loan originator who was licensed or required to be licensed according to Section 26-31-109, Idaho Code.

SECTION 3. FTP AUTHORIZATION. In accordance with Section 67-3519, Idaho Code, the Department of Finance is authorized no more than sixty-six (66) full-time equivalent positions at any point during the period July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018, unless specifically authorized by the Governor. The Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee will be notified promptly of any increased positions so authorized.