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This booklet was prepared by the Legislative Fiscal Office to be a quick reference guide for members of the Alabama Legislature that contains general budgetary information, as well as other information about state government finances such as the appropriation totals for selected state agencies for fiscal year 2016, bonded indebtedness, pay raises, health insurance and retirement rates and costs for state employees and teachers, and the proration history for the Education Trust Fund and the State General Fund.

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We hope the information contained herein will be useful. Any suggestions that you might have for subsequent editions of this booklet are welcomed.

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## TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 2016

General Fund Budget and Separate Bills	
	Millions
State General Fund	\$1,756
Earmarked State Funds and Federal and Local Funds (includes transfers from other agencies)	\$12,838
<b>Total Appropriations</b>	<b>\$14,594</b>
Education Trust Fund Budget and Separate Bills	
Education Trust Fund	\$5,991
Earmarked State Funds and Federal and Local Funds	\$8,613
<b>Total Appropriations</b>	<b>\$14,604</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL ALL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>\$29,198</b>

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## GENERAL OBLIGATION AND REVENUE BOND INFORMATION

Bonded Indebtedness As Of September 30, 2014		
Type of Debt	Net Principal Amount	Debt Per Capita*
General Obligation Bonds	\$680,476,104	\$142.37
Revenue Bonds	\$4,414,663,135	\$923.62
<b>Total Outstanding Debt</b>	<b>\$5,095,139,239</b>	<b>\$1,065.99</b>

\*Based on 2010 population from U.S Census Bureau.

Annual Debt Service Outstanding As Of September 30, 2014		
Fiscal Year	Total General Obligation Bond Debt Service	Total Revenue Bond Debt Service
2015	\$67,050,973	\$458,640,967
2016	\$66,812,053	\$441,571,722
2017	\$70,773,753	\$516,111,058
2018 through 2033	\$611,056,614	\$3,992,852,208

Source: Department of Examiners of Public Accounts - Report on the Bond Indebtedness, State of Alabama, June 12, 2015, (Report # 15-376, Pages 28, 31) Latest Audit

## PRORATION

Amendment No. 26 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 provides that no warrants shall be drawn on the State Treasury unless sufficient revenues are available. In such instances, any expenditure from any funds that have insufficient revenue shall be prorated so that only available revenues are expended.

The most recent occurrences of proration in the Education Trust Fund and General Fund are listed below.

<b>EDUCATION TRUST FUND</b>		
<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Proration % without RDA Transfers</b>	<b>Proration % after RDA Transfers</b>
1979	3.0%	
1980	6.1%	
1981	3.6%	
1986	4.2%	
1991	6.5%	
1992	3.0%	
2001	6.2%	
2003 <sup>(1)</sup>	4.4%	0%
2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	6.5%	0%
2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	18.0%	11.0%
2010	9.5%	
2011	3.0%	
<b>GENERAL FUND</b>		
<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Proration % without RDA Transfers</b>	<b>Proration % after RDA Transfers</b>
1983	15.0%	
1986	3.0%	
1991	2.6%	
1992	5.5%	
1993	3.2%	
2010 <sup>(4)</sup>	20.0%	10.0%
2011	15.0%	
2012	10.62%	

(1) In FY 2003, \$179,993,229 was transferred to the Education Trust Fund from the Education Trust Fund Rainy Day Account and \$54,250 was transferred to the Education Trust Fund from the Proration Prevention Account in order to offset proration for state education agencies.

(2) In FY 2008, \$439,372,515 was transferred to the Education Trust Fund from the Proration Prevention Account to completely offset proration in the Education Trust Fund.

(3) In FY 2009, \$437,390,828 was transferred to the Education Trust Fund from the Education Trust Fund Rainy Day Account and \$129,590 was transferred to the Education Trust Fund from the Proration Prevention Account in order to reduce proration in the Education Trust Fund to 11%.

(4) In FY 2010, \$161,565,874 was transferred to the State General Fund from the General Fund Rainy Day Account in order to reduce proration in the State General Fund to 10%.

## ALABAMA TRUST FUND

Amendment 450 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, which was ratified in 1985, established the Alabama Trust Fund (ATF). Since then, the management of the ATF has been modified as follows:

- Amendment 488: allowed the ATF board of trustees to invest in the same kind of investments as the Retirement Systems of Alabama;
- Amendment 543: created the Alabama Forever Wild Land Trust;
- Amendment 666: created the Alabama Capital Improvement Trust Fund and altered the distribution of royalties and investment income;
- Amendment 668: constitutionally provided for the County and Municipal Government Capital Improvement Funds;
- Amendment 709: created the Education Trust Fund Rainy Day Account;
- Amendment 803: repealed Amendment 709, reestablished the Education Trust Fund Rainy Day Account, and created the General Fund Rainy Day Account;
- Amendment 856: revised the method for distributions from the ATF beginning with fiscal year 2013 to a process that bases annual distributions on the amount of royalties received in the previous fiscal year and the average market value of invested assets in the ATF as of the end of the three prior fiscal years and also provided for the transfer of an additional \$145,796,943 from the Alabama Trust Fund to the State General Fund for the fiscal Years 2013, 2014 and 2015; and
- Amendment 860: continued the Forever Wild Land Trust for an additional 20-year period through fiscal year 2032.

<b>Recipient:</b>	<b>FY 2014<sup>(1)</sup></b>	<b>FY 2015<sup>(1)</sup></b>
State General Fund	249,625,519	246,730,425
County Capital Improvement Fund	15,041,592	14,628,041
Municipal Capital Improvement Fund	15,041,592	14,628,041
Forever Wild	15,000,000	14,628,041
Senior Services Trust Fund	1,504,159	1,462,804
<b>Total:</b>	<b>296,212,862</b>	<b>292,077,352</b>

(1) Includes the additional \$145,796,943 distribution to the State General Fund pursuant to Amendment 856.

## ALABAMA CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT TRUST FUND

The Alabama Capital Improvement Trust Fund (ACITF) was created in 2000 by Amendment 666 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901. Twenty-eight percent of royalties received by the state from offshore production of oil or natural gas are deposited into the ACITF<sup>(1)</sup>. Amounts in the ACITF can be appropriated for capital improvements, including debt service on bonds.

	<u>Actual FY 2014*</u>	<u>Actual FY 2015*</u>	<u>Budgeted FY 2016*</u>
Beginning Balance	\$6.6	\$10.8	\$10.3
Revenues Received	\$23.2	\$24.9	\$17.0
Total Available	\$29.8	\$35.7	\$27.3
Expenditures/Appropriations	\$19.0	\$25.4	\$26.1
Ending Balance	\$10.8	\$10.3	\$1.2

<sup>(1)</sup> Amendment 887 adopted at the November 2014 General Election will require an additional amount of royalties to be paid into the ACITF to pay principal and interest on a \$50 million bond issue for planning, construction, and maintenance of Alabama National Guard Armories.

\* Amounts in millions.

## RAINY DAY ACCOUNTS

### Education Trust Fund

Amendment 709 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 originally created the ETF Rainy Day Account as a part of the Alabama Trust Fund. Amendment 803 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 repealed Amendment 709 and reestablished the ETF Rainy Day Account within the Alabama Trust Fund. The maximum amount available for withdrawal equals 6.5% of the ETF appropriations for the prior fiscal year less any amounts previously withdrawn that have not been repaid. Amendment 803 also increased the Account's repayment deadline from five years to six years. In FY 2009, the maximum withdrawal of \$437,390,828 was made, with repayment required to be made by FY 2015. The repayment schedule below indicates the amount repaid and the fiscal year in which the repayment occurred, since the FY 2009 withdrawal.

ETF Rainy Day Account Repayments	
FY 2012	\$14,412,984
FY 2013	\$260,388,971
FY 2014*	\$70,000,000
FY 2015 (Balance due)	\$92,588,873

\*In addition to the \$35 million absolute appropriation, the FY 2014 ETF appropriations act (Act 2013-264) included a 1<sup>st</sup> tier conditional appropriation of \$65 million of which \$35 million was released.

### State General Fund

Amendment 803 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 also created the State General Fund Rainy Day Account as a part of the Alabama Trust Fund. At no time may the amount withdrawn from this Account exceed 10% of General Fund appropriations for the previous fiscal year less any amounts previously withdrawn which have not been repaid. The Legislature must replenish the Account within 10 years after withdrawal.

In FY 2010, a withdrawal of \$161,565,874 was made, with repayment required to be made by FY 2020. As of September 30, 2015, there has been no repayment of the amount withdrawn in FY 2010.

## EDUCATION TRUST FUND ROLLING RESERVE ACT

The Rolling Reserve Act (Act 2011-3, as amended by Act 2015-538), establishes the maximum amount ("Fiscal Year Appropriation Cap") that may be appropriated from the Education Trust Fund (ETF) in any fiscal year. The cap is calculated by taking the sum of total recurring revenues deposited into the ETF in the last completed fiscal year preceding the calculation year and adjusting this amount up or down by: (1) the average annual percentage change in recurring revenues for the 14 highest of the 15 completed fiscal years preceding the date on which the calculation is made; (2) if legislation is enacted that will increase recurring revenues deposited into the ETF, an amount equal to 95% of the fiscal note attached to the legislative act is added to the cap; (3) if legislation is enacted that will decrease recurring revenues deposited into the ETF, the negative impact, based on the enacted fiscal note is subtracted from the cap; (4) any nonrecurring revenue; and (5) the amount required to be appropriated from the ETF to the Prepaid Affordable College Tuition (PACT) Trust Fund. The Finance Director and the Legislative Fiscal Officer must certify their computation of the cap at the same time as the certification required by Amendment 803 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 (prior to the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of each Regular Session).

The Act further requires that revenues received in excess of the appropriation cap be used first to pay back transfers from the constitutional ETF Rainy Day Account until the account has been repaid in full. (The account was fully repaid in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015.) Any remaining funds shall be transferred to the ETF Budget Stabilization Fund and the ETF Advancement and Technology Fund as follows:

### **ETF Budget Stabilization Fund**

For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, up to 2% of the previous year's ETF appropriations shall be transferred to the ETF Budget Stabilization Fund. Thereafter, an amount up to 1% of the previous year's ETF appropriations shall be transferred to the ETF Budget Stabilization Fund annually until the Fund reaches 7.5% of the previous year's appropriations from the ETF. Funds in the Budget Stabilization Fund will generally be used to reduce any future proration and any monetary interest that accrues in this Fund will be retained by the Fund.

### **ETF Advancement and Technology Funds**

Funds in excess of those transferred into the ETF Budget Stabilization Fund shall be transferred to the ETF Advancement and Technology Fund to be appropriated by and through an independent supplemental appropriation

bill. However, no funds shall be appropriated until the balance of this Fund at the end of the previous fiscal year equals or exceeds \$10 million. These Funds will be used for (1) repairs or deferred maintenance of public education facilities; (2) classroom instructional support under the Foundation Program; (3) insuring facilities; (4) transportation for K-12 local boards of education; and (5) the acquisition and/or purchase of education technology and equipment.

**ESTIMATED COST OF A TEACHER UNIT**

<b>Salary Matrix for FY 2016</b>				
<b>Experience</b>	<b>Degree Level</b>			
	<b>B.S. or Non-Degree</b>	<b>M.S.</b>	<b>6 Year</b>	<b>Doctorate</b>
< 3 yrs	36,867	42,395	45,714	49,032
< 6 yrs	40,551	46,634	50,283	53,935
< 9 yrs	42,327	48,675	52,499	56,295
< 12 yrs	42,894	49,329	53,191	57,051
< 15 yrs	43,674	50,223	54,155	58,088
< 18 yrs	44,670	51,371	55,391	59,409
< 21 yrs	45,247	52,032	56,105	60,179
< 24 yrs	45,825	52,699	56,822	60,947
< 27 yrs	46,370	53,245	57,370	61,494
27+ yrs	46,917	53,792	57,916	62,040

**Average Salary (FY 2016)** \$48,193

**Fringe Benefits**

FICA and Medicare @ 7.65%	\$3,687
Retirement @ 11.94%	\$5,754
Health Insurance @ \$780 per month	\$9,360
Unemployment Compensation @ 0.125%	\$60
Leave days (7) @ \$60 per day	\$420

**Classroom Instructional Support**

Student Materials	\$373.79
Technology	\$63.79
Professional Development	\$63.79
Library Enhancement	\$21.26
Common Purchase	0

**Other Current Expense** \$16,281

**TOTAL** **\$84,278**

## COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENTS / BONUSES

State Employees and Teachers					
Fiscal Year	State Employees	Total Cost (in millions)	Additional Amount Appropriated From General Fund (in millions)	Teachers	Estimated Cost To ETF (in millions)
1999	8.0%	\$96.0	\$9.30 <sup>(1)</sup>	8.5%	\$184.8
2001	2.0%	\$24.4	\$4.25 <sup>(2)</sup>	1%-5.5% <sup>(3)</sup>	\$114.4
2002	2.0%	\$24.4	-	-	-
2003	3.0%	\$40.5	\$13.0	3.0%	\$80.0
2006	6.0%	\$86.1	\$30.0	6.0%	\$184.8
2007	5.0%	\$77.9	\$26.7	5.0%	\$175.9
2008	3.5%	\$62.8	\$21.0	7.0%	\$269.4
2009	3.5%	\$67.1	\$24.5	-	-
2014	-	-	-	2.0% <sup>(4)</sup>	\$68.4
2015	\$400 <sup>(5)</sup>	\$15.2	\$4.5	-	-

<sup>(1)</sup> Remainder paid from retirement contribution savings and other agency funds.

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents one-half the State General Fund cost of the pay raise.

