

ACT NO. 7766

BILL NO. 31-0221

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Regular Session

2015

An Act providing appropriations for operating expenses of the Supreme Court of the Virgin Islands, the Superior Court of the Virgin Islands, the Judicial Council and the Office of the Territorial Public Defender

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. (a) The sum of \$28,586,120 is appropriated from the General Fund in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, to the Superior Court of the Virgin Islands for operating expenses.

(b) The Superior Court may expend in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, any balances from prior year encumbrances for any purposes that the Superior Court determines to be critical fiscal year priorities.

SECTION 2. (a) The sum of \$5,910,661 is appropriated from the General Fund in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, to the Supreme Court of the Virgin Islands for operating expenses.

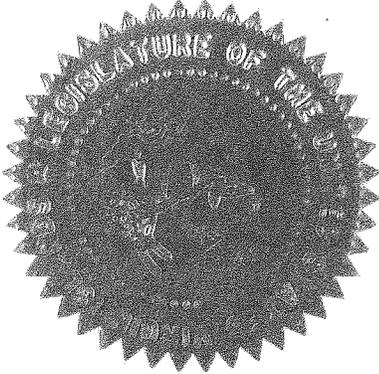
(b) The Supreme Court of the Virgin Islands may expend in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, any balances from prior year encumbrances for any purposes the Supreme Court determines to be critical fiscal year priorities.

SECTION 3. The sum of \$108,161 is appropriated from the General Fund in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, to the Judicial Council of the Virgin Islands for operating expenses.

SECTION 4. The sum of \$4,500,000 is appropriated from the General Fund in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, to the Office of the Territorial Public Defender for operating expenses.

Thus passed by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands on September 23, 2015.

Witness our Hands and Seal of the Legislature of the Virgin Islands this 29th Day of September, A.D., 2015.



Neville James
Neville James
President

Myron D. Jackson
Myron D. Jackson
Legislative Secretary



Bill No. 31-0221 is hereby approved.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Government of the United States Virgin Islands at Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, this 7th day October A.D., 2015.

Kenneth E. Mapp
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Governor