FIRST CONFERENCE REPORT

The Committee of Conference on the matters of difference between the two Houses concerning

Senate Bill No. 188, entitled

A bill to make appropriations for the department of natural resources for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

Recommends:

First: That the House recede from the Substitute of the House as passed by the House.

Second: That the Senate and House agree to the Substitute of the Senate as passed by the Senate, amended to read as follows:

(attached)

Third: That the Senate and House agree to the title of the bill to read as follows:

A bill to make appropriations for the department of natural resources for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

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SUBSTITUTE FOR

SENATE BILL NO. 188

A bill to make appropriations for the department of natural resources for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1	PART 1
2	LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS
3	Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the department of natural
4	resources for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, from the
5	following funds:
6	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
7	APPROPRIATION SUMMARY
8	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0
9	Full-time equated classified positions 2,134.3

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 342,988,900
2	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
3	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
4	transfers	1,412,300
5	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 341,576,600
6	Federal revenues:	
7	Total federal revenues	67,127,300
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Total private revenues	7,237,200
10	Total other state restricted revenues	241,925,500
11	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 25,286,600
12	State general fund/general purpose schedule:	
13	Ongoing state general fund/general	
14	purpose 24,686,600	
15	One-time state general fund/general	
16	purpose 600,000	
17	FUND SOURCE SUMMARY:	
18	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
19	Full-time equated classified positions 2,134.3	
20	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 342,988,900
21	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
22	IDG, land acquisition services to work orders	225,000
23	IDG, MacMullan conference center revenue	1,187,300
24	Total interdepartmental grants and intradepartmental	
25	transfers	1,412,300
26	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 341,576,600
27	Federal revenues:	

1	Federal funds	67,127,300
2	Total federal revenues	67,127,300
3	Special revenue funds:	
4	Private - Mann house trust fund	15,000
5	Private funds	7,222,200
6	Total private revenues	7,237,200
7	Aircraft fees	306,400
8	Cervidae licensing and inspection fees	134,200
9	Clean Michigan initiative fund	28,500
10	Commercial forest fund	26,200
11	Forest development fund	31,020,000
12	Forest land user charges	325,100
13	Forest recreation account	2,168,900
14	Game and fish protection fund	71,410,500
15	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve.	2,175,200
16	Game and fish protection fund - fisheries settlement.	938,000
17	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees	1,067,000
18	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees	95,200
19	Game and fish protection fund - wildlife resource	
20	protection fund	1,119,200
21	Game and fish protection fund - youth hunting and	
22	fishing education and outreach fund	30,800
23	History fees fund	225,000
24	Land exchange facilitation fund	5,981,300
25	Local public recreation facilities fund	859,500
26	Mackinac Island state park fund	1,810,200
27	Mackinac Island state park operation fund	190,000

1	Marine safety fund	3,509,500
2	Michigan heritage publications fund	53,100
3	Michigan natural resources trust fund	1,233,600
4	Michigan state parks endowment fund	26,880,400
5	Michigan state waterways fund	20,776,700
6	Michigan trailways fund	15,000
7	Museum operations fund	579,700
8	Nongame wildlife fund	520,100
9	Off-road vehicle safety education fund	199,600
10	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	5,942,400
11	Park improvement fund	43,738,100
12	Permanent snowmobile trail easement fund	700,000
13	Public use and replacement deed fees	30,000
14	Recreation improvement account	1,020,200
15	Recreation passport fees	6,285,100
16	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	1,464,900
17	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	9,035,200
18	Sportsmen against hunger fund	30,700
19	Total other state restricted revenues	241,925,500
20	State general fund/general purpose \$	25,286,600
21	Sec. 102. EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS	
22	Full-time equated unclassified positions 6.0	
23	Full-time equated classified positions 11.6	
24	Natural resources commission\$	77,100
25	Unclassified salaries6.0 FTE positions	707,000
26	Executive direction11.6 FTE positions	2,109,000
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION \$	2,893,100

1	Appropriated from:		
2	Special revenue funds:		
3	Forest development fund		341,100
4	Forest land user charges		4,900
5	Forest recreation account		18,000
6	Game and fish protection fund		1,234,600
7	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve.		26,200
8	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees		14,200
9	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees		400
10	Game and fish protection fund - wildlife resource		
11	protection fund		15,200
12	Land exchange facilitation fund		18,700
13	Marine safety fund		27,900
14	Michigan natural resources trust fund		1,400
15	Michigan state parks endowment fund		209,400
16	Michigan state waterways fund		168,000
17	Nongame wildlife fund		5,400
18	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund		67,500
19	Park improvement fund		432,300
20	Recreation improvement account		3,400
21	Snowmobile registration fee revenue		12,400
22	Snowmobile trail improvement fund		20,400
23	Sportsmen against hunger fund		100
24	State general fund/general purpose	\$	271,600
25	Sec. 103. DEPARTMENT INITIATIVES		
26	Great Lakes restoration initiative	\$	5,500,000
27	Summer youth initiative	_	2,500,000

