

SUMMARY

Total General Fund Appropriation.....	12,149,000
Total Special Fund Appropriation	2,610,783
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Total Appropriation	14,759,783
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MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEMS

23.27.00.01 General Administration	
Special Fund Appropriation	7,675,264
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It is the intent of the General Assembly that no funds be expended from the Emergency Medical Services Operation Fund for the replacement of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) helicopters until a comprehensive procurement plan and needs assessment has been prepared by the EMS Board, in consultation with the EMS Advisory Council (SEMSAC), a representative of the private sector, and the Department of Budget and Fiscal Planning (DBFP), addressing replacement issues. The plan should be formulated by a team consisting of representatives from the EMS Board, SEMSAC, a representative of the private sector, MIEMSS, State Police, and DBFP. This plan should encompass evaluations of EMS airframe requirements, airframe life expectancies, maintenance requirements, operational requirements, and other issues pertinent to the determination of aircraft procurement. This plan should include proposed funding sources and an associated procurement schedule. Upon completion, this plan must be presented to the budget committees by August 1, 1996.

It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Maryland Institute of Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS), in coordination with the Department of Health