<sup>(3)</sup> Amount depended on experience.

<sup>(4)</sup> K-12 Teachers and Support Personnel Only

<sup>(5)</sup> One time lump-sum bonus

Retirees		
Fiscal Year	Employees' Retirement System	Teachers' Retirement System
1999	4.0%, plus \$2/month for each year of service; minimum of \$30/month	4.0%, plus \$2/month for each year of service; minimum of \$30/month
2001	4.0%; minimum of \$25/month	4.0%; minimum of \$15/month
2003	3.0%; minimum of \$15/month	3.0%; minimum of \$15/month
2006	4.0%; minimum of \$15/month	4.0%; minimum of \$15/month
2007	7.0%; minimum of \$25/month	7.0%; minimum of \$25/month
2008	One-time bonus equal to \$1/month for each year of service.	One-time bonus equal to \$2/month for each year of service.
2009	One-time bonus equal to \$1/month for each year of service.	-
2015	One-time bonus equal to \$2/month for each year of service or \$300, whichever is greater.	-

## RETIREMENT SYSTEM EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS

Fiscal Year	TRS		State Employees	State Police	ERS	JRS	
	Rate	Amount	Rate	Rate	Amount	Rate	Amount
1996	9.23	284,615,456	6.99	15.22	68,802,114	23.05	6,494,717
1997	9.23	328,195,083	6.99	15.17	68,911,987	19.71	5,866,165
1998	9.66	355,953,472	7.56	15.74	74,055,482	19.71	5,397,838
1999 <sup>(1)</sup>	4.03	182,895,065	3.11	6.85	33,428,569	9.16	2,969,304
2000	6.38	267,906,340	4.08	9.45	43,442,959	21.19	5,582,715
2001	6.38	280,051,290	4.08	9.45	49,144,145	21.19	7,531,949
2002	5.96	266,510,671	3.95	9.24	46,053,625	21.19	8,200,383
2003	5.02	238,725,494	3.95	9.24	48,522,435	21.19	8,627,322
2004	6.56	305,887,402	4.19	13.87	52,218,449	21.93	8,982,290
2005	7.03	343,724,774	5.57	18.03	68,739,801	21.93	8,946,381
2006	8.17	425,544,602	6.77	21.36	90,951,802	21.93	8,915,570
2007	9.36	532,004,599	7.78	24.12	115,156,793	22.50	9,293,711
2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	11.75	716,912,822	10.26	30.42	160,623,070	23.23	9,861,941
2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	12.07	752,874,357	11.88	30.99	192,528,482	23.23	10,309,412
2010	12.51	773,177,416	11.94	30.57	191,361,347	24.20	10,797,333
2011	12.51	780,224,248	11.94	30.57	187,294,046	24.20	10,915,820
2012	10.00	631,837,073	9.42	29.92	136,138,632	24.35	10,738,380
2013	10.08	627,352,877	10.12	31.61	141,133,488	32.06	13,790,453
2014 Tier I	11.71	729,183,963	12.02	35.81	163,565,064	35.24 (all judges)	15,737,610
2014 Tier II	11.08		11.96	29.52			
2015 Tier I	11.71	737,654,554	13.45	38.37	184,893,403	35.24 (all judges)	15,077,762
2015 Tier II	11.05		13.31	32.45			
2016 Tier I	11.94	746,926,613*	14.57	42.61	200,073,663*	40.98	17,901,000*
2016 Tier II	10.84		14.09	38.98			

\*FY 2016 amounts shown are the budgeted amounts.

<sup>(1)</sup> The Retirement System changed from book to market value for assets in FY 1999, resulting in a lowering of the employer rate/contributions most significantly in FY 1999, but which also affected employer contributions each year thereafter to a lesser degree.

<sup>(2)</sup> The FY 2008 rates include the following one-time amounts attributable to bonus payments to retirees: teachers, 0.69%; state employees, 0.42%; state police, 0.42%; judges, 0.18%.

<sup>(3)</sup> The FY 2009 rates include the following one-time amounts attributable to bonus payments to retirees: state employees, 0.51%; state police, 0.51%; judges, 0.18%.

## RETIREMENT SYSTEM EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTION RATES

Employee Type	Rate	Notes
Teachers and State Employees (except below)	Tier I: 7.5%	Prior to October 2011, the rate was 5%. This rate was set at 7.25% on October 1, 2011 and was increased to the current rate on October 1, 2012 (Tier I).
	Tier II: 6%	
State Police	10%	-
Judges	8.5%	
Certified law enforcement, correctional officers, and firemen	Tier I: 8.5%	Prior to October 2011, the rate was 6%. This rate was set at 8.25% on October 1, 2011 and increased to the current rate on October 1, 2012 (Tier I).
	Tier II: 7%	

## STATE EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN (SEHIP)

Fiscal Year	Employer Contribution		Active Employee Contribution			
	Active Employee Per Month	Annual Total	Individual Coverage <sup>(1)</sup>	Dependent Coverage <sup>(1)</sup>	Spousal Surcharge	Non-Tobacco Usage Discount
1995	255.00	117,989,175	-	164.00	-	-
1996	255.00	115,667,901	-	164.00	-	-
1997	255.00	112,947,717	-	164.00	-	-
1998	255.00	91,502,406	-	164.00	-	-
1999	320.00	131,585,762	-	164.00	-	-
2000	357.00	148,115,489	-	164.00	-	-
2001	400.00	169,112,747	-	164.00	-	-
2002	445.00	193,682,768	-	164.00	-	-
2003	490.00	217,474,419	-	164.00	-	-
2004	550.00 <sup>(3)</sup>	227,042,877	-	164.00	-	-
2005	650.00	276,662,054	-	164.00	-	20.00
2006	668.00 <sup>(4)</sup>	281,492,460	-	164.00	-	20.00
2007	717.00	319,123,823	-	180.00 <sup>(5)</sup>	-	22.00
2008	775.00 <sup>(6)</sup>	322,591,716	-	180.00	-	24.00
2009	775.00 <sup>(6)</sup>	322,232,685	-	180.00	-	25.00
2010	805.00 <sup>(7)</sup>	361,793,265	15.00	190.00	-	30.00
2011	805.00	356,520,996	15.00	190.00	-	35.00
2012	805.00 <sup>(8)</sup>	318,095,221	15.00	205.00	-	40.00
2013	765.00	304,451,908	15.00	205.00	-	45.00
2014	825.00	319,457,298	15.00	205.00	50.00	50.00
2015	825.00	318,102,076	15.00	205.00	50.00	50.00
2016	825.00	316,463,400*	30.00	220.00	50.00	60.00

\*FY 2016 amounts shown are the budgeted amounts.

Starting in 2011, the SEHIP monthly employer rate was set in the General Fund Appropriations Act and required the State Employees' Insurance Board to adjust the program to maintain the rate set in the appropriations act.

Starting in 2012, the Employee Contribution rates were set on a calendar year basis.

<sup>(1)</sup> Assumes that the employee (and spouse for Dependent Coverage) qualifies for a \$25 per month wellness discount and the non-tobacco usage discount.

<sup>(2)</sup> Beginning in 2015, assumes that the employee receives a Spousal Surcharge Waiver of \$50.

<sup>(3)</sup> A one month credit of \$250 reduced the effective monthly employer cost per active employee to \$529.17.

<sup>(4)</sup> A one month credit of \$216 reduced the effective monthly employer cost per active employee to \$650.

<sup>(5)</sup> A one month credit of \$180 reduced the effective monthly dependent coverage rate paid by active employees to \$165.

<sup>(6)</sup> A one month credit of \$775 reduced the effective monthly employer cost per active employee to \$710.42

<sup>(7)</sup> State agencies made eleven monthly payments, reducing the effective rate to \$737.92.

<sup>(8)</sup> The October 2011 employer cost per active employee was set at \$325. This resulted in an effective rate of \$765 per employee per month for FY 2012.

## PUBLIC EDUCATION EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN (PEEHIP)

Fiscal Year	Employer Contribution		Active Employee Monthly Contribution				
	Active Employee Per Month	Annual Total	Individual Coverage	Dependent Coverage	Spousal Sur-charge	Wellness Premium	Tobacco User Premium
1995	N/A	117,500,000	2.00	122.00	-	-	-
1996	210.50	214,606,434	2.00	122.00	-	-	-
1997	165.00	180,450,600	2.00	122.00	-	-	-
1998	200.00	271,768,000	2.00	122.00	-	-	-
1999	225.00	317,273,000	2.00	122.00	-	-	-
2000	317.00	373,727,784	2.00	122.00	-	-	-
2001	345.00	404,200,620	2.00	132.00	-	-	-
2002	414.00	481,170,672	2.00	132.00	-	-	-
2003	433.00	509,244,372	2.00	132.00	-	-	-
2004	479.00	566,126,268	2.00	132.00	-	-	-
2005	583.00	698,704,512	2.00	132.00	-	-	-
2006	668.00	805,407,600	2.00	132.00	-	-	20.00
2007	717.00	881,918,604	2.00	132.00	-	-	20.00
2008	775.00	961,452,126	2.00	132.00	-	-	22.00
2009	752.00	925,317,517	2.00	132.00	-	-	23.00
2010	752.00	911,875,393	2.00	132.00	-	-	25.00
2011	752.00	900,050,546	15.00	162.00	-	-	27.00
2012	714.00	825,157,866	15.00	162.00	-	-	28.00
2013	714.00	828,585,518	15.00	177.00	-	-	28.00
2014	714.00	835,761,336	15.00	177.00	-	-	28.00
2015	780.00	917,610,890	15.00	177.00	-	-	28.00
2016	780.00	913,077,360*	15.00	177.00	25.00	50.00	50.00

\*FY 2016 employer contribution total amount shown is the budgeted amount.

Prior to FY 1996, PEEHIP received a direct appropriation from the ETF; therefore, there was no "Employer Cost for Active Employees" for those fiscal years.

Note that the actual active total employee cost for dependent coverage equals the individual coverage premium plus the dependent coverage premium.

## RETIREE HEALTH CARE TRUST FUNDS

In response to a requirement by the Governmental Accounting Standard Board (GASB) that liabilities for retiree benefits be recognized on a current basis, Act 2007-16 authorized the Public Education Employees' Health Insurance Board (PEEHIB) and State Employees' Insurance Board (SEIB), respectively, to create irrevocable trusts for the purpose of holding, investing, and distributing assets to be used for certain retiree benefits. The net assets held in these trusts, as of September 30, 2014, were:

**Alabama Retired Education Employees' Health Care Trust:** \$1,208,401,000

**Alabama Retired State Employees' Health Care Trust:** \$156,870,936

Note: Amendment 798 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 provides that the assets of the trusts shall be used exclusively for the expenses of administering the trusts and for health care benefits.

## LEGISLATIVE COMPENSATION

Amendment 871 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 (Act 2012-269) ties the annual compensation for each member of the Legislature and the President of the Senate to the state's median annual household income. The State Personnel Board adopted the one-year Median Household Income as reported by the American Community Survey (ACS) in September of each year as the basis for determining this amount.

Legislative annual compensation was set at \$42,830 by the State Personnel Board for 2016.

In addition to this amount, legislators may receive travel and other actual expenses, as approved by the respective presiding chamber officers.

Also, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and President of the Senate receive an additional \$1,500 per month pursuant to Act 1971-1196.

ESTIMATED COST OF A LEGISLATIVE SESSION		
Item	Regular Session	Special Session
Travel Allowance (\$75 per day)	\$472,500	\$126,000
Actual Mileage (\$0.54 per mile)	\$283,500	\$75,600
Temporary Employees	\$345,000	\$86,250
Additional Supplies	\$30,000	\$10,000
Delivery of Journals	\$1,600	\$1,600
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$1,132,600</b>	<b>\$299,450</b>

Notes:

Regular Session assumes a four-month session (15 weeks) and one month administrative wrap-up.

Special Session assumes the maximum special session length of 12 legislative days (4 weeks) and half-month administrative wrap-up.

## GOVERNOR'S CABINET ANNUAL COMPENSATION

Department	Name	Annual Salary as of 9/30/2015
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board	H. Mac Gipson	\$91,014
Banking Department	John D. Harrison	\$157,380
Early Childhood Education, Department of	Jeana Ross	\$110,000
Commerce, Department of	Greg Canfield	\$162,232
Conservation and Natural Resources, Department of	N. Gunter Guy, Jr.	\$141,000
Corrections, Department of	Col. Jeff Dunn	\$143,600
Economic and Community Affairs, Department of	Jim Byard, Jr.	\$91,014
Emergency Management Agency	Art Faulkner	\$124,200
Finance, Department of	Bill Newton (Acting Finance Director)	\$177,266
Human Resources, Department of	Nancy Buckner	\$140,000
Information Technology, Office of	Brunson White	\$149,000
Insurance, Department of	Jim Ridling	\$91,014
Labor, Department of	Fitzgerald Washington	\$139,859
Law Enforcement Agency, Alabama	Spencer Collier	\$149,000
Medicaid Agency	Stephanie Azar	\$141,785
Mental Health, Department of	Jim Perdue	\$145,000
Military Department	Maj. Gen. Perry G. Smith	\$91,014
Revenue, Department of	Julie P. Magee	\$91,014
Senior Services, Department of	Neal Morrison	\$135,000
Tourism, Department of	Lee Sentell	\$91,014
Transportation, Department of	John R. Cooper	\$169,000

Payroll Information: [www.open.alabama.gov](http://www.open.alabama.gov)

Cabinet Information: [www.governor.alabama.gov](http://www.governor.alabama.gov)

## COMMUNITY SERVICES GRANT PROGRAM

Fiscal Year	ETF	SGF
1997	\$ 5,000,000	\$4,000,000
1998	-	-
1999	\$ 5,000,000	-
2000	\$10,000,000	-
2001 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$12,128,340	-
2002	\$12,393,833	-
2003 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$11,207,396	-
2004	-	-
2005	\$11,700,000	-
2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	\$13,404,633	-
2007	\$13,800,000	-
2008	\$14,766,000	-
2009 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$8,913,095	\$2,000,000
2010 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$8,437,286	\$6,642,000
2011 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$8,185,468	\$3,782,886
2012	\$4,092,084	-
2013	\$3,000,000	-
2014	\$1,500,000	-
2015	\$2,000,000	-
2016	\$3,000,000	-

<sup>(1)</sup> The FY 2001 and FY 2003 amounts represent the amounts appropriated after proration of 6.2% and 4.4%, respectively, was declared.

