

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1237A**

FINAL READING

Introduced by Hansen, 16.

Read first time March 06, 2026

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend Laws 2025, LB261,  
2 section 15; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the  
3 provisions of Legislative Bill 1237, One Hundred Ninth Legislature,  
4 Second Session, 2026; to provide for a reappropriation of funds; and  
5 to repeal the original section.

6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           **Section 1.** There is hereby appropriated (1) \$-0- from the General  
2 Fund for FY2025-26 and (2) \$871,419 from the General Fund for FY2026-27  
3 to the Nebraska State Patrol, for Program 630, to aid in carrying out the  
4 provisions of Legislative Bill 1237, One Hundred Ninth Legislature,  
5 Second Session, 2026.

6           Total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per  
7 diems from funds appropriated in this section shall not exceed \$-0- for  
8 FY2025-26 or \$415,990 for FY2026-27.

9           **Sec. 2.** There is hereby appropriated (1) \$-0- from the General Fund  
10 for FY2025-26 and (2) \$50,000 from the General Fund for FY2026-27 to the  
11 Department of Administrative Services, for Program 685, to aid in  
12 carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 1237, One Hundred Ninth  
13 Legislature, Second Session, 2026.

14           No expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems  
15 for state employees shall be made from funds appropriated in this  
16 section.

17           **Sec. 3.** Laws 2025, LB261, section 15, is amended to read:

18           Sec. 15. AGENCY NO. 3 – LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

19           Program No. 122 - Legislative Services

	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
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21 GENERAL FUND	12,022,197	12,243,797
22 CASH FUND	95,000	95,000
23 FEDERAL FUND est.	39,270	39,270
24 PROGRAM TOTAL	12,156,467	12,378,067
25 SALARY LIMIT	10,080,000	10,510,430

26           There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26  
27 \$75,000 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$75,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska  
28 Health Care Cash Fund for the purpose of ongoing health-related research  
29 and public policy development by the Health and Human Services Committee  
30 of the Legislature. Such funds may be used for, but shall not be limited  
31 to, hiring temporary legal research assistance, consulting and research

1 contracts, reimbursement for necessary and appropriate expenses incurred  
2 in connection with such research and policy development, and actual and  
3 necessary travel reimbursement for task forces and committees established  
4 to conduct health policy work.

5 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June  
6 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. The unexpended General Fund  
7 appropriation balance existing on June 30, 2026, less \$921,419, is hereby  
8 reappropriated.

9 **Sec. 4.** Original Laws 2025, LB261, section 15, is repealed.