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 8,000,000
2	Appropriated from:	
3	Federal revenues:	
4	Federal funds	5,500,000
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 2,500,000
7	Sec. 104. DEPARTMENT SUPPORT SERVICES	
8	Full-time equated classified positions 105.5	
9	Finance and operations101.5 FTE positions	\$ 16,573,900
10	Accounting service center	1,423,300
11	Legal services4.0 FTE positions	571,100
12	Building occupancy charges	3,105,300
13	Rent - privately owned property	488,400
14	Gifts and pass-through transactions	 5,000,000
15	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 27,162,000
16	Appropriated from:	
17	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
18	IDG, land acquisition services to work orders	225,000
19	Federal revenues:	
20	Federal funds	228,200
21	Special revenue funds:	
22	Private funds	5,000,000
23	Clean Michigan initiative fund	28,500
24	Forest development fund	2,235,000
25	Forest land user charges	11,400
26	Forest recreation account	61,800
27	Game and fish protection fund	6,414,500

1	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve.	194,900
2	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees	118,400
3	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees	3,300
4	Game and fish protection fund - wildlife resource	
5	protection fund	34,400
6	Land exchange facilitation fund	5,839,900
7	Local public recreation facilities fund	88,200
8	Marine safety fund	362,500
9	Michigan natural resources trust fund	1,210,400
10	Michigan state parks endowment fund	585,400
11	Michigan state waterways fund	497,800
12	Nongame wildlife fund	18,700
13	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	72,300
14	Park improvement fund	1,181,400
15	Public use and replacement deed fees	30,000
16	Recreation improvement account	16,800
17	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	71,300
18	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	135,700
19	Sportsmen against hunger fund	400
20	State general fund/general purpose\$	2,495,800
21	Sec. 105. COMMUNICATION AND CUSTOMER SERVICES	
22	Full-time equated classified positions 132.3	
23	Marketing and outreach82.3 FTE positions\$	13,979,900
24	Michigan historical center35.0 FTE positions	3,667,700
25	Archives8.0 FTE positions	857,200
26	Museum stores6.0 FTE positions	579,700
27	Special programs (Mann house) 1.0 FTE positions	25,500

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 19,110,000
2	Appropriated from:	
3	Federal revenues:	
4	Federal funds	2,055,700
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	Private - Mann house trust fund	15,000
7	Private funds	383,200
8	Forest development fund	128,200
9	Forest recreation account	15,900
10	Game and fish protection fund	8,574,900
11	Game and fish protection fund - youth hunting and	
12	fishing education and outreach fund	30,200
13	History fees fund	225,000
14	Land exchange facilitation fund	44,600
15	Marine safety fund	34,500
16	Michigan heritage publications fund	53,100
17	Michigan state parks endowment fund	86,400
18	Michigan state waterways fund	142,600
19	Museum operations fund	579,700
20	Nongame wildlife fund	10,400
21	Off-road vehicle safety education fund	56,600
22	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	30,000
23	Park improvement fund	2,520,200
24	Recreation passport fees	23,000
25	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	61,300
26	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	43,900
27	Sportsmen against hunger fund	29,600

1	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 3,966,000
2	Sec. 106. WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT	
3	Full-time equated classified positions 222.5	
4	Wildlife management210.5 FTE positions	\$ 30,615,500
5	Natural resources heritage9.0 FTE positions	986,000
6	State game and wildlife area maintenance3.0 FTE	
7	positions	 757,600
8	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 32,359,100
9	Appropriated from:	
10	Federal revenues:	
11	Federal funds	16,161,700
12	Special revenue funds:	
13	Private funds	183,100
14	Cervidae licensing and inspection fees	82,700
15	Forest development fund	75,200
16	Game and fish protection fund	10,892,600
17	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve.	1,803,700
18	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees	868,600
19	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees	87,800
20	Nongame wildlife fund	447,800
21	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 1,755,900
22	Sec. 107. FISHERIES MANAGEMENT	
23	Full-time equated classified positions 219.0	
24	Aquatic resource mitigation2.0 FTE positions	\$ 938,000
25	Fish production62.0 FTE positions	9,161,400
26	Fisheries resource management155.0 FTE positions	20,033,600
27	Cormorant population mitigation program	 100,000

1	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 30,233,000
2	Appropriated from:	
3	Federal revenues:	
4	Federal funds	11,262,200
5	Special revenue funds:	
6	Private funds	131,200
7	Game and fish protection fund	17,701,600
8	Game and fish protection fund - fisheries settlement.	938,000
9	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 200,000
10	Sec. 108. LAW ENFORCEMENT	
11	Full-time equated classified positions 242.0	
12	General law enforcement242.0 FTE positions	\$ 34,387,200
13	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 34,387,200
14	Appropriated from:	
15	Federal revenues:	
16	Federal funds	5,726,700
17	Special revenue funds:	
18	Cervidae licensing and inspection fees	51,500
19	Forest development fund	43,700
20	Forest recreation account	70,000
21	Game and fish protection fund	17,718,600
22	Game and fish protection fund - wildlife resource	
23	protection fund	1,015,700
24	Marine safety fund	1,538,000
25	Michigan state parks endowment fund	68,600
26	Michigan state waterways fund	20,700
27	Off-road vehicle safety education fund	93,800

