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HOUSE FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR FY2018 HOUSE FINANCE BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE NARRATIVE REPORT February 24, 2017

SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS:

The House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Labor and Workforce Development held 6 meetings with the Department during the review of the FY18 budget request.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Chair of the House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Labor submits a recommended operating budget for FY2018 to the House Finance Committee as follows:

Fund Source: (dollars are in thousands)	
Unrestricted General Funds (UGF)	\$20,982.0
Designated General Funds (DGF)	\$36,292.4
Other Funds	\$20,410.1
Federal Funds	<u>\$84,337.9</u>
Total	\$162,022.4

The Unrestricted General Fund (UGF) difference from the FY2015 Management Plan to the FY2018 House Subcommittee budget recommendation is a reduction of \$23,063.9.0, a 12.5% decrease. The Subcommittee recommendation reflects a total decrease in Unrestricted General Funds of \$1,780.0, a 1.1% reduction from the FY2017 Management Plan

Positions:710Permanent Full-time58Temporary7Total775

GOVERNOR'S AMENDMENTS:

The subcommittee chair recommends that the House Finance Committee consider the approval of all attached amendments from the Governor:
1) Accept the Governor's Alaska Technical and Vocational Education Formula Funding grantee decrement, DGF (1151 VoTech Ed) <\$448.6>

2) Accept the Governor's Alaska Technical and Vocational Education Formula Funding **AVTEC** decrement, DGF (1151 VoTech Ed) <\$224.3>

BUDGET AMENDMENTS:

The following budget amendments are submitted by the Subcommittee Chair to the House Finance Committee for consideration:

- 1) Fund Source Change of \$600.0 from Unrestricted General Fund (UGF) to Workers' Safety and Compensation Administration Account (1157 WSCAA) in Labor Standards and Safety, Occupational Safety and Health for the administrative expenses of state's workers' safety program.
- 2) Restore funding of \$600.0 from Unrestricted General Fund (UGF) for the Alaska Construction Academies and Regional Training Centers.

ATTACHED LEGISLATIVE FINANCE REPORTS:

The House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Labor and Workforce Development adopts the attached reports:

- 1) Allocation Summary Report (All Funds) Between FY2018 Governor and House Subcommittee (HSub)
- 2) Transaction Detail Report House Structure (HSub Amends), including Governor Amendments

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Neal Foster, Chair House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Labor