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A	SOS SECRETARY OF STATE			
B	Dedicated Purpose Fund Group			
C	5FG0 050620	BOE Reimbursement and Education	\$0	\$15,000,000
D	TOTAL Dedicated Purpose Fund Group		\$0	\$15,000,000
E	TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS		\$0	\$15,000,000

BOE REIMBURSEMENT AND EDUCATION

Upon completion of the May 6, 2025, primary and special election, or as soon as possible thereafter, county boards of elections shall certify to the Secretary of State the expenses they incur for conducting the election that are eligible for reimbursement under section 3501.17 of the Revised Code.

The foregoing appropriation item 050620, BOE Reimbursement and Education, shall be used by the Secretary of State to reimburse county boards of elections for all eligible expenses they incur for conducting the May 6, 2025, primary and special election.

Notwithstanding section 127.19 of the Revised Code, on the effective date of this section, or as soon as possible thereafter, the Director of Budget and Management shall transfer \$15,000,000 cash from the Controlling Board Emergency Purposes/Contingencies Fund (Fund 5KM0) to the BOE Reimbursement and Education Fund (Fund 5FG0).

After reimbursing county boards of elections for eligible expenses incurred in conducting the May 6, 2025, primary and special election, but not later than September 1, 2025, the Secretary of State shall certify the unexpended, unencumbered portion of this appropriation to the Director of Budget and Management. Upon receiving this certification, the Director of Budget and Management shall transfer cash equal to the certified amount from the BOE Reimbursement and Education Fund (Fund 5FG0) to the Controlling Board Emergency Purposes/Contingencies Fund (Fund 5KM0).

The above boxed and initialed text was disapproved.

SECTION 5.

Date: JANUARY 2, 2025

Mike DeWine

Mike DeWine, Governor