1	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	1,597,000
2	Park improvement fund	70,000
3	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	766,400
4	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 5,606,500
5	Sec. 109. PARKS AND RECREATION DIVISION	
6	Full-time equated classified positions 887.9	
7	MacMullan conference center15.0 FTE positions	\$ 1,187,300
8	Recreational boating163.5 FTE positions	16,774,300
9	State parks661.4 FTE positions	58,883,100
10	Forest recreation48.0 FTE positions	5,613,100
11	State parks improvement revenue bonds - debt service.	1,157,000
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 83,614,800
13	Appropriated from:	
14	Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
15	IDG, MacMullan conference center revenue	1,187,300
16	Federal revenues:	
17	Federal funds	3,188,100
18	Special revenue funds:	
19	Private funds	411,900
20	Forest recreation account	1,933,800
21	Michigan state parks endowment fund	19,041,400
22	Michigan state waterways fund	14,183,800
23	Michigan trailways fund	14,900
24	Off-road vehicle safety education fund	7,100
25	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	1,383,300
26	Park improvement fund	38,286,900
27	Recreation improvement account	322,800

1	Recreation passport fees		262,100
2	Snowmobile registration fee revenue		15,200
3	Snowmobile trail improvement fund		1,405,800
4	State general fund/general purpose	\$	1,970,400
5	Sec. 110. MACKINAC ISLAND STATE PARK COMMISSION		
6	Full-time equated classified positions 15.0		
7	Historical facilities system13.0 FTE positions	\$	1,810,200
8	Mackinac Island state park operations2.0 FTE		
9	positions	_	190,000
10	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	2,000,200
11	Appropriated from:		
12	Special revenue funds:		
13	Mackinac Island state park fund		1,810,200
14	Mackinac Island state park operation fund		190,000
15	State general fund/general purpose	\$	0
16	Sec. 111. FOREST RESOURCES DIVISION		
17	Full-time equated classified positions 298.5		
18	Adopt-a-forest program	\$	25,000
19	Cooperative resource programs11.0 FTE positions		1,296,500
20	Forest management and timber market		
21	development148.0 FTE positions		22,298,400
22	Forest fire equipment		81,500
23	Wildfire protection108.0 FTE positions		13,012,000
24	Forest management initiatives8.5 FTE positions		813,900
25	Minerals management23.0 FTE positions	_	3,027,700
26	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	40,555,000
27	Appropriated from:		

1	Federal revenues:	
2	Federal funds	3,033,400
3	Special revenue funds:	
4	Private funds	1,012,800
5	Aircraft fees	306,400
6	Commercial forest fund	23,700
7	Forest development fund	26,742,900
8	Forest land user charges	270,800
9	Game and fish protection fund	2,150,800
10	Michigan state parks endowment fund	2,552,400
11	Michigan state waterways fund	48,800
12	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 4,413,000
13	Sec. 112. GRANTS	
14	Dam management grant program	\$ 350,000
15	Deer habitat improvement partnership initiative	50,000
16	Federal - clean vessel act grants	400,000
17	Federal - forest stewardship grants	3,125,000
18	Federal - land and water conservation fund payments	2,566,900
19	Federal - rural community fire protection	300,000
20	Federal - urban forestry grants	3,024,000
21	Fisheries habitat improvement grants	1,255,600
22	Grants to communities - federal oil, gas, and timber	
23	payments	3,450,000
24	Grants to counties-marine safety	3,124,700
25	National recreational trails	3,900,000
26	Off-road vehicle safety training grants	29,200
27	Off-road vehicle trail improvement grants	2,776,400

1	Recreation improvement fund grants		657,100
2	Recreation passport local grants		771,300
3	Snowmobile law enforcement grants		495,100
4	Snowmobile local grants program		7,340,400
5	Trail easements		700,000
6	Wildlife habitat improvement grants		941,700
7	Wildlife habitat improvement grants in state forests.	_	313,900
8	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	35,571,300
9	Appropriated from:		
10	Federal revenues:		
11	Federal funds		18,333,300
12	Special revenue funds:		
13	Private funds		100,000
14	Game and fish protection fund		2,511,200
15	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve.		50,000
16	Local public recreation facilities fund		771,300
17	Marine safety fund		1,457,300
18	Off-road vehicle safety education fund		29,200
19	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund		2,776,400
20	Permanent snowmobile trail easement fund		700,000
21	Recreation improvement account		657,100
22	Snowmobile registration fee revenue		495,100
23	Snowmobile trail improvement fund		7,340,400
24	State general fund/general purpose	\$	350,000
25	Sec. 113. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY		
26	Information technology services and projects	\$_	10,087,600
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	10,087,600