<sup>(2)</sup> The FY 2006 appropriation includes a \$12.8 million appropriation plus \$604,633 for those legislative districts which did not receive their full FY 2005 allocation due to a lawsuit.

<sup>(3)</sup> The FY 2009, 2010 and 2011 community services grants amounts appropriated from the State General Fund are for House Legislative Districts only.

## EDUCATION TRUST FUND RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year	Actual Receipts	Change	Actual Expenditures	Change
1990	\$2,481,832,988	4.57%	\$2,482,004,527	-0.04%
1991	\$2,524,540,232	1.72%	\$2,558,206,830	3.07%
1992	\$2,623,153,373	3.91%	\$2,621,045,355	2.46%
1993	\$2,827,045,036	7.77%	\$2,757,564,315	5.21%
1994	\$3,020,782,528	6.85%	\$2,997,076,069	8.69%
1995	\$3,203,670,344	6.05%	\$3,287,001,937	9.67%
1996	\$3,346,547,104	4.46%	\$3,345,617,091	1.78%
1997	\$3,527,022,712	5.39%	\$3,550,737,409	6.13%
1998	\$3,734,614,941	5.89%	\$3,721,359,200	4.81%
1999	\$3,911,479,690	4.74%	\$3,911,156,500	5.10%
2000	\$4,114,571,877	5.19%	\$4,115,371,659	5.22%
2001	\$4,015,374,184	-2.41%	\$4,036,182,733	-1.92%
2002	\$4,133,348,664	2.94%	\$4,138,712,868	2.54%
2003	\$4,249,955,349	2.82%	\$4,252,726,523	2.75%
2004	\$4,456,026,869	4.85%	\$4,281,961,572	0.69%
2005	\$4,969,255,238	11.52%	\$4,597,071,292	7.36%
2006	\$5,498,361,937	10.65%	\$5,383,104,303	17.10%
2007	\$5,854,027,193	6.47%	\$6,273,363,954	16.54%
2008	\$6,414,630,671	9.58%	\$6,694,675,698	6.72%
2009	\$5,679,120,475	-11.47%	\$5,679,120,475	-15.17%
2010	\$5,217,470,126	-8.13%	\$5,205,697,025	-8.34%
2011	\$5,337,663,842	2.30%	\$5,340,833,054	2.60%
2012	\$5,704,207,619	6.87%	\$5,692,866,517	6.59%
2013	\$5,683,296,432	-0.37%	\$5,442,852,452	-4.39%
2014	\$5,802,736,485	2.10%	\$5,806,727,180	6.69%
2015	\$6,048,341,073	4.23%	\$5,915,299,204	1.87%

## GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year	Actual Receipts	Change	Actual Expenditures	Change
1990	\$750,230,918	5.15%	\$737,967,964	1.45%
1991	\$797,383,173	6.29%	\$827,730,791	12.16%
1992	\$808,334,687	1.37%	\$785,578,853	-5.09%
1993	\$832,517,581	2.99%	\$810,547,704	3.18%
1994	\$836,506,295	0.48%	\$862,748,583	6.44%
1995	\$874,315,598	4.52%	\$864,335,797	0.18%
1996	\$896,910,316	2.58%	\$893,923,750	3.42%
1997	\$913,394,224	1.84%	\$924,512,500	3.42%
1998	\$980,688,962	7.37%	\$966,234,023	4.51%
1999	\$1,028,896,601	4.92%	\$1,008,230,029	4.35%
2000	\$1,130,069,255	9.83%	\$1,127,796,166	11.86%
2001	\$1,163,074,891	2.92%	\$1,198,432,091	6.26%
2002	\$1,144,312,996	-1.61%	\$1,205,131,989	0.56%
2003	\$1,313,933,803	14.82%	\$1,234,836,991	2.46%
2004	\$1,297,452,185	-1.25%	\$1,261,423,837	2.15%
2005	\$1,437,229,950	10.77%	\$1,425,762,453	13.03%
2006	\$1,656,451,339	15.25%	\$1,561,372,278	9.51%
2007	\$1,634,581,148	-1.32%	\$1,658,721,549	6.23%
2008	\$1,814,312,603	11.00%	\$1,834,413,761	10.59%
2009	\$1,602,571,656	-11.67%	\$1,716,127,716	-6.45%
2010	\$1,428,088,535	-10.89%	\$1,473,417,645	-14.14%
2011	\$1,517,092,423	6.23%	\$1,535,186,080	4.19%
2012	\$1,683,865,195	11.0%	\$1,725,266,166	12.38%
2013	\$1,725,226,280	2.46%	\$1,761,827,380	2.12%
2014	\$1,754,572,838	1.70%	\$1,788,690,083	1.53%
2015	\$1,851,312,710	5.51%	\$1,889,400,823	5.63%

## TOBACCO SETTLEMENT

On November 23, 1998, 46 states, the District of Columbia, America Samoa, the Northern Marianas, Guam, the Virgin Island and Puerto Rico reached a settlement with Phillip Morris, R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Brown and Williamson Tobacco and Lorillard Tobacco Company. The settlement calls for the companies to pay the states, the District of Columbia and territories more than \$206 billion over 25 years of which Alabama is projected to receive \$3.04 billion. As of November 1, 2015, Alabama had received approximately \$1,705,042,433. Annual receipts were as follows:

2000	\$131,746,409	2006	\$94,553,640	2012	\$93,817,817
2001	\$103,072,544	2007	\$98,969,040	2013	\$141,254,902
2002	\$121,567,706	2008	\$106,148,659	2014	\$92,980,559
2003	\$118,558,077	2009	\$116,588,383	2015	\$92,056,135
2004	\$102,609,959	2010	\$97,245,835	-	-
2005	\$101,871,492	2011	\$92,001,277	-	-

Alabama had a \$2,462,141 beginning balance for FY 2016 and projected receipts of \$90,724,939 for a total of \$93,187,080. The Alabama Legislature appropriated \$81,967,377 in tobacco revenue to be expended in FY 2016. In addition, approximately \$10,200,000 that was statutorily allocated to the Department of Education will be transferred to the State General Fund for a total of \$92,167,377 in tobacco revenue to be expended in FY 2016. Appropriations are as follows:

Children First Trust Fund:		Other Tobacco Revenue:	
Agency	Appropriation	Agency	Appropriation
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board	515,045	Department of Children's Affairs	613,054
Department of Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention	2,317,631	21st Century Debt Services	13,000,000
Department of Forensic Sciences	447,297	Senior Services Trust Fund	1,328,632
Department of Human Resources	9,293,328	Alabama Medicaid Agency	27,901,260
Juvenile Probation Services Fund	4,646,663	Department of Senior Services - Medicaid Waiver	1,992,947
Medicaid Agency	1,622,342	<b>Total Other Tobacco Appropriation</b>	<b>\$44,835,893</b>
Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation	2,022,457		
Multiple Needs Children's Fund	3,264,106		
Department of Public Health	4,646,663		
Department of Rehabilitation Services	248,634		
Department of Youth Services	8,107,318		
<b>Total CFTF Appropriation</b>	<b>\$37,131,484</b>		
<b>State General Fund Transfer</b>			<b>\$10,200,000</b>
<b>Total Tobacco Revenue Appropriation</b>			<b>\$92,167,377</b>

**AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	8,801,446	23.40%
Agriculture Funds	17,358,361	46.14%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>26,159,807</b>	<b>69.54%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>11,458,022</b>	<b>30.46%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>37,617,829</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Department of Agriculture and Industries provides inspection and grading services to the agriculture industry in the state, issues various agricultural permits and licenses, and performs laboratory and diagnostic services related to agricultural commodities.

<b>Alabama Totals:</b>	<b>2004*</b>	<b>2014*</b>
Number of Farms	44,000	43,400
Total Farm Acreage	8.9 million	8.9 million
Average Acreage Per Farm	202	205

<b>Crop</b>	<b>2014 Acres Harvested</b>	<b>2014 Production</b>
Cotton (all)	348,000	653,000 bales
Hay	750,000	2.100 million tons
Peanuts	173,000	544.95 million pounds
Soybeans	470,000	18.800 million bushels
Wheat	225,000	15.525 million bushels
Corn (grain)	285,000	43.32 million bushels

Sources: National Agricultural Statistics Service.

\*Data is collected on a calendar year basis.

## ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

### DISTRIBUTION OF TAXES AND PROFITS IN FY 2015

State General Fund	\$79,094,027
Mental Health	37,087,461
Human Resources	55,074,229
Education Trust Fund	22,838,290
Local Governments	15,054,403
<b>TOTAL*</b>	<b>\$209,148,810</b>

\*Excludes sales taxes collected on ABC sales.

### Pricing of a \$10 Bottle of Liquor Sold in ABC Stores

Cost of bottle – plus delivery	\$10.00
30% mark-up	\$3.00
56% state liquor tax	\$7.28
6% sales tax (4% state, 2% local)	<u>\$1.22</u>
<b>TOTAL RETAIL PRICE</b>	<b>\$21.50</b>

Appropriation to ABC Board for operating expenses for FY 2016: \$74,393,319

## ARCHIVES AND HISTORY, DEPARTMENT OF

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	1,752,368	27.83%
Education Trust Fund	4,138,705	65.73%
Other	405,000	6.43%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>6,296,073</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>6,296,073</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$872 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Alabama Department of Archives and History was founded in 1901 and was the first State Department of Archives and History in the United States (33 years before the establishment of the National Archives).

The Museum of Archives and History reported 48,706 visitors and 618 school tours with approximately 28,338 students for FY 2015. The Resources Management function of the Department includes ensuring the preservation of and access to the historical records of state government, assistance in the preservation of historical local government records and the collection of non-governmental records and artifacts that help document Alabama history.

**ATTORNEY GENERAL, OFFICE OF THE**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS*</b>		
State General Fund	12,275,000	51.58%
Attorney General Litigation Support Fund	2,500,000	10.50%
<b>FEDERAL</b>	1,415,000	5.95%
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	7,610,000	31.97%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	23,800,000	100.00%

The Office of the Attorney General represents the State, its officers and agents and their employees, either directly or through an appointed official, in all legal matters affecting the operation of the state's agencies, departments, boards and municipalities. The Office reviews and issues reports and opinions on statutes and questions of law. The Office institutes, investigates, and prosecutes in the name of the state, all civil actions and other proceedings necessary to protect the rights and interests of the state. The Office represents the consuming public and legitimate business persons of the state, either through legal actions or mediation, against deceptive trade practices.

The Office of the Attorney General is made up of the following divisions/units:

Administrative Services	General Civil and Administrative Law
Capital Litigation	Investigations
Constitutional Defense	Medicaid Fraud Division
Consumer Protection Section	Opinions
Criminal Appeals	Victim Assistance
Criminal Trials	Special Prosecutions
Executive	

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Consumer complaints received	3,414
Consumer complaints resolved	2,023
Savings to consumers	\$560,323
Medicaid Fraud: investigations	189
Medicaid Fraud: indictments	22
Medicaid Fraud: convictions	11
Medicaid Fraud: recoveries (state and federal)	\$5,399,131
Victim hotline calls and emails	980

**Attorney General (*continued*):**

Section 36-15-3 of the Code of Alabama provides that the salary of the Attorney General shall be equal to the salary of an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama. The Investment in Justice Act of 1999 (Act 99-427) provides for the base state salary of Associate Justices and for additional compensation based on bench experience. The Attorney General is paid the minimum base salary of an Associate Justice (\$160,003), plus an additional \$2,000 (1.25% of the base salary) for each year of experience. Although Section 118 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 provides that the compensation of the Attorney General shall not be increased or diminished during a term, this increase is allowed to be given each year on the anniversary date of the Attorney General assuming that office.

CHILDREN'S AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund	50,509,146	82.55%
Other State Revenue	500,000	0.82%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>51,009,146</b>	<b>83.37%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>10,175,000</b>	<b>16.63%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>61,184,146</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Department of Children's Affairs was created to act as a coordinator for state and local agencies to ensure that services are maximized for the benefit of Alabama's children 19 years of age and younger. Specific responsibilities include:

- Assisting Alabama Children's Policy Council.
- Enhancing pre-kindergarten programs through the Office of School Readiness and the Head Start Program.
- Creating a database that lists all services that are available to children and families in Alabama.
- Hosting special seminars and programs.

## COMMERCE, DEPARTMENT OF

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	5,200,000	5.41%
Education Trust Fund	53,524,479	55.66%
Departmental Receipts	350,000	0.36%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	58,074,479	61.43%
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	37,090,567	38.57%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	96,195,046	100.00%

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$816,269 available for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Department of Commerce aids in the recruitment of new industry, supports existing industry expansion, and promotes trade with other nations. The Department operates through the following divisions:

**Administrative and Technology Division:** Provides general budgetary and accounting services and all computer and data processing services, coordinates all purchasing, and maintains property records and contract files.

