PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: 6/10/2003 **Reference No.:** CB-27-2003

Proposer: County Executive **Draft No.:** 1

Sponsors: Shapiro, Dean

Item Title: An Act appropriating to the General Fund revenue in

excess of budget estimates to provide funds for costs that

were not anticipated in the approved Fiscal Year

2002-2003 budget (Board of Education)

Drafter: Bruce Crawford **Resource** Stanley A. Earley, DCAO

OMB **Personnel:** County Executive's Office

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date Presented: 4/22/2003 **Executive Action:** 6/26/2003 S

Committee Referral: 4/22/2003 HEHS Effective Date: 8/11/2003

Committee Action: 5/07/2003 FAV

Date Introduced: 5/13/2003

Public Hearing: 6/10/2003 10:00 A.M.

Council Action: 6/10/2003 ENACTED

Council Votes: PS:A, MB:A, SHD:A, TD:A, CE:A, DCH:A; TH:A, TK:A, DP:A

Pass/Fail: F

Remarks: Retroactive provisions

HEALTH, EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE DATE: 5/07/03

Committee Vote: Favorable, 5-0 (In favor: Council Members Hendershot, Exum, Dean, Harrington, and Shapiro)

Staff gave an overview of the bill's intent. The budget revisions contained in CB-27-2003 recognize additional revenue in the amount of \$4.2 million from the Telecommunication Tax for FY'03. CB-27-2003 authorizes supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$4.2 million to the Board of Education for the Special Education category. The FY'02 Board of Education's budget was approved at \$1,014,178,184, and the Board's actual expenditures was \$1,029,922,895, leaving an over expenditure of \$15.7 million. The \$4.2 million will address a portion of this shortfall.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT

(Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

This bill will appropriate revenue to the General Fund for costs that were not anticipated in the approved Fiscal Year 2002-2003 Budget to provide funding for the Special Education category for the Board of Education in order to support the continuation of essential activities for children in the Prince George's County Public Schools.

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