

AMENDMENT #76

OFFERED IN THE HOUSE
TO: CSHB 281(FIN)

BY REPRESENTATIVE CLAMAN

- 1 Page 4, line 4:
- 2 Delete "59,837,800"
- 3 Insert "62,187,700"
- 4 Delete "57,774,800"
- 5 Insert "60,124,700"
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- 7 Page 4, line 5:
- 8 Delete "28,538,800"
- 9 Insert "29,507,200"
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- 11 Page 4, line 6:
- 12 Delete "31,299,000"
- 13 Insert "32,680,500"
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15 Page 4, following line 4:
16 Insert new material to read:
17 "It is the intent of the legislature that the Department of Administration use the additional
18 funding included in this appropriation to provide retention bonuses to the Public Defender
19 Agency and the Office of Public Advocacy staff who are employed on June 30, 2022, and
20 who continue to be employed on May 31, 2023. It is the intent of the legislature that bonuses
21 be allocated as follows: \$10,000 for attorney positions; \$5,000 for associate attorneys,
22 paralegals, investigators, or similar positions; and \$3,000 for law office assistants, public
23 guardians, and general office personnel. It is not the intent of the legislature to provide

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- 1 bonuses to the Public Defender, the Office of Public Advocacy Division Director, or
- 2 nonpermanent positions."