1	Appropriated from:	
2	Special revenue funds:	
3	Commercial forest fund	2,500
4	Forest development fund	1,453,900
5	Forest land user charges	38,000
6	Forest recreation account	69,400
7	Game and fish protection fund	4,211,700
8	Game and fish protection fund - deer habitat reserve.	100,400
9	Game and fish protection fund - turkey permit fees	65,800
10	Game and fish protection fund - waterfowl fees	3,700
11	Game and fish protection fund - wildlife resource	
12	protection fund	53,900
13	Game and fish protection fund - youth hunting and	
14	fishing education and outreach fund	600
15	Land exchange facilitation fund	78,100
16	Marine safety fund	89,300
17	Michigan natural resources trust fund	21,800
18	Michigan state parks endowment fund	836,800
19	Michigan state waterways fund	437,400
20	Michigan trailways fund	100
21	Nongame wildlife fund	37,800
22	Off-road vehicle safety education fund	12,900
23	Off-road vehicle trail improvement fund	15,900
24	Park improvement fund	1,247,300
25	Recreation improvement account	20,100
26	Snowmobile registration fee revenue	43,200
27	Snowmobile trail improvement fund	89,000

1	Sportsmen against hunger fund	600
2	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 1,157,400
3	Sec. 114. CAPITAL OUTLAY	
4	(1) STATE PARK AND FOREST AREA IMPROVEMENTS	
5	State parks repair and maintenance	\$ 9,500,000
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 9,500,000
7	Appropriated from:	
8	Special revenue funds:	
9	Michigan state parks endowment fund	3,500,000
10	Recreation passport fees	6,000,000
11	State general fund/general purpose	\$ 0
12	(2) WATERWAYS BOATING PROGRAM	
13	Infrastructure improvements - local projects	\$ 737,000
14	State infrastructure improvement and land acquisition	2,540,900
15	Presque Isle, Marquette County, removal and	
16	reconstruction of boat launch, phase I (total	
17	authorized cost is \$402,400; state share is	
18	\$201,200; local share is \$201,200)	201,200
19	Munising, Alger County, east breakwall extension,	
20	phase I (total authorized cost is \$874,800; state	
21	share is \$437,400; local share is \$437,400)	437,400
22	Fayette state park, snail shell harbor, Delta	
23	County, continuation of phase I to expand the	
24	existing broadside dock (total authorized cost is	
25	increased from \$400,000 to \$850,000; federal share	
26	is increased from \$300,000 to \$500,000; state share	
27	is increased from \$100,000 to \$350,000)	450,000

1	Selfridge boating access site, Macomb County, phase	
2	II, storm water management improvements, new	
3	entrance and parking lot/traffic flow	
4	reconfigurations (total authorized cost increased	
5	from \$2,000,000 to \$3,300,000; federal share is	
6	increased from \$1,500,000 to \$1,988,000; state	
7	share is increased from \$500,000 to \$1,312,000)	1,300,000
8	South Higgins state park, Roscommon County, new	
9	entrance, launch ramp, maneuver area, and parking	
10	lot/traffic flow configurations (total authorized	
11	cost is increased from \$250,900 to \$1,000,000;	
12	state share is increased from \$250,900 to	
13	\$1,000,000)	749,100
14	Manistique, Schoolcraft County, marina improvements,	
15	floating docks, replacement of bin-walls, phase III	
16	(total authorized cost is increased from \$2,660,000	
17	to \$3,660,000; state share is increased from	
18	\$1,330,000 to \$1,830,000; local share is increased	
19	from \$1,330,000 to \$1,830,000)	500,000
20	GROSS APPROPRIATION\$	6,915,600
21	Appropriated from:	
22	Federal revenues:	
23	Federal funds	1,638,000
24	Special revenue funds:	
25	Michigan state waterways fund	5,277,600
26	State general fund/general purpose\$	0
27	Sec. 115. ONE-TIME BASIS ONLY APPROPRIATIONS	

1	Conservation officer training	\$	600,000
2	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	600,000
3	Appropriated from:		
4	State general fund/general purpose	\$	600,000
5	PART 2		
6	PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS		
7	FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014		
8	GENERAL SECTIONS		
9	Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of t	the sta	ite
10	constitution of 1963, total state spending from state re	source	s
11	under part 1 for fiscal year 2013-2014 is \$267,212,100.0	00 and	state
12	spending from state resources to be paid to local units	of	
13	government for fiscal year 2013-2014 is \$5,109,400.00. T	he ite	mized
14	statement below identifies appropriations from which spe	ending	to
15	local units of government will occur:		
16	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
17	GRANTS		
18	Dam management grant program	\$	175,000
19	Grants to counties - marine safety		1,457,300
20	Off-road vehicle safety training grants		29,200
21	Off-road vehicle trail improvement grants		240,200
22	Recreation improvement fund grants		65,700
23	Recreation passport local grants		771,300
24	Snowmobile law enforcement grants		495,100
25	CAPITAL OUTLAY		

