

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY BUDGET AMENDMENT FORM  
2024 REGULAR SESSION  
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Amend printed copy of **HB 6/HCS 1**

PART I

OPERATING BUDGET

On page 48, line 3, delete "3,218,853,000" and "3,222,056,400" and insert "3,843,629,900" and "3,767,056,400" in lieu thereof;

On page 54, line 8, delete "\$319,107,600" and insert \$398,884,500" in lieu thereof;

On page 56, after line 3, insert the following:

**"(22) School District Employee Salary Increase:** Notwithstanding KRS 157.420, during fiscal year 2024-2025, local school districts shall provide each eligible employee a salary or compensation increase of 11 percent. The salary increases in fiscal year 2024-2025 for certified staff shall be in addition to the normal rank and step increase attained by certified personnel employed by local school districts.

An eligible employee employed in a public school, shall receive an increase of 11 percent effective with the 2024-2025 school year. An eligible employee is a full-time employee of the district on or before September 15 of each school year.

The salary supplement shall be considered in the calculation for contributions to the Teachers' Retirement System or the County Employees' Retirement System.

A local board of education shall request reimbursement for these purposes from funds appropriated for this purpose. The Department of Education shall develop policies for the

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Rep. Rep. Cherlynn Stevenson

Committee Amendment \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Floor Amendment \_\_\_\_\_

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distribution of the reimbursements and to track the eligible employees and reimbursement requests from districts.

**(23) Minimum Teacher Salary:** Each local board of education shall set the minimum teacher salary at an amount that is 11 percent more than the amount set for the 2023-2024 school year.";

On page 60, line 12, delete "1,382,786,200" and "1,520,437,500" and insert "1,395,213,900" and "1,532,865,200" in lieu thereof;

On page 64, line 7, delete "and";

On page 64, line 9, delete "." and insert "; and" in lieu thereof;

On page 64, after line 9, insert the following:

"(t) \$12,427,700 in each fiscal year for professional learning and development.";

On page 163, line 3, delete "2,029,830,500" and "1,222,727,700" and "38,605,500" and insert "1,523,436,600" and "585,523,100" and "-0-" in lieu thereof; and

Adjust subsequent subtotals and totals accordingly.

**SUMMARY:** Provide sufficient General Fund moneys to fund an increase in SEEK transportation, 11 percent raises for certified and classified staff, and professional learning and development from the appropriation to the Budget Reserve Trust Fund.