

1 AN ACT amending the 2022-2024 State/Executive Branch biennial budget, making
2 an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.

3 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

4 ➔Section 1. 2022 Kentucky Acts Chapter 199, Part I, Operating Budget, A.
5 General Government, 6. Military Affairs, (2) Disaster or Emergency Aid Funds, at page
6 1637, is amended to read as follows:

7 (2) **Disaster or Emergency Aid Funds:** There is appropriated from the General
8 Fund up to \$50,000,000 in fiscal year 2023-2024~~[the necessary funds]~~, subject to the
9 conditions and procedures in this Act, which are the funds required to match federal aid
10 for which the state would be eligible in the event of a presidentially declared disaster or
11 emergency. These necessary funds shall be made available from the General Fund
12 Surplus Account (KRS 48.700) or the Budget Reserve Trust Fund Account (KRS
13 48.705).

14 ➔Section 2. 2022 Kentucky Acts Chapter 199, Part I, Operating Budget, H.
15 Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, 5. Corrections, b. Adult Correctional Institutions, (3)
16 Operational Costs for Inmate Population, at page 1686, is amended to read as follows:

17 (3) **Operational Costs for Inmate Population:** In the event that actual
18 operational costs exceed the amounts appropriated to support the budgeted average daily
19 population of state felons for each fiscal year, up to \$1,000,000 in fiscal year 2023-
20 2024~~[the additional payments]~~ shall be deemed necessary government expenses and shall
21 be paid from the General Fund Surplus Account (KRS 48.700) or the Budget Reserve
22 Trust Fund Account (KRS 48.705), subject to notification as to necessity and amount by
23 the State Budget Director who shall report any certified expenditure to the Interim Joint
24 Committee on Appropriations and Revenue.

25 ➔Section 3. Whereas the provisions of this Act provide ongoing support for
26 programs funded in the 2022-2024 State/Executive Branch biennial budget, an
27 emergency is declared to exist, and this Act takes effect upon its passage and approval by

1 the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.