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FY 2003-04 Senate-Passed Gross Appropriations		\$103,097,500
House Changes to Senate-Passed:		
1.	Challenge Program. The House concurred with the Governor's recommendation and removed the \$1,340,700 GF/GP added by the Senate and replaced it with the same amount of private donation funds.	0
2.	Phone Cards for Reservists. The House added GF/GP funds to provide for the distribution of prepaid phone cards by the State Family Program Office to Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and Coast Guard Reservists deployed overseas on active duty.	10,000
3.	Phone Cards for National Guard Members. The House added GF/GP funds to provide for the distribution of prepaid phone cards by the State Family Program Office to National Guard members deployed overseas on active duty.	10,000
4.	Items-of-Difference. The House decreased line items by \$100 each to create items-of-difference.	(2,500)
Total Changes		\$17,500
FY 2003-04 House-Passed Gross Appropriation		\$103,115,000

Changes from FY 2003-04 Senate-Passed:

- 1. **State Military Cemeteries.** The House deleted this section which would appropriate funds for State military cemeteries in Crawford and Dickinson counties if necessary legislation and funding becomes available. (Sec. 214)
- 2. **Education Assistance Program for Guard members.** The House amended this section by lowering the maximum which could be spent on the program from \$2.0 million to \$1.3 million. (Sec. 212)
- 3. **Challenge Program.** The House deleted a subsection which requires efforts to find private funds to replace GF/GP funds for the program. (Sec. 302)
- 4. **Reservists Phone Cards.** The House added a section which provides that \$10,000 from the headquarters and armories unit shall be used to distribute phone cards by the State Family Program Office to Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and Coast Guard Reservists deployed overseas on active duty. (Sec. 303)
- 5. **National Guard Members Phone Cards.** The House added a section which provides that \$10,000 from the headquarters and armories unit shall be used to distribute phone cards by the State Family Program Office to National Guard members deployed overseas on active duty. (Sec. 303a)

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