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# VIRGINIA STATE BUDGET

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2024 Special Session I

## Budget Bill - HB6001 (Chapter 2)

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Department of Taxation

Item 257	First Year - FY2025	Second Year - FY2026
<b>Planning, Budgeting, and Evaluation Services (71500)</b>	<b>\$6,176,511</b>	<b>\$5,176,511</b>
Tax Policy Research and Analysis (71507)	\$3,899,793	\$2,899,793
Appeals and Rulings (71508)	\$1,415,043	\$1,415,043
Revenue Forecasting (71509)	\$861,675	\$861,675
Fund Sources:		
General	\$6,176,511	\$5,176,511

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Authority: §§ [2.2-1503](#), [15.2-2502](#), [58.1-202](#), [58.1-207](#), [58.1-210](#), [58.1-213](#), [58.1-816](#), and [58.1-3406](#), and Title 10.1, Chapter 14, Code of Virginia.

A. The Department of Taxation shall continue the staffing and responsibility for the revenue forecasting of the Commonwealth Transportation Funds, including the Department of Motor Vehicles Special Fund, as provided in § [2.2-1503](#), Code of Virginia. The Department of Motor Vehicles shall provide the Department of Taxation with direct access to all data records and systems required to perform this function. The Department of Planning and Budget shall effectuate the transfer of three full-time equivalent positions and sufficient funding to ensure the successful consolidation of this function.

B. Notwithstanding the provisions of § [58.1-202.2](#), Code of Virginia, no report on public-private partnership contracts shall be required in years following the final report upon the completion of contract or when no such contract is active.

C. The Department of Taxation shall report no later than September 1 on an annual basis, to the Chairmen of the House Appropriations, House Finance and Senate Finance and Appropriation Committees, on the amount of state sales and use tax revenues authorized to be remitted for the preceding fiscal year under the provisions of § [58.1-608.3](#), § [58.1-3851.1](#), and § [58.1-3851.2](#), of the Code of Virginia, as amended by the 2015 General Assembly.

D. Out of this appropriation, \$1,000,000 the first year from the general fund shall be used for initial costs associated with the replacement of the Department of Taxation's Integrated Revenue Management System (IRMS). Such funds shall be allocated in accordance with continued efforts related to the workgroup required by Item 273 Paragraph D of the 2022 and 2023 Appropriation Acts. Accordingly, the workgroup is hereby continued and directed to review the plan for implementation of an IRMS modernization project as developed by the Department of Taxation based upon recommendations of the workgroup's 2022 assessment. Such review shall include consideration of methodologies for refactoring and replacement, the project roadmap and timeline, costs and funding structure, and the governance structure required for the modernization effort. In addition, the workgroup shall provide periodic oversight of the implementation of the IRMS modernization project. The workgroup shall include the Secretary of Finance or his designee, staff from the House Appropriations and Senate Finance and Appropriations Committees, the Director of the Department of Planning and Budget, and the Chief Information Officer of the Virginia Information Technologies Agency. The workgroup shall submit an update on its findings and

recommendations to the Governor and the Chairs of the House Appropriations and Senate Finance and Appropriations Committees by November 1, 2024, with an annual executive summary of the interim activity of the project implementation by November 1 of each subsequent year until implementation of a new system is complete.