**Recruitment Division:** Responsible for attracting industry to Alabama by encouraging and promoting foreign manufacturing investment in the state and supporting expansion and retention of existing business.

**Small Business Advocacy Division:** Provides information on the financial assistance available to small businesses as well as help with regulatory issues. In addition, this Division works closely with the Small Business Development Consortium and in joint efforts with ADECA's Office of Minority Business Enterprise.

**Trade Division:** Assists Alabama businesses with expert promotion and development accomplished through state-wide professional development programs, trade missions, trade publications and distribution of point-to-point international business leads.

**Film Commission:** Promotes the State of Alabama to the film and video industry as a site for on-location production for feature films, television, music videos and industrial and corporate training films and commercials.

Commerce, Department of *(continued)*

**Alabama Industrial Development Training Institute (AIDT):** Provides quality workforce development for Alabama's new and expanding businesses, at no cost, while expanding the opportunities to the citizens of the State through the jobs these businesses create.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Trade partners linked	724
Recruitment projects worked	
New	168
Existing	67
Follow-Up Visits to Existing Industries	127

**CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Conservation Funds	104,576,132	71.53%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	104,576,132	71.53%
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	41,612,815	28.47%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	146,188,947	100.00%

The Department of Conservation and Natural Resources' scope of operations includes the administration, management and maintenance of 18 state parks; 23 public fishing lakes; 3 freshwater fish hatcheries; 1 saltwater fish hatchery; 34 wildlife management areas; 2 waterfowl refuges; 1 wildlife sanctuary; 4 education/research facilities; 45,000 acres of trust lands managed for the benefit of several agencies; and 600,000 acres of state-owned submerged lands managed in part for the benefit of the Alabama Trust Fund. The Department implements the Coastal Area Management Program and manages the 8,879 acres and on-site facilities of the Weeks Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
State park overall guest count	4,836,661
State park overnight guest count	1,094,082
Hunter education students	14,408
Number of deer harvested on management areas	4,638
Number of fish stocked in public waters	4,540,063
Number of fish kills investigated	14

**CORRECTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	398,781,304	82.16%
Agricultural Fund	1,404,364	0.29%
Corrections Industries-Other Fund	24,195,612	4.98%
DOC Industries Tag Revenue	2,850,000	0.59%
Drug Demand Reduction Fund	1,250,242	0.26%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>428,481,522</b>	<b>88.28%</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS and FEDERAL</b>	<b>56,864,736</b>	<b>11.72%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>485,346,258</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$1,729,334 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

<b>Inmate Population Demographics (as of August 2015)</b>		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>
White	11,736 (37.6%)	1,803 (5.8%)
Black	16,778 (53.7%)	797 (2.5%)
Other	118 (0.38%)	10 (0.03%)

<b>Occupancy Information (as of August 2015)</b>	
Total prison population (includes institutions, work release, work centers, supervised intensive restitution, and state prisoners in county jails and other locations)	31,242
Close security	153.7%
Medium security	202.0%
Minimum security	160.4%
Work release (minimum security)	158.3%
Work centers (minimum security)	266.1%
Average time served by inmates separated in FY 2015	45 months
% of inmate population with previous AL incarceration	44.5%
FY 2014 average annual maintenance cost per inmate	\$16,091
Death row inmates	189
Inmate population sentenced under the Habitual Offender Act	7,874 (25.2%)
Inmate population sentenced to life without parole	1,556 (5.0%)
Habitual offenders – life without parole	547 (6.9% of habitual offenders)

Corrections *(continued)*:

Non-Habitual Offender Sentencing (excluding enhancements)		
Class	Misdemeanor	Felony
D*	N/A	Not less than one (1) year and one (1) day and not more than five (5) years imprisonment and may include a fine not to exceed \$7,500. Sentencing must be in accordance with Section 15-18-8(b).
C	Up to three (3) months imprisonment in the county jail, or a fine not to exceed \$500, or both	Not less than one (1) year and one (1) day and not more than ten (10) years imprisonment and may include a fine not to exceed \$15,000. Sentencing must be in accordance with Section 15-18-8(b), unless sentenced under Section 13A-5-9.
B	Up to six (6) months imprisonment in the county jail, or a fine up to \$3,000, or both	Not less than two (2) years and not more than twenty (20) years imprisonment and may include a fine not to exceed \$30,000
A	Up to one (1) year imprisonment in the county jail, or a fine up to \$6,000, or both	Not less than ten (10) years and not more than ninety-nine (99) years or life imprisonment and may include a fine not to exceed \$60,000

\* Class D felony provisions become effective January 30, 2016.

Corrections (*continued*):

Habitual Offender Sentencing		
Prior Felony Conviction	New Felony Conviction	Mandatory Punishment
§ 13A-5-9(a): <u>One</u> prior felony conviction and commits another felony (Class A, B, or C only)	Class C felony	Class B felony
	Class B felony	Class A felony
	Class A felony	Imprisonment for life, or not more than 99 years but not less than 15 years. Fine up to \$60,000
§ 13A-5-9(b): <u>Two</u> prior felony convictions and commits another felony (Class A, B, or C only)	Class C felony	Class A felony
	Class B felony	Imprisonment for life, or not more than 99 years but not less than 15 years. Fine up to \$60,000
	Class A felony	Imprisonment for life, or not less than 99 years. Fine up to \$60,000
§ 13A-5-9(c): <u>Three</u> prior felony convictions and commits another felony (Class A, B, or C only)	Class C felony	Imprisonment for life, or not more than 99 years but not less than 15 years. Fine up to \$60,000
	Class B felony	Imprisonment for life, or not less than 20 years. Fine up to \$60,000
	Class A felony	If no prior <u>Class A</u> felony: imprisonment for life or life without the possibility of parole, in the discretion of the trial court If prior <u>Class A</u> felony: imprisonment for life without the possibility of parole
§ 13A-5-9(d): <u>Two or more</u> prior felony convictions that are Class A or B felonies and commits a Class D felony	Class D felony	Class C felony
§ 13A-5-9(e): <u>Three or more</u> prior felony convictions and commits a Class D felony	Class D felony	Class C felony

## Corrections (*continued*):

### Split Sentencing

Split sentencing is provided for in Section 15-18-8, Code of Alabama 1975, for felony offenses. Those defendants convicted of a sex offense involving a child are not eligible for split sentencing. Effective January 30, 2016, the split sentencing provisions are as follows:

1. When a defendant is convicted of a Class A or B felony offense and receives a sentence of 20 years or less, the judge may order that the defendant be confined in a prison or treatment institution for up to three years in cases where the imposed sentence is not more than 15 years and that the remainder of the sentence be suspended and the defendant placed on probation.
2. When a defendant is convicted of a Class A, Class B, or Class C felony offense and receives a sentence of greater than 15 years but not more than 20 years, the judge may order that the defendant be confined in a prison or treatment institution for three to five years for Class A or Class B felony convictions or for a period of three years for Class C felony convictions and that the remainder of the sentence be suspended and the defendant placed on probation.
3. Unless a defendant is sentenced to probation, drug court, or a pretrial diversion program, when a defendant is convicted of a Class C or Class D felony offense and receives a sentence of not more than 15 years, the judge shall order that the defendant be confined in a prison or treatment institution for a Class C felony offense or in a consenting community corrections program for a Class D felony offense for a period not exceeding two years and that the remainder of the sentence be suspended and the defendant placed on probation.

**DEAF AND BLIND, INSTITUTE FOR**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund		
Adult Programs	12,332,992	14.61%
Children and Youth	29,967,110	35.50%
Industries for the Blind	8,165,087	9.67%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>50,465,189</b>	<b>59.78%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>33,948,590</b>	<b>40.22%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>84,413,779</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind (AIDB) is a comprehensive education and rehabilitation system serving children and adults who are deaf, blind and multi-disabled. Established in 1858, AIDB is funded through three major divisions: Children and Youth Programs, Adult Programs and the Industries for the Blind. AIDB provides services statewide through regional centers located in Auburn, Birmingham, Dothan, Huntsville, Montgomery, Mobile, Tuscumbia, Tuscaloosa and campus programs including residential services located in Talladega.

Regional Centers' services span a lifetime including home and community programs for infants, toddlers, children, adults, and seniors. Accredited residential campus programs serve children ages three through 21 through the Alabama School for the Deaf, Alabama School for the Blind and the Helen Keller School of Alabama. The Gentry campus coordinates postsecondary rehabilitation and employment training for deaf and blind adults. AIDB is supported by appropriations from the Education Trust Fund, income from sales of blind-made products and other sources such as federal grants, private gifts and grants.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEYS

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	25,959,870	100.00%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	25,959,870	100.00%
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	0	0.00%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION**</b>	25,959,870	100.00%

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016 in the amount of \$1,164,020.

\*\*District Attorneys also receive county general fund money and other funds that are not included in the General Fund Appropriations Act.

District Attorneys are elected for six-year terms in each of the 41 judicial circuits (and the Bessemer Division of the 10<sup>th</sup> Circuit).

Section 12-17-182 of the Code of Alabama provides that district attorneys shall be paid by the state \$1,000 less than the salary paid by the state to circuit judges. The Investment In Justice Act of 1999 (Act 99-427), which provided for additional state compensation for judges for bench experience, also provided that all district attorneys be paid a state salary equal to \$1,000 less than the salary paid by the state to a circuit judge with the maximum amount of state compensation. District attorneys are paid a state salary of \$148,936.

Supernumerary district attorneys are paid a state salary of \$111,952 (\$500 less than 75% of the state salary of a circuit judge with maximum state compensation).

District attorneys do not make contributions from their salary to a retirement (or equivalent) fund. A supernumerary district attorney's salary and health insurance are paid like that of a district attorney (from the State General Fund appropriation to the district attorneys). The state does not pay retirement or FICA on supernumerary salaries. There are 42 district attorneys and 47 supernumerary district attorneys.

**ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	7,427,962	3.41%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>7,427,962</b>	<b>3.41%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>		
Juvenile Accountability Incentive Block Fund	7,000,000	3.21%
Other Federal and Local Funds	185,285,868	85.00%
<b>TOTAL FEDERAL AND LOCAL</b>	<b>192,285,868</b>	<b>88.21%</b>
<b>OTHER**</b>	<b>18,262,759</b>	<b>8.38%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>217,976,589</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$359,353 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

\*\*Includes interest from investments, administrative fees from surplus property, sales receipts from data processing and graphic arts services, internal transfers of federal funds from the various programs for administration, the Neighbors Helping Neighbors Fund, and the State Safety Coordinating Fund.

The Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs (ADECA) was established in 1983 to administer federal and state programs to help communities attract industry, create jobs, provide resources to underprivileged citizens, and aid law enforcement efforts. ADECA also plans and administers the state's energy, technology, and water resources programs and programs of the Appalachian Regional Commission and the Delta Regional Authority within the state. The Department operates through the following divisions:

**Office of the Director:** Comprised of the Director, ADECA's Administrative Division and the Appalachian Regional Commission. It is responsible for administering infrastructure grant programs, economic development programs, planning programs, and programs that assist the state's low income populations. Programs include the Community Development Block Grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Community Services Block Grant Program from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In addition, the Office oversees the audit and review of ADECA grant recipients, recreation programs, the passport to fitness program and other resources for economic assistance.

**ADECA (continued):**

**Communication and Information Division (CID):** This division produced publications and speeches for the director, oversees special projects and serves as the legislative liaison of the department.

**Energy Division:** Responsible for increasing energy efficiency, promoting renewal energy, educating and assisting limited income households with energy costs and encouraging access to advanced telecommunications services for Alabama citizens.

**Financial Services Division:** Performs the functions of accounting, budgeting, payroll, purchasing, and property management.

**Law Enforcement and Traffic Safety (LETS) Division:** Administers federal funding for victims' services, law enforcement, juvenile justice and highway traffic safety programs.

**Office of Water Resources (OWR):** Administers programs for river basin management, river assessment, water supply assistance, water conservation, flood mapping, the National Flood Insurance Program, and water resources development.

**Office of Workforce Development:** The division is the administrative entity for the Alabama Service Delivery Area (ASDA) that represents all counties except Jefferson and Mobile Counties. The division through the ASDA and the Jefferson and Mobile County service delivery areas provide management and funding of WIA programs.

**Surplus Property Division:** Distributes and sells state agencies' excess property and surplus federal property.

**ADECA (continued):**

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
<b>Energy Management</b>	
Workshops, energy audits, technical assistance and outreach events	233
Homes Inspected	42
<b>Financial Services/Communications and Information</b>	
Deployed technologies	32
<b>Law Enforcement</b>	
Administrative management of grants awarded to sub-grantees	379
<b>Office of the Director</b>	
CDBG grants funded	70
CDBG grants administered	180
Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) projects awarded	68
<b>Office of Workforce Development</b>	
Training grants administered	498
<b>Surplus Property</b>	
Entities visiting warehouses	754
<b>Water Resources</b>	
Certificate of Use holders	1,026
FEMA Mapping Projects	5
Community Assistance Visits (CAVs) in support of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)	18

## EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund	194,994,659	12.19%
Education Trust Fund-Transfer	1,583,796	0.10%
Driver Education and Training Fund	4,960,792	0.31%
Special Education Catastrophic Fund	5,000,000	0.31%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>206,539,247</b>	<b>12.91%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>1,393,548,322</b>	<b>87.09%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>1,600,087,569</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The State Department of Education executes educational policies for the schools of the state as authorized by law and determined by the State Board of Education and allocates funds to local school systems based on state law, school board regulations, and federal laws. Technical assistance and other services that are not instructional (i.e., training and research) are also provided to the local systems. In addition, the Department is responsible for administering the Accountability Act and the Educational Accountability and Intervention Act passed by the Legislature in 2013, creating innovative K-12 schools and streamlining intervention over the operational functions of local boards of education. The Department is also responsible for administering the Disability Determination Program under an agreement with the Social Security Administration and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

See EDUCATION K-12 FOUNDATION PROGRAM/LOCAL BOARDS for additional information about K-12 education.