1	Waterways boating program\$ 1,875,600
2	TOTAL\$ 5,109,400
3	Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this act are
4	subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101
5	to 18.1594.
6	Sec. 203. As used in this act:
7	(a) "Commission" means the natural resources commission.
8	(b) "Department" means the department of natural resources.
9	(c) "FTE" means full-time equated.
10	(d) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.
11	(e) "IDT" means intradepartmental transfer.
12	Sec. 205. Unless otherwise specified, the department shall use
13	the Internet to fulfill the reporting requirements of this act.
14	This requirement may include transmission of reports via electronic
15	mail to the recipients identified for each reporting requirement,
16	or it may include placement of reports on an Internet or Intranet
17	site.
18	Sec. 206. Appropriations of state restricted game and fish
19	protection funds have been made in the following amounts to the
20	following departments and agencies in their respective
21	appropriation acts:
22	Legislative auditor general\$ 29,300
23	Attorney general
24	Department of treasury
25	Sec. 207. Pursuant to section 43703(3) of the natural
26	resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL
27	324.43703, there is appropriated from the game and fish protection

- 1 trust fund to the game and fish protection account of the Michigan
- 2 conservation and recreation legacy fund, \$6,000,000.00 for the
- 3 fiscal year ending September 30, 2014.
- 4 Sec. 210. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used for
- 5 the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if
- 6 competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or
- 7 services, or both, are available. Preference shall be given to
- 8 goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 9 businesses if they are competitively priced and of comparable
- 10 quality. In addition, preference should be given to goods or
- 11 services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan
- 12 businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are
- 13 competitively priced and of comparable quality.
- 14 Sec. 211. The director of the department shall take all
- 15 reasonable steps to ensure businesses in deprived and depressed
- 16 communities compete for and perform contracts to provide services
- 17 or supplies, or both. The director shall strongly encourage firms
- 18 with which the department contracts to subcontract with certified
- 19 businesses in depressed and deprived communities for services,
- 20 supplies, or both.
- Sec. 212. The department shall not take disciplinary action
- against an employee for communicating with a member of the
- 23 legislature or his or her staff.
- Sec. 214. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by a
- 25 principal executive department, state agency, or authority to hire
- 26 a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of
- 27 the attorney general. This prohibition does not apply to legal

- 1 services for bonding activities and for those outside services that
- 2 the attorney general authorizes.
- 3 Sec. 215. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 4 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$3,000,000.00 for
- 5 federal contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 6 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- 7 in this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
- 8 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 9 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$10,000,000.00 for state
- 11 restricted contingency funds. These funds are not available for
- 12 expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item
- in this act under section 393(2) of the management and budget act,
- 14 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.
- 15 (3) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- appropriated an amount not to exceed \$100,000.00 for local
- 17 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 18 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 19 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- **20** MCL 18.1393.
- 21 (4) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
- 22 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000.00 for private
- 23 contingency funds. These funds are not available for expenditure
- 24 until they have been transferred to another line item in this act
- 25 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431,
- **26** MCL 18.1393.
- 27 Sec. 217. The department and agencies receiving appropriations

- 1 in part 1 shall receive and retain copies of all reports funded
- 2 from appropriations in part 1. Federal and state guidelines for
- 3 short-term and long-term retention of records shall be followed.
- 4 The department may electronically retain copies of reports unless
- 5 otherwise required by federal and state guidelines.
- 6 Sec. 218. The departments and agencies receiving
- 7 appropriations in part 1 shall prepare a report on out-of-state
- 8 travel expenses not later than January 1 of each year. The travel
- 9 report shall be a listing of all travel by classified and
- 10 unclassified employees outside this state in the immediately
- 11 preceding fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with
- 12 funds appropriated in the department's budget. The report shall be
- 13 submitted to the senate and house appropriations committees, the
- 14 house and senate fiscal agencies, and the state budget director.
- 15 The report shall include the following information:
- 16 (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.
- 17 (b) The total transportation and related costs of each travel
- 18 occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general
- 19 fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state
- 20 restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues,
- 21 and the proportion funded with other revenues.
- 22 Sec. 220. Not later than November 30, the state budget office
- 23 shall prepare and transmit a report that provides for estimates of
- 24 the total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the
- 25 close of the fiscal year. This report shall summarize the projected
- 26 year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses by major
- 27 departmental program or program areas. The report shall be

- 1 transmitted to the chairpersons of the senate and house
- 2 appropriations committees, and the senate and house fiscal
- 3 agencies.
- 4 Sec. 222. Within 14 days after the release of the executive
- 5 budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate with the
- 6 state budget office to provide the senate and house appropriations
- 7 chairs, the senate and house appropriations subcommittees chairs,
- 8 and the senate and house fiscal agencies with an annual report on
- 9 estimated state restricted fund balances, state restricted fund
- 10 projected revenues, and state restricted fund expenditures for the
- 11 fiscal years ending September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2014.
- 12 Sec. 223. Before January 31, 2014, the department, in
- 13 cooperation with the Michigan state waterways commission, shall
- 14 provide to the state budget director, the senate and house
- 15 appropriations subcommittees on natural resources, and the senate
- 16 and house fiscal agencies a list of projects completed by the
- 17 commission in fiscal year 2012-2013, including the county and
- 18 municipality in which each project is located.
- 19 Sec. 233. On a quarterly basis, the department shall report on
- 20 the number of FTEs in pay status by civil service classification to
- 21 the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on natural
- 22 resources and environment and the senate and house fiscal agencies.
- 23 Sec. 234. The department shall cooperate with the department
- 24 of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable
- 25 website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is
- 26 not limited to, all of the following:
- (a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.

