

## State Employment Relations Board

### General Revenue Fund Group

#### GRF 125321 Operating Expenses

FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Actual	FY 2012 Actual	FY 2013 Actual	FY 2014 Appropriation	FY 2015 Appropriation
\$3,599,902	\$3,527,218	\$3,573,718	\$3,349,615	<b>\$3,761,457</b>	<b>\$3,761,457</b>
	-2.0%	1.3%	-6.3%	<b>12.3%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

**Source:** General Revenue Fund Group: GRF

**Legal Basis:** ORC 4117.02; Section 271.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 59 of the 130th G.A.

**Purpose:** The line item funds the operating expenses of the State Employment Relations Board (SERB), including those related to the State Personnel Board of Review (SPBR), which was placed under the administrative structure of SERB in FY 2010. SERB acts as a neutral party in carrying out Ohio's public employee collective bargaining law. These responsibilities include overseeing representation elections, monitoring and enforcing statutory dispute resolution procedures, and mediating collective bargaining negotiations, among other matters. SPBR is an appeals body that hears cases filed by classified exempt employees at the state and local levels, but its jurisdiction extends to other specific civil service matters.

### General Services Fund Group

#### 5720 125603 Training and Publications

FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Actual	FY 2012 Actual	FY 2013 Actual	FY 2014 Appropriation	FY 2015 Appropriation
\$6,572	\$10,987	\$11,158	\$24,763	<b>\$85,000</b>	<b>\$85,000</b>
	67.2%	1.6%	121.9%	<b>243.3%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

**Source:** General Services Fund Group: Sale of clearinghouse data, publications, and proceeds from training seminars; grants, donations, awards, bequests, and gifts; reimbursements for professional services

**Legal Basis:** ORC 4117.24; Section 271.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 59 of the 130th G.A.

**Purpose:** This line item is used to pay for the cost of compiling clearinghouse data, hosting seminars, and producing printed materials concerning public sector labor relations and collective bargaining law. In addition, the line item provides funding for grant projects, as well as labor-management and professional development programs. This line item is also used to pay costs incurred by the State Personnel Board of Review for producing administrative records and refunding overpaid security deposits.