approved budget amendment to the various salary and wage accounts of the departments, agencies, boards and commissions of the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of State government, including those positions set out under Article 15A, Sec. 20(c), for the purpose of implementing the statewide salary adjustment.

From Special and Federal Funds, for payments required as a result of salary adjustments. Authorization is hereby granted to use Special and Federal Funds for this purpose, in the amount of \$14,333,200 to be payable out of revenues and grants which are the source of funds for the payment of budget appropriations payable out of Special and Federal Funds; this amount being estimated and it being the intent that the actual amount, whether it be more or less, shall be made available in allocating by budget amendment to the various State agencies the amounts necessary to supplement the appropriations.

## PERSONNEL BENEFITS CONTRIBUTIONS

## 26.01.05.01 Social Security Contributions: For the State's share of the

contributions for:

General Fund Appropriation....

59,557,797

The State Comptroller is here—by authorized to pay to the Employees' Retirement System—Division of Social Security funds appropriated in various agency budgets for their respective shares of Social Se—