

# SB3822



## 103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2023 and 2024

SB3822

Introduced 2/28/2024, by Sen. Elgie R. Sims, Jr.

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

AN ACT making appropriations to the Office of the Attorney General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025. Effective July 1, 2024.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning appropriations.

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

4 ARTICLE 44

5 Section 5. The sum of \$70,000,000, or so much thereof as  
6 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund  
7 to the Office of the Attorney General to meet its operational  
8 expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025.

9 Section 10. The sum of 11,000,000, or so much thereof as  
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund  
11 to the Office of the Attorney General for payment of awards and  
12 grants under the Violent Crime Victims Assistance Act.

13 Section 15. The sum of \$5,000,000, or so much thereof as  
14 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund  
15 to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and  
16 contingent expenses, awards and grants, and operational  
17 programs of the Crime Victim Services Division.

18 Section 20. The sum of \$5,000,000, or so much thereof as  
19 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund

1 to the Office of the Attorney General for disbursement to the  
2 Illinois Equal Justice Foundation for use as provided in the  
3 Illinois Equal Justice Act.

4 Section 25. The sum of \$2,750,000, or so much thereof as  
5 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund  
6 to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and  
7 contingent expenses and operational programs of the Medicaid  
8 Fraud Control Unit.

9 Section 30. The sum of \$5,000,000, or so much thereof as  
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue Fund  
11 to the Office of the Attorney General for grants for organized  
12 retail crime enforcement.

13 Section 35. The sum of \$6,600,000, or so much thereof as  
14 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue fund  
15 to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and  
16 contingent expenses and operational programs of the Child  
17 Support Enforcement Division.

18 Section 40. The sum of \$1,400,000, or so much thereof as  
19 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Access to Justice  
20 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for disbursement to  
21 the Illinois Equal Justice Foundation pursuant to the Access

1 to Justice Act.

2 Section 45. The sum of \$1,150,000, or so much thereof as  
3 is available for use by the Attorney General, is appropriated  
4 to the Attorney General from the Illinois Gaming Law  
5 Enforcement Fund for State law enforcement purposes.

6 Section 50. The sum of \$700,000, or so much thereof as may  
7 be necessary, is appropriated to the Office of the Attorney  
8 General from the Domestic Violence Fund pursuant to Public Act  
9 95-711 for grants to public or private nonprofit agencies for  
10 the purposes of facilitating or providing free domestic  
11 violence legal advocacy, assistance, or services to victims of  
12 domestic violence who are married or formerly married or  
13 parties or former parties to a civil union related to order of  
14 protection proceedings, or other proceedings for civil remedies  
15 for domestic violence.

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

1 of the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Act, for the  
2 handling of tobacco-related litigation, and for other law  
3 enforcement activities of the Attorney General.

4 Section 60. The sum of \$27,000,000, or so much thereof as  
5 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
6 Court Ordered and Voluntary Compliance Payment Projects Fund  
7 to the Office of the Attorney General for use, subject to  
8 pertinent court order or agreement, in the performance of any  
9 function pertaining to the exercise of the duties of the  
10 Attorney General, including State law enforcement and public  
11 education.

12 Section 65. The sum of \$2,000,000, or so much thereof as  
13 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Illinois Charity  
14 Bureau Fund to the Office of the Attorney General to enforce  
15 the provisions of the Solicitation for Charity Act and to gather  
16 and disseminate information about charitable trustees and  
17 organizations to the public.

18 Section 70. The sum of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof as  
19 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
20 Whistleblower Reward and Protection Fund to the Office of the  
21 Attorney General for ordinary and contingent expenses,  
22 including State law enforcement purposes.

1           Section 75. The sum of \$31,000,000, or so much thereof as  
2 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General's  
3 State Projects and Court Ordered Distribution Fund to the  
4 Attorney General for payment of interagency agreements, for  
5 court-ordered distributions to third parties, and subject to  
6 pertinent court order, for performance of any function  
7 pertaining to the exercise of the duties of the Attorney  
8 General, including State law enforcement and public education.

9           Section 80. The sum of \$1,600,000, or so much thereof as  
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Cannabis Expungement  
11 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for disbursement to  
12 the Illinois Equal Justice Foundation for use as provided in  
13 the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act.

14           Section 85. The sum of \$215,000, or so much thereof as may  
15 be necessary, is appropriated from the Cannabis Expungement  
16 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for the ordinary and  
17 contingent expenses associated with the Cannabis Regulation and  
18 Tax Act.

19           Section 90. The sum of \$6,000,000, or so much thereof as  
20 may be necessary, is appropriated from Violent Crime Victims  
21 Assistance Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for

1 payment of awards and grants under the Violent Crime Victims  
2 Assistance Act.

3 Section 95. The sum of \$350,000, or so much thereof as may  
4 be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General Sex  
5 Offender Awareness, Training, and Education Fund to the Office  
6 of the Attorney General to administer the I-SORT program and  
7 to alert and educate the public, victims, and witnesses of  
8 their rights under various victim notification laws and for  
9 training law enforcement agencies, State's Attorneys, and  
10 medical providers regarding their legal duties concerning the  
11 prosecution and investigation of sex offenses.

12 Section 100. The sum of \$13,500,000, or so much thereof  
13 as may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
14 Federal Grant Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for  
15 funding for federal grants.

16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
17 2023.