100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2017 and 2018

SB2187

Introduced 4/20/2017, by Sen. John J. Cullerton

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

Makes various appropriations to the Office of the Attorney General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018. Effective July 1, 2017.

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AN ACT making appropriations.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented 2 in the General Assembly: 3

4 Section 5. The sum of \$30,843,200, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund 5 to the Office of the Attorney General to meet its operational 6 7 expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018.

8 Section 10. The sum of \$1,400,000, or so much thereof as 9 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund 10 to the Office of the Attorney General for disbursement to the Illinois Equal Justice Foundation for use as provided in the 11 Illinois Equal Justice Act. 12

13 Section 15. The sum of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof as 14 is available for use by the Attorney General, is appropriated Attorney General from the Illinois 15 the Gaming to Law 16 Enforcement Fund for State law enforcement purposes.

17 Section 20. The sum of \$13,200,000, or so much thereof as 18 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General 19 Court Ordered and Voluntary Compliance Payment Projects Fund 20 to the Office of the Attorney General for use, subject to

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5 Section 25. The sum of \$1,700,000, or so much thereof as 6 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Illinois Charity 7 Bureau Fund to the Office of the Attorney General to enforce 8 the provisions of the Solicitation for Charity Act and to gather 9 and disseminate information about charitable trustees and 10 organizations to the public.

Section 30. The sum of \$7,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General Whistleblower Reward and Protection Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and contingent expenses, including State law enforcement purposes.

16 Section 35. The sum of \$11,300,000, or so much thereof as 17 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General's 18 State Projects and Court Ordered Distribution Fund to the 19 Attorney General for payment of interagency agreements, for 20 court-ordered distributions to third parties, and, subject to 21 pertinent court order, for performance of any function 22 pertaining to the exercise of the duties of the Attorney

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| 1 | General, including State law enforcement and public education. |
| 2 | Section 40. The following named sums, or so much thereof |
| 3 | as may be necessary, respectively, for the objects and purposes |
| 4 | named in this Section, are appropriated to the Attorney General |
| 5 | to meet the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Attorney |
| 6 | General: |
| 7 | OPERATIONS |
| 8 | Payable from the Violent Crime Victims Assistance Fund: |
| 9 | For Personal Services |
| 10 | For State Contribution to State Employees' |
| 11 | Retirement System |
| 12 | For State Contribution to |
| 13 | Social Security |
| 14 | For Group Insurance |
| 15 | For Operational Expenses, |
| 16 | Crime Victims Services Division |
| 17 | For Operational Expenses, |
| 18 | Automated Victim Notification System |
| 19 | For Awards and Grants under the Violent |
| 20 | Crime Victims Assistance Act |
| 21 | Total \$11,633,100 |
| 22 | Section 45. The sum of \$1.000.000, or so much thereof as |

22 Section 45. The sum of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof as 23 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General SB2187 -4- SDS100 00134 MRR 10134 b Federal Grant Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for funding for federal grants.

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3 Section 50. The sum of \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated to the Office of the Attorney 4 5 General from the Domestic Violence Fund pursuant to Public Act 95-711 for grants to public or private nonprofit agencies for 6 7 the purposes of facilitating or providing free domestic 8 violence legal advocacy, assistance, or services to victims of 9 domestic violence who are married or formerly married or 10 parties or former parties to a civil union related to order of 11 protection proceedings, or other proceedings for civil remedies 12 for domestic violence.

13 Section 55. The sum of \$2,500,000, or so much thereof as 14 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General 15 Tobacco Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for the 16 oversight, enforcement, and implementation of the Master 17 Settlement Agreement entered in the case of People of the State 18 of Illinois v. Philip Morris, et al (Circuit Court of Cook 19 County, No. 96L13146), for the administration and enforcement of the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Act, for the 20 21 handling of tobacco-related litigation, and for other law 22 enforcement activities of the Attorney General.

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Section 60. The sum of \$250,000, or so much thereof as may 1 be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General Sex 2 Offender Awareness, Training, and Education Fund to the Office 3 of the Attorney General to administer the I-SORT program and 4 to alert and educate the public, victims, and witnesses of 5 6 their rights under various victim notification laws and for training law enforcement agencies, State's Attorneys, 7 and medical providers regarding their legal duties concerning the 8 9 prosecution and investigation of sex offenses.

Section 70. The sum of \$1,400,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Access to Justice Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for disbursement to the Illinois Equal Justice Foundation pursuant to the Access to Justice Act.

15 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,16 2017.

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