SENATE BILL NO. 192

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR WALLINGFORD.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

AN ACT

To amend chapter 192, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the senior services growth and development program.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 192, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 192.385, to read as follows:

192.385. 1. There is hereby established in the department of health and senior services the "Senior Services Growth and Development Program" to provide additional funding for senior services provided through the area agencies on aging in this state.

2. Beginning January 1, 2018, and each year thereafter, ten percent of the premium tax collected under sections 148.320 and 148.370, excluding any moneys to be transferred to the state school moneys fund as described in section 148.360, shall be deposited in the fund created in subsection 3 of this section.

3. (1) There is hereby created in the state treasury the "Senior Services Growth and Development Program Fund", which shall consist of moneys collected under this section. The director of the department of revenue shall collect the moneys described in subsection 2 of this section and shall remit such moneys to the state treasurer for deposit in the fund, less one percent for the cost of collection. In accordance with sections 30.170 and 30.180, the state treasurer may approve disbursements. The fund shall be a dedicated fund and moneys in the fund shall be used solely by the department of health and senior services for enhancing senior services provided by area agencies on aging in this state.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080 to the
22 contrary, any moneys remaining in the fund at the end of the biennium
23 shall not revert to the credit of the general revenue fund. This fund is
24 not intended to supplant general revenue provided for senior services.
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26 (3) The state treasurer shall invest moneys in the fund in the
27 same manner as other funds are invested. Any interest and moneys
28 earned on such investments shall be credited to the fund.
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30 4. The department of health and senior services shall disburse
31 the moneys from the fund to the area agencies on aging in accordance
32 with the funding formula used by the department to disburse other
33 federal and state moneys to the area agencies on aging.
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35 5. At least fifty percent of all moneys distributed under this
36 section shall be applied by area agencies on aging to the development
37 and expansion of senior center programs, facilities, and services.
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39 6. All area agencies on aging shall report, either individually or
40 as an association, annually to the department of health and senior
41 services, the department of insurance, financial institutions, and
42 professional registration, and the general assembly on the distribution
43 and use of moneys under this section. The board of directors and the
44 advisory board of each area agency on aging shall be responsible for
45 ensuring the proper use and distribution of such moneys.
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47 7. The department of health and senior services may promulgate
48 rules to implement the provisions of this section. Any rule or portion
49 of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010 that is created under
50 the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it
51 complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536, and,
52 if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are
53 nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly
54 pursuant to chapter 536, to review, to delay the effective date, or to
55 disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional,
56 then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or
57 adopted after August 28, 2017, shall be invalid and void.