

SHALL BE EXTENDED TO PROVIDE PAYMENTS FOR CLAIMS MADE AGAINST THE STATE INVOLVING THE OPERATION OF STATE MOTOR VEHICLES AND VESSELS AND FOR OTHER CLAIMS BY THE PUBLIC AGAINST THE STATE AND ITS OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES.}}

24.

THE STATE TREASURER HAS THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL PROGRAMS OF INSURANCE OR SELF-INSURANCE FOR THE STATE OR FOR STATE PROPERTIES, EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT THAT THE EXERCISE OF THIS POWER IS PROHIBITED OR LIMITED BY AGREEMENT OR BY ANY PROVISION OF LAW.

25.

THE TREASURER SHALL PAY FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO STATE PROPERTY ~~[[AND PROVIDE FOR PAYMENT OF STATE LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE AS AUTHORIZED BY THIS SUBTITLE]]~~ IN THE FOLLOWING CASES:

[[1. LOSS OR DAMAGE TO STATE BUILDINGS AND CONTENTS;]]

[[2]] 1. LOSS OR DAMAGE TO STATE MOTOR VEHICLES [[AND CLAIMS ARISING FROM THE OPERATION OF STATE MOTOR VEHICLES]] AS DETERMINED BY THE STATE TREASURER;

[[3. CLAIMS ARISING FROM THE OPERATION OF MASS TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION VEHICLES;]]

[[4]] 2. LOSS OR DAMAGE UNDER HULL INSURANCE ON STATE VESSELS [[AND MARINE LIABILITY CLAIMS FOR OPERATION OF STATE VESSELS;]]; and

[[5]] 3. LOSS OR DAMAGE TO STATE PERSONAL PROPERTY AND FINE ARTS AS DETERMINED BY THE STATE TREASURER.

26.

THE STATE SELF-INSURANCE TRUST FUND IS ESTABLISHED IN THE STATE TREASURY.

27.

(A) THE FUND SHALL COMPRISE THE FOLLOWING MONIES:

[[B) THE ASSETS OF THE FIRE LOSS ACCOUNT FORMERLY MAINTAINED AND SUPERVISED BY THE TREASURER PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1973, WHICH ASSETS ARE HEREBY TRANSFERRED TO THE FUND.]]

[[C)]] B ALL SUMS APPROPRIATED EITHER AS GENERAL FUNDS OR SPECIAL FUNDS TO THE TREASURER OR TO ANY OTHER STATE AGENCY IN THE ANNUAL STATE BUDGET FOR THE PURCHASE OF INSURANCE OR FOR SELF-INSURANCE OF STATE PROPERTY ~~[[OR FOR PAYMENT OF STATE LIABILITY FOR DAMAGES]]~~ IN THOSE CASES LISTED IN SECTION 25 OF THIS SUBTITLE. THESE SUMS SHALL CONTINUE TO BE APPROPRIATED IN AMOUNTS NOT LESS THAN THOSE AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED IN THE 1973 FISCAL YEAR.