**EDUCATION – K-12 FOUNDATION PROGRAM/LOCAL BOARDS**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund	3,841,130,292	83.06%
Public School Fund (estimated)	175,532,864	3.80%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>4,016,663,156</b>	<b>86.86%</b>
<b>FEDERAL AND LOCAL</b>	<b>607,545,193</b>	<b>13.14%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>4,624,208,349</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

<b>Program</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Foundation Program – Education Trust Fund	3,450,526,288
Foundation Program – Local Funds	607,545,193
Salary Matrix Adjustment*	-
Current Units	9,609,561
Transportation Program	320,325,661
At-Risk Student Program	20,267,734
Board of Adjustment	750,800
Endowment Interest Program - Public School Fund, Estimated	532,864
Public School Fund, Estimated	175,000,000
School Nurses Program	29,985,470
Information Technology Coordinator	4,664,778
Career Tech Operations and Maintenance	5,000,000
<b>Total Appropriation</b>	<b>4,624,208,349</b>

\*For the Salary Matrix and the estimated cost of a teacher unit for FY 2016, see page 7.

Education-Foundation Program/Local Boards (*continued*):

FOUNDATION PROGRAM COMPONENTS Fiscal Year 2016		
<b>Fringe Benefit Rates</b>		
Teachers' Retirement System:		11.94%
FICA (Social Security):		7.65%
PEEHIP:		\$780 per month
Unemployment Compensation:		0.125%
Annual Leave Day:		\$60 per day
<b>Funding Divisors</b>		
Grades K – 3:		14.25
Grades 4 – 6:		21.85
Grades 7 – 8:		20.20
Grades 9 – 12:		18.45
<b>Other Current Expense</b>	\$16,281	Per teacher unit
<b>Classroom Instructional Support Factors</b>		
Student materials	\$373.79	Per teacher unit
Technology	\$63.79	Per teacher unit
Professional development	\$63.79	Per teacher unit
Library enhancement	\$21.26	Per teacher unit
Common purchase	\$0	Per teacher unit
Textbooks	\$52.71	Per pupil
<b>Local Support</b>		
Mills of District Ad Valorem Tax equivalents required		10.00
Statewide Value of One Mill (per the FY 2016 Foundation Program)		\$55,267,295
<b>Total Number of Teacher and Instructional Support Units:</b>		<b>47,032.05</b>

**Other Statistics**

**SY 2014-15**

Number of local school boards	136
Fall Enrollment (2013-2014)	737,451
Number of certificated teachers (all sources of funds)	46,480
Pupil-Teacher ratio	15.87
Total certificated personnel (all sources of funds)	54,105
Pupil-certificated staff ratio	13.63
Total support personnel	35,652

Source: State Department of Education Quick Facts

## EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION COMMISSION

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund	6,204,750	90.03%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	6,204,750	90.03%
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	687,331	9.97%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	6,892,081	100.00%

The Alabama Educational Television Commission was organized to make the benefits of educational television available to the citizens of Alabama. The Commission was established in 1953. The Commission controls and supervises the use of television channels assigned for non-commercial, educational use and the programming released over such channels. The Commission is also authorized to own and operate public radio stations within the state.

The Commission is the Federal Communications Commission licensee for nine public television stations and one public radio station. The Commission has total responsibility for the statewide Alabama Public Television (APT) Network and for WLRH-FM in Huntsville. The Commission surveys, studies, and appraises the need for an overall plan to make educational television facilities and services available to the state. In addition, the Commission provides financial support for educational telecourses and other public radio stations in Alabama.

The Commission, as mandated by the Federal Communications Commission, has converted the nine public television stations from analog to digital signals. The Commission currently operates nine digital transmitters, each of which broadcast three programming channels simultaneously: the regular APT HD programming, the APT Create channel, and the APT-IQ channel.

## ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT, DEPARTMENT OF

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	208,000	0.18%
Other Funds	93,521,008	60.70%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	93,801,008	60.88%
<b>FEDERAL AND LOCAL</b>	60,276,638	39.12%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	154,077,646	100.00%

The Department of Environmental Management regulates pollutants discharged into the air, on land, and into the water and administers grant programs designed to help municipalities and industries in the management of a healthy environment.

The Department administers the Alabama Land Recycling and Economic Redevelopment Act (Act 2001-635) providing for the voluntary assessment and/or cleanup of potentially contaminated property. This is a fee driven program in which the Department is responsible for reviewing all cleanup plans and activities to ensure they meet or exceed the requirements of environmental regulations and guidelines.

The Department oversees the Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF), providing low interest loans to publicly owned water treatment works to help meet the goals of the Clean Water Act. The federal government, through the U.S. Environment Protection Agency, provides annual grant money which states are required to match at an 80:20 ratio in order to receive the full allotment of federal funds for the program. Since the inception of the Clean Water SRF in 1987 (loans first funded in 1989), 248 loans totaling \$1,145,525,890 have been funded.

In addition, the Department oversees the Drinking Water SRF, providing low interest loans to improve and/or upgrade publicly owned drinking water systems in order to help meet the goals of the Safe Drinking Water Act. The program is funded in the same manner as the Clean Water SRF. Since the inception of the Drinking Water SRF in 1997 (loans first funded in 1998), 183 loans totaling over \$406,826,700 have been funded.

The Department also administers the state's underground and aboveground storage tank regulatory program funded by tank and regulatory fees and tank charges imposed upon tank owners/operators. The program works with responsible parties and ensures that storage tank releases are properly cleaned up by administering the funds in the Alabama Underground and Aboveground Storage Tank Trust Fund

## Environmental Management (*continued*):

which serves as the financial responsibility mechanism for underground storage tank owners and operators.

The Department administers and enforces the Alabama Scrap Tire Environmental Quality Act (Act 2003-332). The law uniformly regulates scrap tire accumulations statewide from the point of generation to the point of disposal through a registration program for scrap tire receivers and a permitting system for scrap tire processors and transporters. Additionally, the Department develops a ranking system used for prioritized abatement and remediation actions for the estimated 800 illegal scrap tire dumps. Such remedial activities are funded by a \$1 fee collected at the point of sale from consumers purchasing replacement tires.

## FORESTRY COMMISSION

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	7,042,583	27.79%
Forestry Funds	8,575,000	33.84%
Emergency Forest Fire Fund	170,100	0.67%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>15,787,683</b>	<b>62.30%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL FUNDS</b>	<b>9,554,968</b>	<b>37.70%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>25,342,651</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Forestry Commission coordinates and administers the enhancement and protection of Alabama's forests through landowner assistance programs, urban forestry, reforestation, forestry assistance programs, and by assisting in training and acquiring equipment for volunteer fire departments in the state.

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	FY 2015
State-owned forests managed	45,600 acres
Number of wildfires suppressed	2,377 totaling 26,106 acres
Prescribed burns performed by Forestry Commission	482 totaling 30,262 acres

Statewide Forest Management Accomplishments – FY 2015		
Program	Landowners Assisted	Impact
Tree planting	183	10,461 acres
Stand management	2,940	191,523 acres
Firebreak plowing	537	878 miles
Stewardship forest plans	236	41,438 acres
New stewardship forests certified	145	34,118 acres

## HIGHER EDUCATION, COMMISSION ON

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund		
Planning and Coordination	3,252,892	13.98%
Student Financial Aid	6,900,522	29.65%
Support of Other Educational Activities	2,284,429	9.82%
Support of State Universities	5,241,283	22.52%
Support of Other State Programs	3,738,120	16.06%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>21,417,246</b>	<b>92.02%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>1,857,000</b>	<b>7.98%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>23,274,246</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Alabama Commission on Higher Education serves in an advisory capacity to the Legislature and the Governor in respect to postsecondary education matters and administers student financial aid programs. The Commission's activities are divided into five appropriation units as follows:

**A. Planning and Coordination Services Program**

FY 2016 Appropriation: \$3,252,822 (ETF); \$3,438,892 (Total)

1. The development of Unified Budget Recommendations
2. The review of all new and existing programs in instruction, research, and public service, and the enforcement of viability standards for programs
3. The development and maintenance of the State College, University, and Faculty Information System
4. The coordination of statewide higher education special studies and long range planning projects
5. The review of new facilities and new construction projects

## Higher Education (*continued*):

### B. Student Financial Assistance Program

FY 2016 Appropriation: \$6,900,522 (ETF)

1. Alabama National Guard Educational Assistance Program (\$583,643): provides tuition assistance to guardsmen to pursue undergraduate and, to a limited extent, graduate degrees. FY 2015: 363 awards, \$1,194 average award, total \$433,466
2. Alabama Student Assistance Program (\$2,697,551): state supported grant program designed to assist financially needy students. FY 2015: 4,112 awards, \$637 average award, total \$2,619,980
3. Alabama Student Grant Program (\$3,470,970): provides assistance for residents enrolled in independent, non-profit Alabama Colleges and Universities. FY 2015: 5,145 awards, \$388 average award, total \$1,996,350
4. Police Officers / Firefighters Survivor's Education Assistance Program (\$148,358): provides assistance for undergraduate study for dependents and spouses of police officers and firefighters killed, or totally disabled, in the line of duty. FY 2015: 25 awards, \$7,991 average award, total \$199,776

### C. Support of Other Educational Activities Program

FY 2016 Appropriation: \$2,284,429 (ETF); \$3,955,429 (Total)

1. Southern Regional Education Board (\$624,950): includes funding for Minority Doctoral Scholars Program, Academic Common Market and various other scholarships
2. Articulation and General Studies Committee (AGSC) / Statewide Transfer and Articulation Reporting System (STARS) (\$174,867): provides Alabama college students with a simplified, seamless, and streamlined transfer process by providing them with accurate transfer information through state-approved transfer guides
3. Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCOR) (\$1,143,088): merit based programs sponsored by the state and various other entities to enhance the science and engineering research, education and technology capabilities of Alabama
4. Network of Alabama Academic Libraries (NAAL) (\$301,248): coordinates the sharing of Library resources supporting graduate education and research

## Higher Education (*continued*):

5. School and University Partnership for Education Renewal Program (SUPER) (\$40,276): provides graduate-level professional development to grades 3-12 teachers (public and private), school librarians and administrators

### D. **Alabama Agricultural Land Grant Alliance Program**

FY 2016 Appropriation: \$5,241,283 (ETF)

### E. **Support of Other State Programs**

FY 2016 Appropriation: \$3,738,120 (ETF)

1. Alabama Forestry Foundation Black Belt Initiative (\$242,000): provides job opportunity awareness, enhances fundamental skills in math and science, and provides a pathway for employment in the forestry industry for residents of Alabama's rural communities
2. Soil and Water Conservation Committee Program (\$1,173,376): supports local landowners within the 67 soil and water conservation districts
3. Black Belt Adventures (\$300,000): promotes the activities of Alabama Black Belt Adventures, a non-profit organization that promotes outdoor recreation and tourism in the state's Black Belt Region
4. Black Belt Treasures (\$150,000): stimulates the economy in Alabama's Black Belt Region through the promotion of regional art and fine crafts and provides the regional artisans a means to promote and sell their products
5. Alabama Civil Air Patrol (\$75,000): supports educational meetings, conferences and professional development seminars, aerospace training and workshops, educational products and services for teachers and students, activities and competitions for cadets at local, state, regional and national levels as well as other ancillary administrative costs
6. National Computer Forensics Institute (\$250,000): provides highly specialized extended training courses to judges, prosecutors, and law enforcement personnel in order to increase their proficiency and general understanding in the use and application of computer crimes and digital evidence

## Higher Education (*continued*):

7. Adaptive and Disability Sports Education (\$210,000): serves youth and young adults with disabilities in the River Region who have the desire to participate in Disability Sports such as Wheelchair Basketball, Wheelchair Tennis, and Wheelchair Track and Field
8. Resource Conservation and Development (RC and D) Programs (\$1,187,744): supports the activities of the nine regional RC and D Councils and promotes resource conservation activities in Alabama and on the national level
9. International Motorsports Hall of Fame (\$150,000): an exhibition hall which houses and displays exhibits relating to the automobile racing industry and the automobile industry. These funds will be used to support deferred maintenance for existing facilities and to supplement employee salaries.