- 1 (b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.
- 2 (c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor,
- 3 including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and
- 4 payment description.
- 5 (d) The number of active department employees by job
- 6 classification.
- 7 (e) Job specifications and wage rates.
- 8 Sec. 235. The department shall maintain, on a publicly
- 9 accessible website, a department scorecard that identifies, tracks,
- 10 and regularly updates key metrics that are used to monitor and
- improve the agency's performance.
- 12 Sec. 236. No state department or agency shall issue a request
- 13 for proposal (RFP) for a contract in excess of \$5,000,000.00,
- 14 unless the department or agency has first considered issuing a
- 15 request for information (RFI) or a request for qualification (RFQ)
- 16 relative to that contract to better enable the department or agency
- 17 to learn more about the market for the products or services that
- 18 are the subject of the future RFP. The department or agency shall
- 19 notify the department of technology, management, and budget of the
- 20 evaluation process used to determine if an RFI or RFQ was not
- 21 necessary prior to issuing the RFP.

22 DEPARTMENT SUPPORT SERVICES

- Sec. 302. The department may charge land acquisition projects
- 24 appropriated for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, and for
- 25 prior fiscal years, a standard percentage fee to recover actual
- 26 costs, and may use the revenue derived to support the land

- 1 acquisition service charges provided for in part 1.
- 2 Sec. 303. As appropriated in part 1, the department may charge
- 3 both application fees and transaction fees related to the exchange
- 4 or sale of state-owned land or rights in land authorized by part 21
- 5 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA
- 6 451, MCL 324.2101 to 324.2162. The fees shall be set by the
- 7 director of the department at a rate which allows the department to
- 8 recover its costs for providing these services.

9 COMMUNICATION AND CUSTOMER SERVICES

- 10 Sec. 404. For the purposes of administering the museum store
- 11 as provided in section 7a of 1913 PA 271, MCL 399.7a, the
- 12 department is exempt from section 261 of the management and budget
- 13 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1261.
- 14 Sec. 405. As appropriated in part 1, proceeds in excess of
- 15 costs incurred in the conduct of auctions, sales, or transfers of
- 16 artifacts no longer considered suitable for the collections of the
- 17 state historical museum may be expended upon receipt for additional
- 18 material for the collection. The department shall notify the
- 19 chairpersons, vice chairpersons, and minority vice chairpersons of
- 20 the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on natural
- 21 resources 1 week prior to any auctions or sales. Any unexpended
- 22 funds may be carried forward into the next succeeding fiscal year.
- Sec. 406. As appropriated in part 1, funds collected by the
- 24 department for historical markers; document reproduction and
- 25 services; conferences, admissions, workshops, and training classes;
- 26 and the use of specialized equipment, facilities, exhibits,

- 1 collections, and software shall be used for expenses necessary to
- 2 provide the required services. The department may charge fees for
- 3 the aforementioned services, including admission fees. Any
- 4 unexpended funds may be carried forward into the next succeeding
- 5 fiscal year.
- 6 Sec. 408. By October 21, 2013, the department shall submit to
- 7 the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on natural
- 8 resources a report on all land transactions approved by the
- 9 commission in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013. For each
- 10 land transaction, the report shall include the size of the parcel,
- 11 the county and municipality in which the parcel is located, the
- 12 dollar amount of the transaction, the fund source affected by the
- 13 transaction, and whether the transaction is by purchase, public
- 14 auction, transfer, exchange, or conveyance.
- Sec. 409. By January 1, 2014, the department shall produce a
- 16 report identifying active oil and gas leases entered into before
- 17 July 1995 which are larger than 160 acres in size and where the
- 18 acreage held in a producing unit is less than or equal to 1/4 of
- 19 the total lease acreage.

20 WILDLIFE DIVISION

- 21 Sec. 503. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 22 department shall produce a report detailing any efforts undertaken
- 23 to enforce the invasive species order on swine raised under the
- 24 husbandry of residents of this state. The report shall include fund
- 25 sources used and the amount of expenditures and shall be submitted
- 26 to the legislature by December 31, 2013.

- 1 Sec. 504. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
- 2 department shall provide a report to the legislature on the use of
- 3 registration fees collected from privately owned cervid operations.
- 4 Appropriations in part 1 from cervidae licensing and inspection
- 5 fees shall not be used for anything other than work directly
- 6 related to the regulation of privately owned cervids in this state.

FISHERIES DIVISION

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- 8 Sec. 601. (1) From the appropriation in part 1 for aquatic
- 9 resource mitigation, not more than \$758,000.00 shall be allocated
- 10 for grants to watershed councils, resource development councils,
- 11 soil conservation districts, local governmental units, and other
- 12 nonprofit organizations for stream habitat stabilization and soil
- 13 erosion control.
- 14 (2) The fisheries division in the department shall develop
- 15 priority and cost estimates for all projects recommended for grants
- 16 under subsection (1).
- 17 Sec. 602. As a condition of expenditure of fisheries
- 18 management appropriations under part 1, the department of natural
- 19 resources shall not impede the certification process for water
- 20 control structures on Michigan waterways. The department of natural
- 21 resources shall fund from funds appropriated in part 1 all non-
- 22 water-quality studies or requirements that the department requests
- 23 of either of the following:
- (a) The department of environmental quality as a condition for
- 25 issuance of a certification under section 401 of the federal water
- 26 pollution control act, 33 USC 1341.

