

# SB2604



## 104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

SB2604

Introduced 2/25/2025, by Sen. Elgie R. Sims, Jr.

### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

AN ACT making appropriations to the Office of the Attorney General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026. Effective July 1, 2025.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning appropriations.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 ARTICLE 1

5 Section 5. The sum of \$90,000,000, or so much thereof as  
6 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue  
7 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General to meet its  
8 operational expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026.

9 Section 10. The sum of \$11,000,000, or so much thereof as  
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue  
11 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for payment of  
12 awards and grants under the Violent Crime Victims Assistance  
13 Act.

14 Section 15. The sum of \$5,000,000, or so much thereof as  
15 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue  
16 fund to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and  
17 contingent expenses, awards and grants, and operational  
18 programs of the Crime Victim Services Division.

19 Section 20. The sum of \$2,500,000, or so much thereof as  
20 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue

1 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and  
2 contingent expenses and operational programs of the Medicaid  
3 Fraud Control Unit.

4 Section 25. The sum of \$5,000,000, or so much thereof as  
5 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue  
6 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for grants for  
7 organized retail crime enforcement.

8 Section 30. The sum of \$6,850,000, or so much thereof as  
9 may be necessary, is appropriated from the General Revenue  
10 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for ordinary and  
11 contingent expenses and operational programs of the Child  
12 Support Enforcement Division.

13 Section 35. The sum of \$1,200,000, or so much thereof as  
14 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Access to Justice  
15 Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for disbursement to  
16 the Illinois Equal Justice Foundation pursuant to the Access  
17 to Justice Act.

18 Section 40. The sum of \$1,150,000, or so much thereof as is  
19 available for use by the Attorney General, is appropriated to  
20 the Office of the Attorney General from the Illinois Gaming  
21 Law Enforcement Fund for State law enforcement purposes.

1           Section 45. The sum of \$350,000, or so much thereof as may  
2 be necessary, is appropriated to the Office of the Attorney  
3 General from the Domestic Violence Fund pursuant to Public Act  
4 95-711 for grants to public or private nonprofit agencies for  
5 the purposes of facilitating or providing free domestic  
6 violence legal advocacy, assistance, or services to victims of  
7 domestic violence who are married or formerly married or  
8 parties or former parties to a civil union related to order of  
9 protection proceedings or other proceedings for civil remedies  
10 for domestic violence.

11           Section 50. The sum of \$3,750,000, or so much thereof as  
12 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
13 Tobacco Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for the  
14 oversight, enforcement, and implementation of the Master  
15 Settlement Agreement entered in the case of People of the  
16 State of Illinois v. Philip Morris, et al (Circuit Court of  
17 Cook County, No. 96L13146), for the administration and  
18 enforcement of the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Act,  
19 for the handling of tobacco-related litigation, and for other  
20 law enforcement activities of the Attorney General.

21           Section 55. The sum of \$13,000,000, or so much thereof as  
22 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
23 Court Ordered and Voluntary Compliance Payment Projects Fund  
24 to the Office of the Attorney General for use, subject to

1 pertinent court order or agreement, in the performance of any  
2 function pertaining to the exercise of the duties of the  
3 Attorney General, including State law enforcement and public  
4 education.

5 Section 60. The sum of \$3,000,000, or so much thereof as  
6 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Illinois Charity  
7 Bureau Fund to the Office of the Attorney General to enforce  
8 the provisions of the Solicitation for Charity Act and to  
9 gather and disseminate information about charitable trustees  
10 and organizations to the public.

11 Section 65. The sum of \$6,000,000, or so much thereof as  
12 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
13 Whistleblower Reward and Protection Fund to the Office of the  
14 Attorney General for ordinary and contingent expenses,  
15 including State law enforcement purposes.

16 Section 70. The sum of \$23,000,000, or so much thereof as  
17 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General's  
18 State Projects and Court Ordered Distribution Fund to the  
19 Office of the Attorney General for payment of interagency  
20 agreements, for court-ordered distributions to third parties,  
21 and subject to pertinent court order, for performance of any  
22 function pertaining to the exercise of the duties of the  
23 Attorney General, including State law enforcement and public

1 education.

2 Section 75. The sum of \$1,600,000, or so much thereof as  
3 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Cannabis  
4 Expungement Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for  
5 disbursement to the Illinois Equal Justice Foundation for use  
6 as provided in the Cannabis Regulation and Tax Act.

7 Section 80The sum of \$6,000,000, or so much thereof as may  
8 be necessary, is appropriated from Violent Crime Victims  
9 Assistance Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for  
10 payment of awards and grants under the Violent Crime Victims  
11 Assistance Act.

12 Section 85.The sum of \$350,000, or so much thereof as may  
13 be necessary, is appropriated from Violent Crime Victims  
14 Assistance Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for  
15 grants to public or private nonprofit agencies for the  
16 purposes of facilitating or providing free domestic violence  
17 legal advocacy, assistance, or services to victims of domestic  
18 violence who are married or formerly married or parties or  
19 former parties to a civil union related to order of protection  
20 proceedings, or other proceedings for civil remedies for  
21 domestic violence.

22 Section 90.The sum of \$215,000, or so much thereof as may

1 be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General Sex  
2 Offender Awareness, Training, and Education Fund to the Office  
3 of the Attorney General to administer the I-SORT program and  
4 to alert and educate the public, victims, and witnesses of  
5 their rights under various victim notification laws and for  
6 training law enforcement agencies, State's Attorneys, and  
7 medical providers regarding their legal duties concerning the  
8 prosecution and investigation of sex offenses.

9 Section 100. The sum of \$11,000,000, or so much thereof as  
10 may be necessary, is appropriated from the Attorney General  
11 Federal Grant Fund to the Office of the Attorney General for  
12 funding for federal grants.

13 ARTICLE 999

14 Section 999. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,  
15 2025.