

1 **SECTION 4. Information technology projects appropriation.**

2 (1) (a) The sums in this section, or so much thereof as may be necessary
3 for the purposes specified, are hereby appropriated out of any funds
4 accrued or accruing to the information technology account within the
5 capital construction fund not otherwise appropriated and out of the cash
6 funds and federal funds specified for information technology projects at
7 the respective institutions and agencies enumerated in this section.

8 (b) Pursuant to section 24-75-303 (5)(a)(I), Colorado Revised
9 Statutes, the appropriations made in this section shall become available
10 upon passage and approval of this act and, if any appropriated project is
11 initiated within the fiscal year, the appropriation therefor shall remain
12 available until completion of the project or for a period of three years,
13 whichever comes first, at which time unexpended and unencumbered
14 balances shall revert to the funds from which they were appropriated.

15 (c) For purposes of section 20 of article X of the state constitution
16 and pursuant to section 24-75-302 (1)(b), Colorado Revised Statutes, the
17 unrestricted year-end balance of the capital construction fund for the
18 1991-92 fiscal year shall constitute a reserve. Consequently, any money
19 credited to the capital construction fund constitutes a reserve increase and
20 therefore constitutes state fiscal year spending, as defined in section

1 24-77-102 (17)(a), Colorado Revised Statutes, and any money transferred
2 or expended from the capital construction fund constitutes a reserve
3 transfer or expenditure which is excluded from state fiscal year spending,
4 as defined in section 24-77-102 (17)(b), Colorado Revised Statutes.

5 (d) Money appropriated in this section from the information
6 technology capital account within the capital construction fund includes
7 sums transferred pursuant to section 24-75-302 (2.3), Colorado Revised
8 Statutes, which sums constitute state fiscal year spending as defined in
9 section 24-77-102 (17)(a), Colorado Revised Statutes.

10 (e) Money appropriated in this section from cash funds shall
11 constitute state fiscal year spending as defined in section 24-77-102
12 (17)(a), Colorado Revised Statutes.

13 (2) Except as otherwise specifically noted, appropriations from
14 state funds shall be reduced by the amount of any funds received from
15 federal, local, private, or other state sources and not appropriated in this
16 act.

17 (3) Expenditures of funds appropriated for information technology
18 projects shall be in accord with section 17-24-111, Colorado Revised
19 Statutes, which requires institutions, agencies, and departments to
20 purchase such goods and services as are produced by the division of

1 correctional industries from said division.

2 (4) An information technology project for which the lowest bid is
3 in excess of the appropriation shall be redesigned to conform to the
4 appropriation.