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# VIRGINIA STATE BUDGET

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## Budget Bill - HB1600 (Chapter 781)

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Virginia Commission for the Arts

### Item 243

	First Year - FY2009	Second Year - FY2010
<b>Financial Assistance for Educational, Cultural, Community, and Artistic Affairs (14300)</b>	<b>\$6,497,317</b>	<b>\$6,497,317</b>
Financial Assistance to Cultural Organizations (14302)	\$6,497,317	\$6,497,317
Fund Sources:		
General	\$5,776,642	\$5,776,642
Federal Trust	\$720,675	\$720,675

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Authority: Title 2.2, Chapter 25, Article 4, Code of Virginia.

A. In the allocation of grants to arts organizations, the Commission shall give preference to the performing arts.

B. It is the objective of the Commonwealth to fund the Virginia Commission for the Arts at an amount that equals one dollar for each resident of Virginia.

C. In the allocation of grants to arts organizations, the Commission shall not consider any other general fund amounts which may be appropriated to an arts organization elsewhere in this act, nor shall any funds appropriated elsewhere in this act supplant those grants which may be allocated from this appropriation.