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**A B I L L**

To amend section 125.021 of the Revised Code to allow 1  
the Industrial Commission to make contracts 2  
concerning telecommunications and computer 3  
services and to make appropriations for the 4  
Industrial Commission for the biennium beginning 5  
July 1, 2005, and ending June 30, 2007, and to 6  
provide authorization and conditions for the 7  
operation of Commission programs. 8

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That section 125.021 of the Revised Code be 9  
amended to read as follows: 10

**Sec. 125.021.** Except as to the military department, the 11  
general assembly, the bureau of workers' compensation, the 12  
industrial commission, and institutions administered by boards of 13  
trustees, the department of administrative services may make 14  
contracts for, operate, and superintend the telephone, other 15  
telecommunication, and computer services for state agencies. 16

Nothing in this section precludes the bureau or the 17  
commission from entering into a contract with the department of 18  
administrative services for the department to make contracts for, 19  
operate, or superintend such systems for the bureau or the 20  
commission. 21

**Section 2.** That existing section 125.021 of the Revised Code 22  
is hereby repealed. 23

**Section 3.** All items in this section are hereby appropriated 24  
out of any moneys in the state treasury to the credit of the 25  
designated fund. For all appropriations made in this section, 26  
those in the first column are for fiscal year 2006, and those in 27  
the second column are for fiscal year 2007. 28

		Appropriations		
FND AI	AI TITLE	FY 2006	FY 2007	
OIC INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION				31
Workers' Compensation Fund Group				32
5W3 845-321	Operating Expenses	\$ 50,270,800	\$ 50,270,800	33
5W3 845-402	Rent - William Green	\$ 6,116,466	\$ 6,116,466	34
Building				
5W3 845-410	Attorney General	\$ 3,454,984	\$ 3,454,984	35
Payments				
821 845-605	Service Account	\$ 157,133	\$ 157,133	36
TOTAL WCF Workers' Compensation				37
Fund Group		\$ 59,999,383	\$ 59,999,383	38
TOTAL ALL BUDGET FUND GROUPS		\$ 59,999,383	\$ 59,999,383	39

RENT - WILLIAM GREEN BUILDING 40

The foregoing appropriation item 845-402, Rent - William 41  
Green Building, shall be used for rent and operating expenses for 42  
the space occupied by the Industrial Commission in the William 43  
Green Building. 44

SERVICE ACCOUNT 45

The foregoing appropriation item 845-605, Service Account, 46  
shall be used for any expense related to revenues collected and 47  
deposited in Fund 821, such as the purchase of copiers, copier 48  
maintenance and related supplies, coin copier expense, coin 49  
changer purchases, expenses related to conferences that produce 50  
revenue, publications that produce revenue, and replacement of 51  
furniture and equipment. 52

**Section 4.** Law contained in the main operating appropriations 53  
act of the 126th General Assembly that applies generally to the 54  
appropriations made in that act also applies generally to the 55  
appropriations made in this act. 56

**Section 5.** If any item of law that constitutes the whole or 57  
part of a codified or uncodified section of law contained in this 58  
act, or if any application of any item of law that constitutes the 59  
whole or part of a codified or uncodified section of law contained 60  
in this act, is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect the 61  
other items of law or applications of items of law that can be 62  
given effect without the invalid item of law or application. To 63  
this end, the items of law of which the codified and uncodified 64  
sections of law contained in this act are composed, and their 65  
applications, are independent and severable. 66

**Section 6.** The uncodified sections of law contained in this 67  
act, and the items of law of which the uncodified sections of law 68  
contained in that act are composed, are not subject to the 69  
referendum. Therefore, under Ohio Constitution, Article II, 70  
Section 1d and section 1.471 of the Revised Code, the uncodified 71  
sections of law contained in this act, and the items of law of 72  
which the uncodified sections of law contained in this act are 73  
composed, go into immediate effect when this act becomes law. 74

<b>Section 7.</b> An item that composes the whole or part of an	75
uncodified section contained in this act has no effect after June	76
30, 2007, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.	77