**HIGHER EDUCATION: SENIOR INSTITUTIONS**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund	1,050,829,015	15.40%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	1,050,829,015	15.40%
<b>FEDERAL AND LOCAL (includes Tuition and Fees)</b>	5,771,170,510	84.60%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	6,821,999,525	100.00%

<b>FY 2016 Appropriations by Institution</b>			
<b>Senior Institutions</b>	<b>ETF</b>	<b>Federal and Local</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Alabama A&amp;M University</b>			
O&M	\$32,054,017	\$61,644,841	\$93,698,858
Other	\$5,815,567	\$49,710,371	\$55,525,938
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$37,869,584</b>	<b>\$111,355,212</b>	<b>\$149,224,796</b>
<b>Alabama A&amp;M / Miles College</b>			
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$263,642</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$263,642</b>
<b>Alabama State University</b>			
O&M	\$42,198,590	\$66,865,554	\$109,064,144
Other	\$100,000	\$58,284,882	\$58,384,882
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$42,298,590</b>	<b>\$125,150,436</b>	<b>\$167,449,026</b>
<b>University of Alabama System</b>			
UAT O&M	\$143,505,272	\$581,121,738	\$724,627,010
UAB O&M	\$264,070,857	\$1,974,660,992	\$2,238,731,849
UAH O&M	\$42,609,223	\$98,658,199	\$141,267,422
Other	\$10,544,838	\$781,632,927	\$792,177,765
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$460,730,190</b>	<b>\$3,436,073,856</b>	<b>\$3,896,804,046</b>
<b>Auburn University System</b>			
AU O&M	\$158,323,635	\$502,735,494	\$661,059,129
AAES O&M	\$30,887,430	\$5,285,700	\$36,173,130
ACES O&M	\$32,204,625	\$1,893,360	\$34,097,985
AUM O&M	\$22,410,382	\$52,649,123	\$75,059,505
Other	\$3,964,915	\$377,587,507	\$381,552,422
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$247,790,987</b>	<b>\$940,151,184</b>	<b>\$1,187,942,171</b>
<b>Athens State University</b>			
O&M	\$11,707,035	\$18,559,761	\$30,266,796
Other	\$0	\$22,381,726	\$22,381,726
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$11,707,035</b>	<b>\$40,941,487</b>	<b>\$52,648,522</b>

Senior Institutions *(continued)*:

FY 2014 Appropriations by Institution			
<u>Senior Institutions</u>	<u>ETF</u>	<u>Federal and Local</u>	<u>Total</u>
Jacksonville State University			
O&M	\$35,516,827	\$68,678,421	\$104,195,248
Other	\$1,578,333	\$87,519,553	\$89,097,886
Total	\$37,095,160	\$156,197,974	\$193,293,134
University of Montevallo			
O&M	\$18,015,810	\$33,588,751	\$51,604,561
Other	\$1,025,000	\$19,043,479	\$20,068,479
Total	\$19,040,810	\$52,632,230	\$71,673,040
University of North Alabama			
O&M	\$25,679,033	\$49,626,176	\$75,305,209
Other	\$1,500,000	\$20,076,093	\$21,576,093
Total	\$27,179,033	\$69,702,269	\$96,881,302
University of South Alabama			
O&M	\$101,926,761	\$534,034,827	\$635,961,588
Other	\$3,050,000	\$91,237,000	\$94,287,000
Total	\$104,976,761	\$625,271,827	\$730,248,588
Troy University			
O&M	\$46,820,591	\$169,554,118	\$216,374,709
Other	\$700,533	\$17,889,268	\$18,589,801
Total	\$47,521,124	\$187,443,386	\$234,964,510
University of West Alabama			
O&M	\$13,256,099	\$19,347,942	\$32,604,041
Other	\$1,100,000	\$6,902,707	\$8,002,707
Total	\$14,356,099	\$26,250,649	\$40,606,748
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$1,050,829,015</b>	<b>\$5,771,170,510</b>	<b>\$6,821,999,525</b>
Notes:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Federal and Local" funds include Tuition and Fees.</li> <li>• ETF "Other" appropriations includes line items other than "Operations and Maintenance" and Auxiliary Enterprises and Restricted Funds.</li> </ul>			

**HIGHER EDUCATION: TWO-YEAR COLLEGE SYSTEM**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund		
Operations and Maintenance	281,032,969	28.47%
Prison Education	9,345,629	0.95%
Postsecondary Education Department	10,273,567	1.04%
Adult Education Program	12,399,190	1.26%
Special Populations Training	4,500,268	0.46%
Mine Safety Training Program	350,000	0.04%
Truck Driving Training	240,790	0.02%
Industry Certification Initiatives*	2,917,408	0.30%
Marion Military Institute	6,843,936	0.69%
Alabama Technology Network	4,896,762	0.50%
Dual Enrollment Program	10,300,000	1.04%
Dual Enrollment Tax Credit Fund	10,000,000	1.01%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>353,100,519</b>	<b>35.77%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL FUNDS (includes tuition and fees)</b>	<b>633,998,181</b>	<b>64.23%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>987,098,700</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\* Formerly Workforce Development

Higher Education: Two-Year College System *(continued)*:

Institutions	Estimated FY 2016 O&M Allocation: ETF	Estimated FY 2016 Prison Education Allocation	Total Estimated FY 2016 Allocation
Alabama Southern	\$6,179,453	-	\$6,179,453
Bevill	\$14,871,695	-	\$14,871,695
Bishop	\$13,230,783	\$740,267	\$13,971,050
Calhoun	\$22,689,330	-	\$22,689,330
Central AL	\$7,766,145	-	\$7,766,145
Chattahoochee	\$5,800,127	-	\$5,800,127
Drake	\$4,830,588	-	\$4,830,588
Enterprise-Ozark	\$9,097,587	-	\$9,097,587
Faulkner	\$11,613,053	-	\$11,613,053
Gadsden	\$21,166,056	\$433,726	\$21,599,782
Ingram	\$3,976,665	\$2,828,215	\$6,804,880
Jeff Davis	\$5,145,073	\$791,779	\$5,936,852
Jefferson State	\$19,912,142	-	\$19,912,142
L.B. Wallace	\$6,829,851	-	\$6,829,851
Lawson	\$13,318,749	-	\$13,318,749
Northeast	\$7,817,165	-	\$7,817,165
Northwest-Shoals	\$11,277,087	-	\$11,277,087
Reid	\$4,234,170	-	\$4,234,170
Shelton	\$16,570,604	-	\$16,570,604
Snead	\$6,937,251	-	\$6,937,251
Southern Union	\$14,241,846	-	\$14,241,846
Trenholm	\$8,303,162	-	\$8,303,162
Wallace-Dothan	\$14,101,961	\$611,741	\$14,713,702
Wallace-Hanceville	\$16,579,249	-	\$16,579,249
Wallace-Selma	\$7,832,190	-	\$7,832,190
Marion Military	\$6,843,936	-	\$6,843,936
Chancellor's Office	\$1,920,268	-	\$1,920,268
Alabama Therapeutic Education Facility	-	\$1,939,901	\$1,939,901
LifeTech Institute	-	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$283,086,186</b>	<b>\$9,345,629</b>	<b>\$292,431,815</b>

## HISTORICAL COMMISSION

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
State General Fund - Transfer	1,640,454	20.07%
Education Trust Fund	300,000	3.67%
Other Departmental Receipts	4,188,539	51.24%
Soldiers Fund	610,000	7.46%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>6,738,993</b>	<b>82.45%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>1,434,800</b>	<b>17.55%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>8,173,793</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Historical Commission surveys and maintains inventory of all sites and structures over 50 years old, nominates to the National Register the most important sites and structures while including significant sites on the Alabama Register, maintains environmental review and compliance program where federal funds are involved, reviews and certifies tax act projects, processes grants, promotes historic preservation, manages Main Street Downtown Revitalization programs and maintains historic properties owned by the Commission.

Properties	Number of Visitors in FY 2015
Gaineswood	1,335
Fendall Hall	1,933
Confederate Park	12,780
Magnolia Grove	737
Fort Toulouse/Jackson	58,873
Fort Morgan	78,271
Belle Mont	778
Cahawba	21,485
State Capitol	71,440
Pond Spring	2,299
Freedom Rides Museum/Greyhound Bus Station	1,578

**HUMAN RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	58,708,632	2.83%
Education Trust Fund	27,539,782	1.33%
Other	182,666,659	8.82%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>268,915,073</b>	<b>12.98%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>1,802,642,318</b>	<b>87.02%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>2,071,557,386</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Department of Human Resources (DHR) was created in 1935 as the principal social service agency in the state.

<b>Selected Department Statistics</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families - (TANF) families served (monthly average)	13,753 (24,115 children)
Adoption services – children placed	512
Child care for children – number of slots	30,497
Food assistance – households - (monthly average)	417,944
Value of food stamps - (monthly average per household)	\$268.36

<b>Average Monthly Payments (as of September 2015)</b>	
TANF – payment per case	\$190.91
Child care – payment per child	\$253.00
Foster Care Board – payment per child	\$465.00

**INSURANCE, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Fire Marshal's Fund	388,395	2.23%
Examination Revolving Fund	6,730,539	38.59%
Insurance Department Fund	9,850,320	56.48%
Service Contract Fund	30,601	0.18%
Reduced Cigarette Ignition Propensity Standards and Firefighters Protection Fund	73,425	0.42%
Insurance Fraud Unit	368,320	2.11%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>17,441,600</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>17,441,600</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Department of Insurance is the regulatory agency for insurers operating in Alabama. Responsibilities include examination and licensing of agents and collection of the insurance premium tax.

During FY 2015, receipts from the insurance premium tax were distributed as follows: \$274,765,667 to the State General Fund; \$30,993,230 to the Education Trust Fund; \$4,525,338 to the Mental Health Trust Fund; \$9,897 to the Special Exam Revolving Fund; and \$510,189 to the Insurance Department Fund.

**LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	706,509	0.66%
Professional Employer Organization Registration Fund	98,297	0.09%
Employment Security Administration Fund	4,115,458	3.85%
State Abandon Mine Land Reclamation Fund	8,992,366	8.40%
Workers Compensation Administration Trust Fund	5,000,000	4.67%
Child Labor Fund	285,487	0.27%
Elevator Safety Review Fee Receipts	834,584	0.78%
Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspection Fee Receipts	697,936	0.65%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>20,730,637</b>	<b>19.36%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>86,631,083</b>	<b>80.64%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>107,091,720</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$383,474 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Department of Labor is responsible for administering Employment Service, Unemployment Compensation, Worker's Compensation, Labor Market Information and Mining and Reclamation Safety. Under the federal Wagner-Peyser Act, the Employment Service Division provides statewide public labor exchange activities for people seeking jobs and individuals who are eligible to receive unemployment compensation. The Department of Labor also oversees the reclamation of land and water resources adversely affected by past coal mining, enforces safety requirements of state mining laws, and oversees the registration of Professional Employer Organizations (PEOs).

Labor, Department of *(continued)*:

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
<b>Unemployment Compensation</b>	
Maximum weekly benefit amount payable	\$265
Minimum weekly benefit amount payable	\$45
Gross benefit paid	\$221,787,495
<b>Unemployment Tax Contributions</b>	
Number of employers	85,982
Balance of U.C. Trust Fund (as of 9/30/15)	\$444,828,074
<b>Employment Service</b>	
Number of individuals served	567,521
Number of new job openings received	184,967
<b>Workers' Compensation Program</b>	
Total compensation payments recorded	\$713,879,660
Maximum weekly compensation payable	\$813
Minimum weekly compensation payable	\$224
<b>Mining and Reclamation</b>	
Number of coal and non-coal mines inspected	953
Number of mining sites reclaimed	28

## LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, STATE

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	44,640,937	19.76%
Education Trust Fund	430,000	0.19%
Transfer from ABC Board Fund	16,895,695	7.48%
ABC Cost of Evidence Fund	200,000	0.09%
Ignition Interlock Fund	650,000	0.29%
Transfer from Automated Fingerprint Identification System	4,668,174	2.07%
Transfer from CJIS Automation Fund	5,862,066	2.59%
Transfer from Highway Traffic Safety Fund	37,750,000	16.71%
Transfer from Impaired Driver Prevention and Enforcement Fund	500,000	0.22%
Transfer from Marine Police Fund	11,694,930	5.18%
Transfer from Public Road and Bridge Fund	3,500,000	1.55%
Transfer from Public Road and Bridge Fund	25,000,000	11.07%
Transfer from Public Safety Motor Vehicle Replacement Fund	1,350,000	0.60%
Transfer from Revenue Administration Fund	1,200,000	0.53%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>154,341,802</b>	<b>68.33%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>71,531,769</b>	<b>31.67%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>225,873,571</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$7,349 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The State Law Enforcement Agency consists of the following:

- Office of the Secretary
  - Department of Homeland Security
  - Fusion Center
    - Investigators employed with the Office of Prosecution Services as computer forensics investigators/analysts
  - Protective Services Unit

**Law Enforcement Agency, State (continued):**

- Department of Public Safety
  - Law enforcement unit of the Public Service Commission
  - Revenue enforcement officers of the Department of Revenue
  - Marine Police Division of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
  
- State Bureau of Investigations (formerly Alabama Bureau of Investigations)
  - Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
  - Law enforcement unit of the Alabama Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
  - Investigative unit of the Alabama Forestry Commission
  - Investigative unit of the Department of Agriculture and Industries

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Stolen vehicles recovered	91
Tickets issued	288,461
Warning tickets issued	147,340
Polygraph exams conducted	54
Accidents investigated	31,055
Motorists assisted	21,219
Commercial vehicles inspected	33,739
Investigations conducted (SBI)	7,732
Number of persons arrested (SBI)	1,150
Overweight truck tickets	6,028
Marijuana plants seized or destroyed	12,288
Number of licenses issued (includes renewals and learner permits)	945,986
Driver license exams conducted	160,924
Traffic fatalities	502
Assists law enforcement agencies (SBI)	3,205
Miles driven	12,616,783
Boats registered	262,331
Boating accidents investigated	85
Marine Police arrests	1,646
Marine Police warnings issued	3,787
Marine sanitation devices inspected	1,449

## MEDICAID AGENCY

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	685,125,607	10.73%
Departmental Receipts and Intragovernmental Transfers	587,588,542	9.21%
Alabama Health Care Trust	405,916,536	6.36%
Certified Public Expenditures	155,449,681	2.44%
Drug Rebates	84,185,709	1.32%
Medicaid Trust Fund	35,543,988	0.56%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>1,953,810,063</b>	<b>30.61%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>4,428,882,575</b>	<b>69.39%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>6,382,692,638</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*The FY 2016 State General Fund amount shown above does not include reversions or unencumbered balances brought forward. In accordance with Section 22-6-3, Code of Alabama 1975, all revenue balances remaining in the Medicaid Fund at the end of a fiscal year shall carry over to the next fiscal year and shall not revert to the State General Fund. At the end of FY 2015, the agency has \$20,853,881 in State General Fund dollars that were brought forward into FY 2016.

