

## Executive

## In House Finance

**FUNCD1 Reinstatement of the crematory operator permit**

No provision.

**R.C.**      **4717.01, 4717.02, 4717.03, 4717.04, 4717.06, 4717.07, 4717.08, 4717.09, 4717.11, 4717.13, 4717.15, 4717.36, and 4717.41; Sections 610.40, 610.41, and 610.42**

Reestablishes the requirement, repealed by H.B. 509 of the 134th General Assembly, that a crematory operator obtain a permit to perform cremations.

**Fiscal effect: Preempts a biennial estimated loss of roughly \$92,000 in permit revenue credited to Fund 4K90.**

**FUNCD2 Notify law enforcement of unlicensed funeral directing**

No provision.

**R.C.**      **4717.04, Sections 610.40**

Requires the Executive Director to notify law enforcement if they are aware of a person engaged in funeral directing without a license, in contrast to current law which requires the Executive Director to investigate the alleged violation and, upon finding probable cause, direct an attorney under contract with the Board, a county prosecutor, or the Attorney General to prosecute the offender.

**Fiscal effect: Uncertain.**

**FUNCD3 Removal of items of value before or after cremation**

No provision.

**R.C.**      **4717.26**

Corrects a drafting error in existing law that prohibits the removal of items of value from a body before or after cremation without authorization.

**Fiscal effect: None.**

**FUNCD4 Operating Expenses earmarks for Board staff**

No provision.

**Section:**    **269.20**

Earmarks the following under Fund 4K90 ALI 881609, Operating Expenses: (1) \$92,000 each fiscal year for an Automated Reporting and Preneed Payment Systems (ARPS) Administrator, and (2) \$80,000 each fiscal year for an Indigent Burial and Cremation Support Program Administrator.