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MEMORANDUM

To: Cities, Counties and Towns Receiving State Aid For Law Enforcement Expenditures ("599" Funds)

From: John Colligan, Interim Director

RE: **Reduction For Fiscal Year 2010; Appropriations for Fiscal Years 2011 and 2012**

The purpose of this Memorandum is to provide you with up-to-date information concerning "599" funding in light of actions taken by the General Assembly during its recently concluded session.

First, the legislature approved adjustments to the current-year (FY 2010) budget, including a further reduction of approximately \$2.8 million in the "599" appropriation, to \$180,824,184. The effect of this change will be reflected in the 4th quarter "599" payments to be distributed in late May.

The legislature has also approved a budget for the FY 2011-2012 biennium that includes "599" appropriations of \$178,686,119 for fiscal 2011 and \$160,571,263 for FY 2012. Language accompanying the appropriations specifies that the amounts distributed to each locality are to be proportionate to the FY 2010 amount.

The bills containing these appropriations are now being reviewed by Governor McDonnell.

A spreadsheet showing the revised FY'10 allocations, the amounts of the 4th quarter payments, and the allocations for fiscal years '11 and '12 can be viewed [here](#). Please note that the amounts shown on our spreadsheet are not final until the Governor signs the bills containing these appropriations.

If you have trouble viewing the spreadsheet or have questions, contact Joe Marshall of our staff at 804/786-1577 or joe.marshall@dcjs.virginia.gov. Additionally, we have provided copies of the spreadsheet to the Virginia Municipal League and the Virginia Association of Chiefs of Police.