2023 Special Session I

Budget Bill - SB6001 (Introduced)

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Virginia Cannabis Control Authority

Item 397	First Year - FY2023	Second Year - FY2024
Cannabis Regulation and Enforcement (30800)	**$8,200,000**	~~**$11,200,000**~~ ***$5,300,000***
Administrative Services (30801)	$8,200,000	~~$11,200,000~~ *$5,300,000*
Fund Sources:		
General	$8,200,000	~~$11,200,000~~ *$5,300,000*

Authority: §§4.1-601 through 4.1-1503, Code of Virginia.

Out of the amounts appropriated in this item, $8,200,000 the first year and ~~$11,200,000~~ *$5,300,000* the second year from the general fund is provided for the startup and general operations of the Virginia Cannabis Control Authority. ~~Included in these amounts, $3,000,000 the second year from the general fund is provided for low-interest and zero-interest loans to assist applicants and licensees, to be distributed by the Authority consistent with existing law.~~ *The Director, Department of Planning and Budget, is authorized to transfer up to $2,500,000 from any general fund balance originally appropriated in Item 479 U., Chapter 552, 2021 Acts of Assembly, Special Session I to the Cannabis Control Authority to cover one-time costs of a seed-to-sale tracking system.*