

(5) any moneys received and accepted as gifts, contributions, or grants as authorized under subsection (i) of this section.

(f) The Fund does not include any moneys:

(1) received by the Department of Transportation, Maryland Transportation Authority, or Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission;

(2) received by the Judicial or Legislative Branches of State government;
or

(3) generated from pay phone commissions that are credited to other accounts or funds in accordance with other provisions of law or are authorized for other purposes in the budget or through an approved budget amendment.

(g) (1) The State Treasurer shall hold and the State Comptroller shall account for the Fund.

(2) The Fund shall be invested and reinvested in the same manner as other State funds.

(3) Investment earnings shall accrue to the credit of the Fund.

(h) (1) The Fund is subject to a ceiling on the amount of moneys that may be credited to the Fund for the fiscal year for which the budget is submitted.

(2) The Governor shall include in the annual State budget a proposed ceiling for the Fund.

(3) The ceiling on the Fund is set as enacted in the annual State budget bill.

(4) Any revenues earned in excess of the ceiling on the amount of moneys that may be credited to the Fund in a fiscal year shall be credited to the General Fund of the State.

(i) The Chief of Information Technology:

(1) shall administer the Fund in accordance with this section;

(2) subject to the provisions of §§ 2-201 and 3-405 of this article, may receive and accept contributions, grants, or gifts of money or property; and

(3) shall be responsible for overseeing the implementation of projects funded by moneys from the Fund.

(j) The Governor shall submit with the budget:

(1) a summary showing the unencumbered balance in the Fund as of the close of the prior fiscal year and a listing of any encumbrances;

(2) an estimate of projected revenue from each of the sources specified in subsection (e) of this section for the fiscal year for which the budget is submitted; and