## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS TRUST FUND RE-CREATION BILL RESEARCH

BILL #: HB 4631 (PCB CJ 98-31)

**RELATING TO:** Grants and Donations Trust Fund

**SPONSOR(S)**: Criminal Justice Appropriations

# **COMPANION BILL(S)**:

# ORIGINATING COMMITTEE(S)/COMMITTEE(S) OF REFERENCE:

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## I. <u>SUMMARY</u>:

This legislation re-creates the Grants and Donations Trust Fund without modification. The Grants and Donations Trust Fund is administered by the Department of Legal Affairs.

#### II. SUBSTANTIVE RESEARCH:

A. PRESENT SITUATION:

1. MAJOR STATUTES THAT CONTROL THE TRUST FUND:

The Grants and Donations Trust Fund was created by the Administration Commission.

2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FUND'S USES OR PURPOSES:

The receipts of the Grants and Donations Trust Fund are expended for state and federal grants received by the Department of Legal Affairs and miscellaneous operational expenses. The 1998-1999 fiscal year appropriation is \$6,353,523.

3. MAJOR SOURCES OF REVENUE FOR THE FUND:

The primary sources of revenue are federal and state grants.

B. EFFECT OF PROPOSED CHANGES:

This bill re-creates the trust fund without modification.

# C. STATUTE(S) AFFECTED:

N/A

## III. FISCAL RESEARCH & ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

This legislation has no fiscal impact on state agencies or state funds, on local governments as a whole or on the private sector. It simply re-creates, without modification, an existing state trust fund and continues the current use of the fund.

IV. COMMENTS:

N/A

# V. AMENDMENTS OR COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE CHANGES:

N/A

VI. SIGNATURES:

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