The Alabama Medicaid Agency is the sole state agency having responsibility for administering Title XIX of the Social Security Act. Title XIX provides for certain medical services for low-income persons who are categorically eligible. The Medicaid program is funded with federal funds, which must be matched by state funds at a ratio of \$2.32 for every \$1 in state funding in FY 2016. Medicaid provides no direct services but provides reimbursement for covered services to those providing medical services to Medicaid eligible persons. Persons must fit into one of several categories and meet certain criteria before being determined Medicaid eligible. Those eligible include:

- Persons receiving SSI
- Persons receiving assistance through certain programs administered by the Department of Human Resources
- Certain pregnant women and children, including those with incomes below 133% of poverty (commonly referred to as SOBRA), and foster children in the custody of the state
- Certain residents of medical facilities (nursing homes, hospitals, or state owned mental illness facilities)

**Medicaid Agency (*continued*):**

- Some low-income Medicare beneficiaries may qualify to have their premiums, deductibles, and buy-ins paid by Medicaid (referred to as Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries or QMB's)

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Monthly Average Medicaid Eligibles	1,050,117
Number of Nursing Home Days	5,909,069
Number of Claims	
Hospital Care:	
Inpatient	162,414
Outpatient	1,431,979
Pharmacy	7,307,121
Physician	4,508,016
Health Support:	
Eye exams	236,061
Eyeglasses	161,109
Child Screenings	690,337
Rural Health Clinics:	319,336
Federally Qualified Health Centers:	304,347

**MENTAL HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	106,071,435	10.81%
Education Trust Fund	44,327,347	4.52%
Special Mental Health Trust Fund	193,578,937	19.72%
Other	6,626,610	0.68%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>350,604,329</b>	<b>35.72%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>631,014,502</b>	<b>64.28%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>981,618,831</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Department of Mental Health is the State's designated agency to provide services to those individuals with mental illness, intellectual disability, and/or substance abuse disorders. The Department operates psychiatric hospitals and a developmental center. Services in local communities are offered through contracts with over 400 community providers.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
<b>Mental Illness:</b>	
Number of hospitals	3
Total bed capacity for state operated facilities	479
Number of adults served	73,732
Number of children and adolescents served	30,424
<b>Intellectual Disabilities:</b>	
Number of people served in the community	5,839
Number served from waiting list	333
Number of people waiting for service	3,177
Number of people receiving employment supports	169
<b>Substance Abuse (SA) Program:</b>	
Number of people served in the treatment program	19,982
Number of counties that offer treatment services	57
Number of people served in the prevention program	89,974
Number of counties that offer prevention services*	37

\*Substance Abuse services are not available in Coosa, Greene, Sumter, and Washington counties.

# MILITARY DEPARTMENT AND ARMORY COMMISSION

## Military Department

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund:		
Active Military Service	3,392	0.05%
One for One Program	329,825	4.58%
Operations	5,908,879	82.07%
Quarterly Allowance HQ	944,290	13.12%
State Defense Force	13,614	0.19%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>7,200,000</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>7,200,000</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$5,246,988 available for reappropriation in FY 2016.

## Armory Commission

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Military Department Billeting Revolving Fund	674,000	0.79%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>674,000</b>	<b>0.79%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>84,427,846</b>	<b>99.21%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>84,427,846</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

As of October 1, 2015, Alabama had:  
  91 Army National Guard Units, totaling 10,880 troops  
  35 Air National Guard Units, totaling 2,232 troops  
  Total National Guard Troop Force of 13,112

Since September 11, 2001, more than 16,000 Alabama Army and Air Guard personnel have been called to active duty.

## OIL AND GAS BOARD

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	2,399,453	76.10%
Surety Bonds Deposits	40,000	1.27%
OGB Special Fund	713,515	22.63%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>3,152,968</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>3,152,968</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$601,979 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Oil and Gas Board is responsible for the management and regulation of oil and gas exploration and development including: field monitoring of all petroleum drilling and production activities; compiling, storing and disseminating exploration and production data; preparing petroleum geologic maps; conducting special geologic and engineering studies; water quality monitoring of oil and gas fields; and providing direct assistance to other state agencies and Alabama citizens in oil and gas matters.

<b>Alabama Totals</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Barrels of oil and condensate produced	9.95 million
Natural gas production (cubic ft.)	172.6 billion
Oil and Gas Severance Tax collections	\$70,244,127

**PARDONS AND PAROLES, BOARD OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	38,294,252	73.85%
Probationer's Upkeep Fund	13,558,360	26.15%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	51,852,612	100.00%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	51,852,612	100.00%

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$467,541 available for reappropriation in FY 2016.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Paroles considered	6,104
Paroles granted	2,062
Paroles denied	4,042
Probation cases supervised	53,671
Parole cases supervised	10,422
Probation and parole cases supervised	360
Probation and parole investigations completed	4,394
Pardons considered	782
Pardons granted	550
Pardons denied	232
Voter's rights applications processed	2,009
Voter's rights restored	572
Number of field offices in state (including the one transition center)	63

**PUBLIC HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	22,063,500	3.03%
Education Trust Fund	14,545,785	2.00%
Other	64,437,672	9.00%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>102,046,957</b>	<b>14.03%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL FUNDS</b>	<b>625,419,402</b>	<b>85.97%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>727,466,359</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$1,644 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Department of Public Health is responsible for controlling disease, providing medical services and enforcing public health laws.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Family planning visits	202,065
Maternity patient visits	4,802
WIC participants (average per month)	132,133
STD visits	66,681
Food service inspections	55,719

**Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP):**

CHIP uses state funds to access federal dollars in order to provide health insurance to children ages 0 to 19 who are not eligible for Medicaid but whose household income is between 100% and 300% of the federal poverty level. Coverage is through ALL KIDS a private insurance product provided through private insurance companies.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
CHIP year-end enrollment	101,803

**PUBLIC LIBRARY SERVICE**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Education Trust Fund	7,292,737	72.67%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	7,292,737	72.67%
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	2,742,997	27.33%
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	10,035,734	100.00%

The Alabama Public Library Service was established to develop a cooperative system of providing books and library services for the various municipalities and counties of the state. In addition, the Service is responsible for receiving and administering federal funds that are provided for libraries; provides job-related library service to state government employees and agencies; and serves as a regional library for the handicapped. In addition, the Library Service is the fiscal agent for the Alabama Virtual Library Project and sponsors the homeworkalabama.org website.

<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Total Appropriation Public Library Service</b>	<b>Amount Earmarked for State Aid to Local Libraries</b>	<b>Per Capita State Aid</b>
2012	10,404,225	4,034,615	0.840
2013	9,543,142	3,777,745	0.786
2014	9,348,824	3,777,745	0.783
2015	9,899,291	3,777,745	0.782
2016	10,035,734	3,777,745	0.779

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Gas Pipeline Safety Funds	1,658,278	5.93%
Public Service Commission Funds	10,776,398	38.55%
Public Service Commission Fund-Transfer to State General Fund	12,500,000	44.71%
State Dual Party Relay Fund	2,256,580	8.07%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>27,191,256</b>	<b>97.26%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>765,000</b>	<b>2.74%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>27,956,256</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Public Service Commission (PSC) regulates transportation and utility companies to ensure that the services performed, facilities available and rates charged are equitable. The PSC does not regulate municipal and cooperative utilities. The PSC has an Administrative Service Program and a Regulatory Services Program that includes the following divisions: (1) Energy, (2) Telecommunications, (3) Transportation, and (4) Gas Pipeline Safety. The PSC participates in public hearings involving regulated companies and prepares orders for commission action.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Commission orders issued	963
Public hearings held	40
Report and recommended orders issued	5
Inspections:	
Power plants/gas systems	8
Telephone equipment	292
Gas pipeline safety	411
Railway track (miles) inspected	1,324
Units of rolling stock inspected*	0
Railroad Records*	0
Locomotives*	0
Onsite wastewater systems	4
Electric distribution systems	8

\* The lack of inspections in these areas was due to the retirement of the personnel responsible for these inspections. At the time of publication, the PSC is in the process of hiring personnel to perform these functions in FY2016.

## RETIREMENT SYSTEMS

Fiscal Year	Employer Contributions*	Employee Contributions*	Net Investment Income	Total Receipts
<b>TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM</b>				
2008	706,491,066	327,004,024	(3,330,707,332)	(2,297,212,242)
2009	728,821,955	323,706,850	(1,479,706,947)	(427,178,142)
2010	753,212,896	321,402,984	(1,175,579,056)	(100,963,176)
2011	755,944,319	323,195,572	357,270,473	1,436,410,364
2012	594,770,676	458,534,360	2,994,421,332	4,047,726,368
2013	605,465,496	477,586,262	2,738,418,379	3,821,470,137
2014	716,752,665	480,848,671	2,478,883,401	3,676,484,737
<b>EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM</b>				
2008	312,566,970	191,654,891	(1,570,346,606)	(1,066,124,745)
2009	444,394,596	210,280,305	(885,230,902)	(230,556,001)
2010	366,206,095	196,757,338	(291,766,627)	271,196,806
2011	383,315,559	195,709,253	199,247,472	778,272,284
2012	306,435,994	216,870,614	1,430,114,298	1,953,420,906
2013	326,942,534	223,646,119	1,299,010,022	1,849,598,675
2014	379,162,867	226,014,854	1,189,295,514	1,794,473,235
<b>JUDICIAL RETIREMENT FUND</b>				
2008	9,340,101	2,703,825	(38,313,579)	(26,269,653)
2009	9,786,785	2,700,377	769,638	13,256,800
2010	10,274,864	2,566,075	(10,858,571)	1,982,368
2011	10,366,451	2,653,792	2,021,938	15,042,181
2012	10,327,367	3,680,513	39,011,076	53,018,956
2013	13,363,322	3,918,762	32,245,891	49,527,975
2014	15,249,507	3,764,158	31,342,778	50,356,443

<b>Membership (as of 9/30/2014):</b>		
System	Active Members	Retirees
TRS	135,230	86,957 <sup>(1)</sup>
ERS	29,692 <sup>(2)</sup>	23,584 <sup>(3)</sup>
JRF	338	375

<sup>(1)</sup> includes DROP participants

<sup>(2)</sup> excludes local employees, includes state police

<sup>(3)</sup> includes DROP participants and state police retirees, excludes local retirees

\*See page 9 for contribution rates.

**REVENUE, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	363,000	0.24%
Revenue Administrative Fund	148,718,091	98.13%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>149,081,091</b>	<b>98.37%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>2,470,000</b>	<b>1.63%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>151,551,091</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$134,734 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Department of Revenue collected a total of \$9,778,544,516 in state taxes for FY 2015. A portion of this collection is appropriated from the Revenue Administrative Fund for the operation of the Department.

<b>Transfer to the General Fund</b>	
<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>
2016	\$16,505,000
2015	\$4,000,000
2014	\$3,175,000
2013	\$15,000,000

## SECURITIES COMMISSION

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Industrial Revenue Bond Notification Fund	10,000	0.10%
Sale of Checks Fund	40,000	0.39%
Securities Commission Fund	8,722,100	84.91%
Securities Commission Fund- Transfer to State General Fund	1,500,000	14.60%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>10,272,100</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>10,272,100</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The Securities Commission is responsible for the enforcement of laws governing the registration of broker dealers, broker dealer agents, investment advisors, investment advisor representatives and the issuance, sale and other transactions relative to securities, industrial revenue bonds and the sale of checks and money orders. The Commission is funded from trust funds comprised mainly of filing and application fees. The fees associated with applications and renewals allow the Securities Commission to remain self-funded while also generating revenue for the General Fund. In FY 2015, the ASC collected and deposited directly into the General Fund \$9,091,225; this amount combined with the \$1,500,000 transfer of Securities Commission Funds to the State General Fund generated revenue for the General Fund in the amount of \$10,591,225 during FY 15.

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	FY 2015
Broker/Dealer Agents Licensed	140,965
Restricted Agents/Issuer Licensed	346
Broker Dealers Licensed	1,587
Investment Advisors Licensed/Notice Filed	1,312
Investment Advisor Representatives Licensed	5,774
Number of Exemptions	734
Sale of Checks Licenses	142
Indictments Obtained	11
Arrests Made	11
Convictions Obtained	13
Securities Issued	32
Industrial Development Bond Issues	13
Industrial Development Bond Amounts Authorized	\$362,177,059

**SENIOR SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	6,515,886	4.37%
General Fund - Medicaid Waiver	20,586,790	13.81%
General Fund - SenioRx Alabama	1,796,561	1.21%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>28,899,237</b>	<b>19.38%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>120,185,844</b>	<b>80.62%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>149,085,081</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$1,963,408 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Department of Senior Services, formerly the Commission on Aging, through grants and contracts with 13 Area Agencies on Aging, administers programs funded as a result of the Older American's Act of 1965. In addition, the Department administers one-half of the state's Medicaid Waiver Program - a home and community-based treatment program as an alternative to institutionalization for the state's older persons who are Medicaid eligible.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Older persons served (unduplicated)	104,846
Congregate meals served	2,056,187
Home delivered meals served	2,488,719
Transportation (unduplicated clients)	5,019
Legal assistance (unduplicated clients)	7,295
SenioRx	
Number of persons served (unduplicated)	7,873
Prescriptions submitted	42,023
Savings to Alabama seniors	\$25,502,076

**TOURISM DEPARTMENT**

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	661,500	3.71%
Lodgings Tax	17,163,660	96.29%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	17,825,100	100.00%
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	0	0.00%
<b>TOTAL</b>	17,825,100	100.00%

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$36,533 available for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Tourism Department is responsible for the promotion of tourism in Alabama. The Department works with the Center for Business and Economic Development at Auburn University at Montgomery to study the economic impact of the tourism industry in the state.

PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	2014**
Employment derived from tourist activity (full-time)	112,625 jobs
Tourism-generated tax revenue (state)	\$548 million
Tourism-generated tax revenue (local)	\$219.8 million
Estimated tourist expenditures	\$11.79 billion

\*\*Data is collected on a calendar year basis.

**TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
Public Road and Bridge Fund	625,221,573	43.67%
Public Road and Bridge – Transfer to State Law Enforcement Agency	3,500,000	0.24%
Airport Development Fund	22,920,681	1.60%
Public Road and Bridge – Transfer to Administrative Office of Courts	35,000,000	2.44%
Public Road and Bridge – Transfer to State Law Enforcement Agency	25,000,000	1.75%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>711,642,254</b>	<b>49.71%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>720,000,000</b>	<b>50.29%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>1,431,642,254</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

The State Public Road and Bridge Fund is comprised of Highway User Revenues including auto licenses; gasoline tax (16 cents per gallon); motor fuel tax (19 cents per gallon); truck identification decals; petroleum products inspection fees on motor fuel not subject to the motor fuel tax (2 cents per gallon); motor carrier mileage taxes and fees; outdoor advertising permits; oversize and overweight permits; lubricating oil tax; liquefied petroleum permits; and bond proceeds.

The Airport Development Fund is comprised of revenue generated from the Aviation Fuel Tax, a portion of the fees collected from ALDOT's Interstate Logo Program and Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) grants that have been awarded to various airport authorities.

Transportation, Department of (*continued*):

U.S. Department of Transportation: Federal Highway Administration Summary of Estimated Highway Apportionments as Authorized by MAP-21* State of Alabama				
Transportation Program	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016 Through November 20, 2015	Grand Total
National Highway Performance Program	457,293,242	436,494,533	60,832,098	954,619,873
Surface Transportation Program	210,340,534	201,211,845	22,041,890	433,594,269
Highway Safety Improvement Program	45,720,399	43,736,153	6,094,381	95,550,933
Railway-Highway Crossings Program	4,531,606	4,531,606	631,452	9,694,664
Congestion, Mitigation & Air Quality Improvement	11,397,192	10,572,946	1,519,208	23,489,346
Metropolitan Planning	2,980,070	2,910,338	405,539	6,295,947
<b>Total</b>	<b>732,263,043</b>	<b>699,457,421</b>	<b>91,524,568</b>	<b>1,523,245,032</b>

\*MAP-21 is the acronym for The Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Act. Map-21 went into effect on October 1, 2012 and was the first long-term highway authorization enacted since 2005. It authorized programs for two years, through September 30, 2014, but has been extended several times with the recent 2 week extension lasting to December 6, 2015 (the two week extension apportionment amounts have not yet been distributed).

## UNIFIED JUDICIAL SYSTEM

FY 2016 APPROPRIATION	TOTAL	% OF TOTAL
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	92,337,007	52.48%
Advanced Technology and Data Exchange Fund	3,916,628	2.23%
Court Automation Fund	4,399,541	2.50%
Court Referral Officer Fund	6,624,833	3.76%
Transfer from Road and Bridge Fund	35,000,000	19.89%
Judicial Administration Fund	12,886,943	7.32%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>155,164,952</b>	<b>88.18%</b>
<b>FEDERAL and LOCAL</b>	<b>20,792,628</b>	<b>11.82%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>175,957,580</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$1 available for reappropriation in FY 2016.

For FY 2016 the Unified Judicial System includes the following:

Supreme Court	9 Judges
Court of Criminal Appeals	5 Judges
Court of Civil Appeals	5 Judges
Circuit Court	145 Judges
District Court	106 Judges
Probate Court	68 Judges

The Supreme Court, the highest state court in Alabama, has the power to superintend and review any case tried, heard, or appealed in other state courts. The Court has exclusive jurisdiction in appeals in which the amount in controversy exceeds \$50,000; appeals from decisions of the Alabama Public Service Commission; appeals from disciplinary actions taken by the Alabama State Bar; petitions seeking extraordinary relief; and petitions relating to administrative matters of the Alabama State Bar. The Court may transfer to the Court of Civil Appeals any civil case appealed and within the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, except certain specified cases.

The Court of Criminal Appeals has exclusive appellate jurisdiction over all appeals in criminal cases, including violations of municipal ordinances, and all post-conviction writs.

## **Unified Judicial System (*continued*):**

The Court of Civil Appeals has original appellate jurisdiction in civil appeals where the amount in controversy does not exceed \$50,000, appeals from administrative agencies, appeals in workers' compensation cases, and appeals in domestic relations cases. The Supreme Court may transfer to the Court of Civil Appeals any civil case appealed to the Supreme Court, with certain exceptions.

The Circuit Courts are the State's trial courts of general jurisdiction which exercise both criminal and civil jurisdiction. The 67 counties in Alabama are divided into 41 judicial circuits (plus the 10th Circuit Bessemer Division) which are composed of one to five counties. The Circuit Court has exclusive original jurisdiction in civil cases in which the matter in controversy exceeds \$10,000; exclusive original jurisdiction of all felony prosecutions and/or misdemeanors or ordinance violations which are lesser included offenses within a felony charge (except the district court has concurrent jurisdiction with the Circuit Court to receive pleas of guilty in felony cases not punishable by death); and original concurrent jurisdiction with the District Court in juvenile cases and in all civil matters where the amount in controversy exceeds \$6,000 but does not exceed \$10,000.

The District Courts are the State's trial courts of limited jurisdiction. There is a District Court in each county. Sessions of court are held in each county seat and in each municipality of 1,000 or more population where no municipal court exists. District Courts have original civil jurisdiction, concurrent with the Circuit Court, in civil actions in which the matter in controversy does not exceed \$10,000 and civil actions based on unlawful detainer and in juvenile cases. They have exclusive original jurisdiction over all civil matters wherein the amount in controversy does not exceed \$6,000. Civil actions involving \$6,000 or less are heard by the small claims division of District Court. District Courts have exclusive original jurisdiction over prosecutions of all offenses defined by law or ordinance as misdemeanors, except prosecutions by municipalities having municipal courts. They have original jurisdiction concurrent with the Circuit Court to receive pleas of guilty in prosecution of felonies not punishable by death. They have exclusive original jurisdiction of misdemeanor prosecutions for traffic infractions, except ordinance infractions prosecuted in municipal court and DUI offenses committed by juveniles. They have concurrent jurisdiction with the Circuit Court in juvenile cases.

## Unified Judicial System (*continued*):

The "Investment In Justice Act of 1999" (Act 99-427) set the base state salary for state judges as follows:

### Circuit Judges

FY 2001 - the amount authorized under the state merit system pay plan on the effective date of the act (June 10, 1999) for an Attorney IV, step 14.

FY 2002 - the amount authorized under the state merit system pay plan on the effective date of the act for an Attorney IV, step 17.

FY 2003 and thereafter - \$1,000 more than the maximum paid an Attorney IV on the effective date of the act.

District Judges - \$1,000 less than circuit judges

Chief Justice - \$3,000 more than the highest total compensation, including salary supplements and expense allowances, of any circuit judge

Supreme Court Associate Justices - \$1,000 less than the Chief Justice

Civil/Criminal Appeals Presiding Judges - \$500 less than Associate Justices

Civil/Criminal Appeals Associate Judges - \$500 less than Presiding Judges

The Act further provided, however, that the salaries of circuit judges shall not be increased above the amounts provided by the Investment In Justice Act as a result of any increases in the salaries of Attorneys IV which occur after June 10, 1999.

Act 99-427 also provided additional state compensation based on judges' bench experience, in the amount of 1.25% of the base state salary for each additional year of bench service, up to a maximum of 25%. However, Act 2004-636 froze bench experience compensation by providing that no judges have their salary additionally increased for bench experience after May 26, 2004. Act 2006-119 (SJR 33 - the Report of the Judicial Compensation Commission made in the 2006 Regular Session of the Legislature) reinstated additional compensation for bench experience - but only for circuit and district judges, to be implemented October 1, 2006.

Act 99-427 also provided that local supplements and expense allowances of circuit and district judges be reduced by the amount of their state salary increases until the supplements are eliminated. The act also provided that judges first elected or appointed after October 1, 2001 shall not receive a local supplement or expense allowance.

Act 2007-297 provided that the cost-of-living salary increase for FY 2008 and FY 2009 shall not apply to any appellate judge.

Unified Judicial System (*continued*):

Judicial State Salaries Ranges (including bench experience)	
Circuit Judges	\$119,949 - \$149,936
District Judges	\$118,949 - \$148,686
Chief Justice*	\$161,003 - \$201,253
Associate Justices*	\$160,003 - \$200,003
Appeals Courts Presiding Judges*	\$159,503 - \$199,378
Appeals Courts Associate Judges*	\$159,003 - \$198,753

\*The salary amounts shown reflect that appellate judges received a salary increase in FY 2008 and in FY 2009.

The salary of Circuit and District Clerks are linked to the salary schedule of the Assistant Clerk of the Court of Criminal Appeals (except as provided for by Act 2000-611 which prohibited circuit clerks from receiving the 2% cost-of-living adjustment effective in fiscal years 2001 and 2002). For FY 2016, the salary range is \$69,098 to \$105,403 depending upon years of service.

The salary of an Official Court Reporter is \$52,799 for FY 2016.

**VETERANS AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund*	1,320,140	0.99%
Education Trust Fund	58,308,323	43.51%
Veterans' Assistance Fund	41,471,129	30.94%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>101,099,592</b>	<b>75.43%</b>
<b>VETERAN'S HOME TRUST TRANSFER</b>	<b>32,924,071</b>	<b>24.57%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>134,023,663</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*This amount does not include the FY 2015 reversion amount of \$467,309 eligible for reappropriation in FY 2016.

The Department of Veterans Affairs assists 413,618 living veterans and their dependents throughout the state's 50 offices, as of September 30, 2015. The Department also administers the Alabama G.I. and Dependents Educational Benefit Act. As part of administering these acts, the Department receives an open-ended appropriation from the Education Trust Fund (ETF) (Section 31-6-15, Code of Alabama 1975) in an amount "as may be necessary" to reimburse Alabama educational institutions for educational benefits provided to qualified veterans.

<b>PERFORMANCE INDICATORS</b>	<b>FY 2015</b>
Compensation and pension claims filed	28,244
Medical claims filed	3,223
Insurance claims filed	188
Educational claims filed (state and federal)	3,143
Original educational benefit certificates issued	2,509
Supplemental certificates issued	1,417

The Department of Veterans Affairs supervises the operation of the following veterans home, and these facilities are operated with state, patient and federal per diem funds:

- 150 bed Bill Nichols State Veterans Home in Alexander City,
- 150 bed William F. Green State Veterans Home in Bay Minette,
- 150 bed Floyd "Tut" Fan State Veterans Home in Huntsville, and
- 254 bed Colonel Robert L. Howard State Veterans Home in Pell City.

Veterans Affairs, Department of *(continued)*:

Cost Per Day of Veteran Housing – As of July 2014*				
Facility	Federal per diem	State per diem	Out-of-pocket expense by veterans	Total Daily housing rate
Nicholas, Fann, and Green Facilities	\$100.37	\$88.99	\$11.64	\$201.00
Col. Robert L. Howard – Skilled Nursing Facility	\$100.37	\$86.48	\$24.00	\$210.85
Col. Robert L. Howard – Domiciliary	\$43.32	\$65.83	\$24.00	\$133.15
* If the Veteran has a service-connected disability rate at 70% and above, the Federal VA pays all cost, to a maximum of \$358.19.				

**YOUTH SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF**

<b>FY 2016 APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>
<b>STATE FUNDS</b>		
General Fund	6,004,776	6.48%
Education Trust Fund*	54,344,619	58.67%
Youth Services Fund	32,276,259	34.85%
<b>TOTAL STATE FUNDS</b>	<b>92,625,654</b>	<b>100.00%</b>
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATION</b>	<b>92,625,654</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

\*The ETF amount includes \$3,565,732 for S.P.A.N. (Special Programming for Achievement Network) Programs.

The Department of Youth Services (DYS) provides programs for the prevention of juvenile delinquency and the rehabilitation of delinquent youth. Programs include evaluation, detention, rehabilitation, and education.

1,396 youth were committed to DYS in FY 2015 for treatment and rehabilitation.

For FY 2015, the Department had budgeted operating expenses at \$184 per day (\$67,160 per year) at the traditional state operated training school institutions and \$110 per day (\$40,150 per year) at the group homes. The operating expense for DYS short-term programs was \$129 per day (\$47,085 per year). Private placement costs ranged from \$93 to \$220 per day depending upon level of service.

In addition to state residential placements, DYS budgeted \$10.1 million to 40 local diversion programs in FY 2015.

In 2013, DYS estimated capital costs of \$204,166 per bed for construction of a new, freestanding secure facility (\$4.9 million for 24 beds).

**Facilities include (FY 2015):**

2 state operated institutional units	354 bed capacity
1 state operated short-term program	78 bed capacity
1 state operated group home	10 bed capacity
8 contracts with private facilities	265 bed capacity