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Senate Bill 289 (as introduced 3-24-21)

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Management and Budget Act to do the following:

- -- Specify that Federal funds that must be used for election-related purposes would have to be spent upon appropriations in a budget act, if receiving or spending the funds were dependent upon satisfying certain conditions placed by the Federal government.
- -- Require Federal funds that were not appropriated in a budget act within 90 days after the State or State agency received the funds to be returned to the Federal government.

If the State or a State agency received or was eligible to receive Federal funds that would have to be used for election-related purposes, and the Federal funds could be received or expended only after satisfying certain conditions placed by the Federal government, the funds could not be expended upon appropriations in a budget act. If the Federal funds were not appropriated in a budget act within 90 days after the State or State agency received the funds, the funds would have to be returned to the Federal government.

MCL 18.1453 Legislative Analyst: Dana Adams

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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