- 1 (b) The federal energy regulatory commission as a condition of
- 2 licensing under the federal power act, 16 USC 791a to 825r.
- 3 Sec. 603. The department shall provide a quarterly report to
- 4 the legislature on use of funding provided for cormorant
- 5 management. The department shall use general fund/general purpose
- 6 revenue for this purpose and submit revenue appropriated in this
- 7 act for cormorant management to the United States department of
- 8 agriculture animal and plant health inspection service to allow for
- 9 increased taking of cormorants and their nests.

PARKS AND RECREATION DIVISION

- 11 Sec. 702. The department shall notify the house and senate
- 12 appropriations subcommittees on natural resources and the house and
- 13 senate fiscal agencies if it intends to reduce operations or reduce
- 14 recreation opportunities in any state park or recreation area.
- Sec. 703. The department shall work with the state
- 16 transportation department, local officials, and local landowners to
- 17 investigate options of routing and flow of traffic on the Soo-Raco
- 18 trail through Brimley.

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19 FOREST RESOURCES DIVISION

- 20 Sec. 802. Of the funds appropriated in part 1, the department
- 21 shall, subject to the forest certification process, prescribe
- 22 treatment on 79,000 acres, prepare appropriate treatment for not
- 23 less than 67,500 acres at the current average rate of 12.5 to 15
- 24 cords per acre, and offer those cords for sale in the 2013-2014
- 25 fiscal year, provided that the department shall take into

- 1 consideration the impact of timber harvesting on wildlife habitat
- 2 and recreation uses. The department shall, subject to the forest
- 3 certification process, increase marking or treatment of hardwood
- 4 timber for sale and harvest by 10% over 2012-2013 fiscal year
- 5 levels. In addition, the department shall take into consideration
- 6 silvicultural analysis and report annually to the legislature on
- 7 plans and efforts to address factors limiting management of timber.
- 8 The department shall increase the number of prepared acres if it
- 9 appears that regional market demand requires increased volumes of
- 10 harvested timber. The department shall provide quarterly reports on
- 11 the number of acres treated, pursuant to this section, to the
- 12 senate and house appropriations subcommittees on natural resources
- 13 and the standing committees of the senate and house of
- 14 representatives with primary responsibility for natural resources
- issues. The department shall complete and deliver these reports no
- 16 later than 45 days after the end of the fiscal quarter.
- 17 Sec. 803. In addition to the money appropriated in this act,
- 18 the department may receive and expend money from federal sources
- 19 for the purpose of providing response to wildfires as required by a
- 20 compact with the federal government. If additional expenditure
- 21 authorization is required, the department shall notify the state
- 22 budget office that expenditure under this section is required. The
- 23 department shall notify the house and senate appropriations
- 24 subcommittees on natural resources and the house and senate fiscal
- 25 agencies of the expenditures under this section by November 1,
- 26 2014.
- 27 Sec. 804. The department shall continue to work cooperatively

- 1 with horseback riding interests to maximize riding opportunities in
- 2 the state.
- 3 Sec. 805. The department shall spend amounts appropriated in
- 4 part 1 for forest-related activities to employ or contract for
- 5 sufficient foresters to mark timber, pursuant to section 802.
- 6 Sec. 807. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
- 7 there is appropriated from the disaster and emergency contingency
- 8 fund up to \$800,000.00 to cover costs related to any disaster as
- 9 defined in section 2 of the emergency management act, 1976 PA 390,
- **10** MCL 30.402.
- 11 (2) Funds appropriated under subsection (1) shall not be
- 12 expended unless the state budget director recommends the
- 13 expenditure and the department notifies the house and senate
- 14 committees on appropriations. By December 1 each year, the
- 15 department shall provide a report to the senate and house fiscal
- 16 agencies and the state budget office on the use of the disaster and
- 17 emergency contingency fund during the prior fiscal year.
- 18 (3) If federal emergency management agency (FEMA)
- 19 reimbursement is approved for costs paid from the disaster and
- 20 emergency contingency fund, the federal revenue shall be deposited
- 21 into the disaster and emergency contingency fund.
- 22 (4) Unexpended and unencumbered funds remaining in the
- 23 disaster and emergency contingency fund at the close of the fiscal
- 24 year shall not lapse to the general fund and shall be carried
- 25 forward and be available for expenditures in subsequent fiscal
- 26 years.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

