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LEGISLATIVE BILL 450

Introduced by Ashford, 20.

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Committee: Appropriations

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1	FOR AN ACT	relating to courts; to amend sections 24-205, 24-227.01,
2		25-2921, 29-2259.02, and 29-2262.07, Revised Statutes
3		Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to extend Supreme Court cash
4		fund authority in the next biennium; to repeal the
5		original sections; and to declare an emergency.

6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 24-205, Revised Statutes Cumulative
 Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

3 24-205 The Supreme Court Education Fund is created. The State Court Administrator shall administer the fund. The fund shall 4 5 consist of money remitted pursuant to section 33-154. Except as otherwise directed by the Supreme Court during the period from 6 7 November 21, 2009, until June 30, 2011, 2013, the fund shall only be 8 used to aid in supporting the mandatory training and education program for judges and employees of the Supreme Court, Court of 9 10 Appeals, district courts, separate juvenile courts, county courts, 11 and Nebraska Probation System as enacted by rule of the Supreme 12 Court. Any money in the fund available for investment shall be 13 invested by the state investment officer pursuant to the Nebraska 14 Capital Expansion Act and the Nebraska State Funds Investment Act.

Sec. 2. Section 24-227.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative
Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

17 24-227.01 The Supreme Court Automation Cash Fund is created. The State Court Administrator shall administer the fund. 18 19 Except as otherwise directed by the Supreme Court during the period 20 from November 21, 2009, until June 30, 2011, 2013, the fund shall 21 only be used to support automation expenses of the Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, district courts, separate juvenile courts, county 22 23 courts, and Nebraska Probation System from the computer automation 24 budget program, except that the State Treasurer shall, on or before 25 June 30, 2011, on such date as directed by the budget administrator

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of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services, transfer the amount set forth in Laws 2009, LB1, One Hundred First Legislature, First Special Session. Any money in the Supreme Court Automation Cash Fund available for investment shall be invested by the state investment officer pursuant to the Nebraska Capital Expansion Act and the Nebraska State Funds Investment Act.

Sec. 3. Section 25-2921, Revised Statutes Cumulative
Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

9 25-2921 The Dispute Resolution Cash Fund is created. The State Court Administrator shall administer the fund. The fund shall 10 consist of proceeds received pursuant to subdivision (10) of section 11 12 25-2908 and section 33-155. Except as otherwise directed by the 13 Supreme Court during the period from November 21, 2009, until June 14 30, 2011, 2013, the fund shall be used to supplement the administration of the office and the support of the approved centers. 15 16 It is the intent of the Legislature that any General Fund money supplanted by the Dispute Resolution Cash Fund may be used for the 17 support and maintenance of the State Library. Any money in the fund 18 available for investment shall be invested by the state investment 19 20 officer pursuant to the Nebraska Capital Expansion Act and the Nebraska State Funds Investment Act. 21

Sec. 4. Section 29-2259.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative
Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

24 29-2259.02 The State Probation Contractual Services Cash
25 Fund is created. The fund shall consist only of payments received by

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the state pursuant to contractual agreements with local political 1 2 subdivisions for probation services provided by the Office of 3 Probation Administration. Except as otherwise directed by the Supreme Court during the period from November 21, 2009, until June 30, 2011, 4 5 2013, the fund shall only be used to pay for probation services provided by the Office of Probation Administration to local political 6 7 subdivisions which enter into contractual agreements with the Office 8 of Probation Administration. The fund shall be administered by the probation administrator. Any money in the fund available for 9 10 investment shall be invested by the state investment officer pursuant to the Nebraska Capital Expansion Act and the Nebraska State Funds 11 12 Investment Act.

Sec. 5. Section 29-2262.07, Revised Statutes Cumulative
Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

15 29-2262.07 The Probation Program Cash Fund is created. All funds collected pursuant to section 29-2262.06 shall be remitted 16 to the State Treasurer for credit to the fund. Except as otherwise 17 directed by the Supreme Court during the period from November 21, 18 2009, until June 30, 2011, 2013, the fund shall be utilized by the 19 20 administrator, in consultation with the Community Corrections 21 Council, for the purposes stated in subdivision (14) of section 29-2252, except that the State Treasurer shall, on or before June 30, 22 23 2011, on such date as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services, 24 transfer the amount set forth in Laws 2009, LB1, One Hundred First 25

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Legislature, First Special Session. Any money in the fund available

2 for investment shall be invested by the state investment officer
3 pursuant to the Nebraska Capital Expansion Act and the Nebraska State
4 Funds Investment Act.

5 On July 15, 2010, the State Treasurer shall transfer б three hundred fifty thousand dollars from the Probation Program Cash 7 Fund to the Violence Prevention Cash Fund. The Office of Violence 8 Prevention shall distribute such funds as soon as practicable after 9 July 15, 2010, to organizations or governmental entities that have submitted violence prevention plans and that best meet the intent of 10 11 reducing street and gang violence and reducing homicides and injuries 12 caused by firearms.

13 Sec. 6. Original sections 24-205, 24-227.01, 25-2921,
 14 29-2259.02, and 29-2262.07, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
 15 2010, are repealed.

Sec. 7. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when passed and approved according to law.