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MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable Marvin L. Abney
                 Chairman, House Finance Committee

                 The Honorable William J. Conley, Jr.
                 Chairman, Senate Finance Committee

From: Thomas A. Mullaney
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Date: February 26, 2020

Subject: Corrections to the FY 2021 Appropriations Act
                 (20-H-7171)

The Budget Office has reviewed the FY 2021 Appropriations Act as posted on the legislative website and through this review and from feedback provided by the House Fiscal Staff have identified typographical errors that were contained in the original version submitted by our office to the Legislative Counsel's office. Attached is a list of the errors and corrections by Article number and page and line number within each article.

Also provided are new sections for Articles 8 and 10 that were inadvertently left out of the original appropriations act as submitted by our office. The new section in Article 8 proposes to increase the tax credit available for contributions made for scholarships from $1.5 million to $2.0 million beginning in FY 2022. This change was accounted for in the revenue estimates used in the five-year forecast. The new sections in Article 10 propose to allow the School for the Deaf (RISD) to enter into fee-for-service agreements with local education agencies for the provision of hearing screening tests. Savings of $235,000 were assumed in the Department of Education/RISD budget in FY 2021 based on implementation of this fee-for-service program.

If you have any questions regarding these corrections, please feel free to call me at 222-6300.

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cc: Sharon Reynolds Ferland, House Fiscal Advisor
       Stephen Whitney, Senate Fiscal Advisor
       Jonathan Womer, Director, Office of Management and Budget

FY 2021 Appropriations Act Discrepancies/Errors – H – 7171

Technical Corrections

Article	Location	Description
3	Page 60, Line 11	Replace "Court costs related to prosecution" with "Payments to the violent crimes indemnity account pursuant to § 12-25-28 which finances the crime victim compensation program".
3	Page 60, Line 17	Insert "costs," after "court"
3	Page 66, Lines 4 – 7	Strike all lines.
3	Page 72 Line 12	Insert before period "except Section 7 which shall be effective October 1, 2020".
5	Page 85, Line 12	Change amount from $35,00,000 to $35,000,000.
6	Page 99, Line 17	Underline "/Dealer's/Possessor's".
6	Page 107, Line 24	Change "development" to "developmental".
6	Page 113, Line 12	Change "development" to "developmental".
6	Page 134, Line 17	Change subsection header "(4)" to "(ii)".
6	Page 169, Line 20	Insert a comma (",") after 30.
9	Page 224, Line 6	Change "(c)" to "(d)" after "44-3-3".
10	Page 240, Line 28	Delete the word "and" after "education".
12	Page 284, Line 4	Insert the word "area" before median.
12	Page 292, Line 5	Change "10(f)" to "9(f)".
12	Page 297, Line 7	Change "(2)" to "(b)".
12	Page 300, Line 16	Insert after 2020 "except Section 5 which shall be effective January 1, 2021"
19	Page 465, Lines 17 -18	Delete "and be deposited in a restricted receipt account".
20	Page 575, Line 6	Underline period after "individuals" and add the word "and" before "without"
20	Page 576, Line 9	Underline the period after "individuals".
20	Page 576, Line 14	Change "for" to "in".
20	Page 576, Line 15	Change "under (x)" to "to" and add a comma after the word "period".

Article	Location	Description
20	Page 576, Line 16	Delete "(y)".
20	Page 585, Line 13	Change "(b)(5)" to "(b)(4)".
20	Page 585, Line 28	Change "(b)(5)" to "(b)(4)".
20	Page 590, Line 7	Delete period after the word "whole".
20	Page 591, Line 4	Change "42-7.5-7" to "42-7.5-8".
20	Page 592, Line 2	Change "42-7.5-8" to "42-7.5-9".
20	Page 592, Line 3	Change "42-7.5-3" to "42-7.5-4".
20	Page 592, Lines 28 - 29	Change "42-7.5-9" to "42-7.5-10".