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- 2 Sec. 901. The appropriation in part 1 for snowmobile law
- 3 enforcement grants shall be used by the department to provide
- 4 grants to county law enforcement agencies to enforce part 821 of
- 5 the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA
- 6 451, MCL 324.82101 to 324.82160, including rules promulgated under
- 7 that part and ordinances enacted pursuant to that part. The
- 8 department shall consider the number of enforcement hours and the
- 9 number of miles of snowmobile trails in each county in allocating
- 10 these grants. Any funds not distributed to counties revert back to
- 11 the snowmobile registration fee subaccount created under section
- 12 82111 of the natural resources and environmental protection act,
- 13 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.82111. Counties shall provide semiannual
- 14 reports to the department on the use of grant money received under
- 15 this section.
- 16 Sec. 902. The department shall provide a report on the marine
- 17 safety grant program to the senate and house appropriations
- 18 subcommittees on natural resources and the senate and house fiscal
- 19 agencies by December 1, 2013. The report shall include the
- 20 following information for the preceding year: the total amount of
- 21 revenue received for watercraft registrations, the amount deposited
- 22 into the marine safety fund, and the expenditures made from the
- 23 marine safety fund, including the amounts expended for department
- 24 administration, other state agencies, the law enforcement division,
- 25 and grants to counties. The report shall also include the
- 26 distribution methodology used by the department to distribute the
- 27 marine safety grants and a list of the grants and the amounts

1 awarded by county.

2 GRANTS

- 3 Sec. 1001. Federal pass-through funds to local institutions
- 4 and governments that are received in amounts in addition to those
- 5 included in part 1 for grants to communities federal oil, gas,
- 6 and timber payments and that do not require additional state
- 7 matching funds are appropriated for the purposes intended. By
- 8 November 30, 2013, the department shall report to the senate and
- 9 house appropriations subcommittees on natural resources, the senate
- 10 and house fiscal agencies, and the state budget director on all
- 11 amounts appropriated under this section during the fiscal year
- 12 ending September 30, 2013.
- Sec. 1002. Subject to part 811 of the natural resources and
- 14 environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.81101 to
- 15 324.81150, from the funds appropriated in part 1 for off-road
- 16 vehicle trail improvements grants, not less than \$980,000.00 shall
- 17 be spent on the development of new trails in accordance with the
- 18 off-road vehicle trail expansion plan submitted to the legislature
- 19 pursuant to section 807 of article 14 of 2005 PA 154.

20 CAPITAL OUTLAY

- 21 Sec. 1101. The appropriation made in this act for the harbors
- 22 and docks program is for the purpose of participating with the
- 23 federal government and assisting local units of government, public
- 24 colleges and universities, or other governmental entities in this
- 25 state with the construction and improvement of recreational boating

- 1 facilities within this state. Subject to the approval of the state
- 2 administrative board, this money shall be allocated by the
- 3 department to the federal government, or to the governmental
- 4 entities involved in the particular projects. An allocation shall
- 5 not exceed the state portion as listed with each project
- 6 description. The department shall take the steps necessary to match
- 7 federal money available for the construction and improvement of
- 8 recreational boating facilities within the state, and to meet
- 9 requirements of the federal government.
- 10 Sec. 1102. (1) The director of the department shall allocate
- 11 lump-sum appropriations to the department made in this act
- 12 consistent with statutory provisions and the purposes for which
- 13 funds were appropriated. Lump-sum allocations shall address
- 14 priority program or facility needs and may include, but are not
- 15 limited to, design, construction, remodeling and addition, special
- 16 maintenance, major special maintenance, energy conservation, and
- 17 demolition.
- 18 (2) The state budget director may authorize that funds
- 19 appropriated for lump-sum appropriations shall be available for no
- 20 more than 3 fiscal years following the fiscal year in which the
- 21 original appropriation was made. Any remaining balance from
- 22 allocations made in this section shall lapse to the fund from which
- 23 it was appropriated pursuant to the lapsing of funds as provided in
- 24 the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.
- 25 Sec. 1103. The appropriations in part 1 for capital outlay
- 26 shall be carried forward at the end of the fiscal year consistent
- 27 with the provisions of section 248 of the management and budget

- 1 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1248.
- 2 Sec. 1104. The department shall seek reimbursement from the
- 3 United States army corps of engineers for costs related to the
- 4 emergency dredging of harbors under the jurisdiction of the corps
- 5 of engineers. If the corps of engineers reimburses this state for
- 6 any costs incurred from the appropriation for emergency dredging,
- 7 the federal revenue shall be deposited in the waterways account of
- 8 the Michigan conservation and recreation legacy fund established
- 9 under section 40 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963.
- 10 PART 2A
- 11 PROVISIONS CONCERNING ANTICIPATED APPROPRIATIONS
- 12 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015

13 GENERAL SECTIONS

- Sec. 1201. It is the intent of the legislature to provide
- 15 appropriations for the fiscal year ending on September 30, 2015 for
- 16 the line items listed in part 1. The fiscal year 2014-2015
- 17 appropriations are anticipated to be the same as those for fiscal
- 18 year 2013-2014, except that the line items will be adjusted for
- 19 changes in caseload and related costs, federal fund match rates,
- 20 economic factors, and available revenue. These adjustments will be
- 21 determined after the January 2014 consensus revenue estimating
- 22 conference.
- 23 Sec. 1202. It is the intent of the legislature that the
- 24 department identify the amounts for normal retirement costs and
- 25 legacy retirement costs for the fiscal year ending on September 30,

 $oldsymbol{1}$ 2015 for the line items listed in part 1.