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LEGISLATIVE BILL 1167

Introduced by Dorn, 30.

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Committee: Appropriations

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend Laws 2025, LB261,
- 2 section 246; to state intent regarding appropriations; and to repeal
- 3 the original section.
- 4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 **Section 1.** Laws 2025, LB261, section 246, is amended to read:

2 Sec. 246. AGENCY NO. 72 – DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

3 Program No. 603 - Industrial Recruitment

	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4 GENERAL FUND	15,718,538	15,805,071
5 CASH FUND	33,019,625	7,525,784
6 FEDERAL FUND est.	21,183,754	21,188,298
7 PROGRAM TOTAL	69,921,917	44,519,153
8 SALARY LIMIT	4,603,821	4,733,987

9 The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance for unexpended
10 obligations existing on June 30, 2025, for the Site and Building
11 Development Act, is hereby reappropriated.

12 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
13 \$11,020,352 General Funds, \$31,839,197 Cash Funds, and \$20,737,571
14 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such
15 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
16 FY2026-27 \$11,020,352 General Funds, \$6,339,197 Cash Funds, and
17 \$20,737,571 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be
18 used for such purpose. The department shall use the \$11,020,352 General
19 Funds appropriated for FY2026-27 for state aid to award grants under the
20 Business Innovation Act. It is the intent of the Legislature that of the
21 \$11,020,352 General Funds appropriated for FY2026-27 for state aid,
22 \$3,000,000 shall be used for awarding grants and technical assistance
23 under the Business Innovation Act for the microenterprise assistance
24 program.

25 It is the intent of the Legislature to appropriate an additional
26 \$4,500,000 Cash Funds from the Site and Building Development Fund in
27 FY2027-28 pursuant to subdivision (1)(h) of section 81-12,147.

28 **Sec. 2.** Original Laws 2025, LB261, section 246, is repealed.