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October 16, 2020

Honorable Bob Ferguson  
Office of the Attorney General  
P.O. Box 40100  
Olympia, WA 98504-0100

Dear Attorney General Ferguson:

Pursuant to the enactment of the federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act (P.L. 116-136), I hereby allocate \$652,000 to the Office of the Attorney General from General Fund-Federal (Coronavirus Relief Funds).

The purpose of this allocation is to continue to enforce Governor Proclamation 20-19: COVID-19 Moratorium on Evictions. Funding may be used for the cost of retaining contract attorneys, as well as assistant attorney general and other support staff costs.

According to guidance issued by the federal government on the Coronavirus Relief Funds, for a cost to be considered to have been incurred, the performance or delivery must take place by December 30, 2020, but payment can occur up to 90 days afterwards.

The Office of Financial Management has approved this allocation in Unanticipated Receipt #0136. Using expenditure authority code 7Z0, please submit the required allotment amendment packet to the Office of Financial Management using the "Operating Allocation" packet type.

We appreciate your continued efforts in responding to this health crisis. If you have any questions, please contact OFM Budget Operations at (360) 902-0555 or [budget.operations@ofm.wa.gov](mailto:budget.operations@ofm.wa.gov).

Sincerely,

David Schumacher  
Director

cc: Charlie Gavigan, Staff Coordinator, House Appropriations Committee  
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