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Respectfully Submitted,

SENATOR BILL HUTCHINS Chairperson

REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE FISCAL COMMITTEE TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

October 24, 1988

The Legislative Fiscal Committee met on October 24, 1988, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 22 of the State Capitol Building.

The following items were discussed by the Committee:

- State Board of Regents' bonding
 No action.
- Board of Regents' coal contracts
 The Committee deferred action on this issue.
- DHS involvement with school truancy cases
 No action.
- Staffing levels at state institutions AFSCME
 No action.
- 5. Update from the Capital Budgeting Sub/Subcommittee
 No action.
- 6. Multistate Tax Compact
 No action.
- 7. 8.39 appropriations transfers
 No action.

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REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE FISCAL COMMITTEE TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

November 16, 1988

The Legislative Fiscal Committee met on November 16, 1988, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 116 of the State Capitol Building.

The following items were discussed by the Committee:

- 1. State of Iowa's membership in the Multistate Tax Compact
 Action deferred.
- 2. Board of Regents' explanation of coal contracts at Regents' Institutions

No action.

3. Department of Economic Development - Community Economic Betterment Account Guidelines

No action.

- 4. Allocation methodology for 27th pay period No action.
- 5. Board of Regents' audit costs

The Committee unanimously approved a motion recommending that the Board of Regents pay all audit expenses, on a proportionate basis, for institution under the Board's control.

- State Auditor local school district audits
 No action.
- 7. Dept. of Human Services proposal to add 54 new Child Support Recovery staff.

No action.

8. Reversions transferred to "Rainy Day Fund" - Van Maanen proposal

The Committee deferred action.

9. Revised Economic Development Visitation request

The Committee approved the Economic Development Visitation Committee's revised request.

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REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE FISCAL COMMITTEE . TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

December 5 & 6, 1988

The Legislative Fiscal Committee met on December 5 and 6, 1988, in the State Capitol Building.

The following items were discussed by the Committee:

- 1. General Services Data Processing Capacity
- Department of Human Services Response Time on Legislative Requests
- 3. Collections Services Center Status of transition to Clerk of District Courts
- 4. Update on \$1.0M Appropriation to Department of Revenue and Finance
- 5. Comparable Worth Pay Adjustments

The Fiscal Committee recommended that the Department of Management eliminate all notations concerning Comparable Worth Pay Adjustments in all budgeting documents. All amounts shall be combined into the salaries line item and should not be "line itemed" or requested separately.

6. Capital Budget Subcommittee Recommendations

Fiscal Committee recommended a bill draft to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees.

7. Reversion Proposal

Fiscal Committee recommended that the Governor and the Department of Management not use reversions during the budgeting process in the calculations of the ending balance, but allow reversions to be transferred to the Iowa Ecomonic Emergency Fund.

- 8. Treasurer's Bonding Report
- 9. Overview of Regents' Bonding

10. Accepted reports on Mandated Studies:

Department of Public Safety Personnel Study Department of Transportation Audit Merged Area School Reclassification Study Alcoholic Beverages Division Wholesale Operations-Privatization

11. Recognition of Senator Holden's tenure of service on the Legislative Fiscal Committee.

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REPORT

of the

SERVICE COMMITTEE

November 28, 1988

The Service Committee of the Legislative Council met on November 28, 1988. The meeting was called to order by Senator Joe Welsh, Chairperson, at 10:17 a.m. in Room 22 of the State House, Des Moines, Iowa.

The Service Committee respectfully submits to the Legislative Council the following report and recommendations:

- 1. The Service Committee recommends that the Legislative Council permit the Legislative Fiscal Bureau to hire an additional administrative secretary at step 2, if necessary.
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 - a. The appointment of Ms. Diane Bolender to the vacant position of Deputy Director. Ms. Bolender is currently the Research Division Chief.
 - b. The appointment of Ms. Loanne Dodge to the vacant position of Assistant Iowa Code Editor. Ms. Dodge is currently Publications Coordinator for the Iowa Code.
 - c. The appointment of Ms. Toni Boyd to the vacant position of Assistant Administrative Code Indexer. Ms. Boyd is currently a proofreader for the Administrative Code.
 - d. The reclassification of Mr. Michael Goedert from Legal Counsel II to Senior Legal Counsel.
 - e. The reclassification of Ms. Susan Weddell from Legislative Text Processor I to Legislative Text Processor II.
 - f. The approval of the request of Ms. Ruth McGhee for deferred retirement. Under deferred retirement, Ms. McGhee would continue to work for the Legislative Service Bureau on an approximately half-time basis and receive partial retirement-type benefits. If

- the request is approved, Ms. McGhee would be classified in the new classification of Library Clerk at 0.5 FTE and at a salary level to be determined under the comparable worth process. Her current position of Librarian would become vacant and a half-time proofreading position would be abolished so that the total authorized positions in the Bureau would remain the same.
- g. The Service Committee had previously approved, by postcard poll, the hiring of Ms. Susan Voss as Legal Counsel I, at step 2 of the entry level.
- 3. The Service Committee recommends that the Legislative Council approve the hiring of Michael Elliot as Legal Counsel, Grade 30, step 1, by the Office of Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman
- 4. The Service Committee recommends that the Legislative Council approve the reclassification of Michael Ferjak from Assistant I, Grade 27, step 2, to Assistant II, Grade 30, step 1, by the Office of Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman.
- 5. The Service Committee recommends that the Legislative Council approve the attached proposed budgets and budget allocation of the Legislative Fiscal Bureau and Office of Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1989, pursuant to section 2.12 of the Code.
- 6. The Service Committee recommends that the Legislative Council approve the attached proposed budget plus a four percent increase for personal services and the budget allocation of the Legislative Service Bureau for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1989, pursuant to section 2.12 of the Code.
- 7. The Service Committee received and filed a letter from Ms. Renee Norman, formerly of the Legislative Service Bureau. The Service Committee closed the matter of the grievance which had been filed by Ms. Norman.
- 8. The Service Committee directed the Legislative Fiscal Bureau to develop uniform budget sheets so that there would be continuity in the form of the budgets submitted by the central legislative staff agencies in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR JOE WELSH Chairperson

PROPOSED BUDGETS

OF

CENTRAL LEGISLATIVE STAFF AGENCIES

FOR

1989-1990 FISCAL YEAR

Legislative Computer Support Bureau

Legislative Fiscal Bureau

Legislative Service Bureau

Office of Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman

Historical Background Information

November, 1988



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LEGISLATIVE COMPUTER SUPPORT BUREAU =

Proposed Allocation 1989-90 Fiscal Year

	ACTUAL FY'88	ESTIMATED FY'89	REQUEST FY'90
Personal Services	\$ 187,031	\$ 247,215	\$ 282,832
Travel, Subsistence and Education	13,556	20,000	20,000
Office Supplies	19,296	16,500	19,500
Office Equipment	2,032	13,000	13,000
Communications	4,895	10,000	10,000
Rentals	0	1,000	1,000
Outside Maintenance, Repairs/Service	221,726	351,000	421,500
Data Processing, Hardware and Software	452,323	580,246	495,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 900,862	\$ 1,238,961	\$ 1,262,832
FTE'S	5.9	7.4	7.4

Y-90 Budget Request Breakdown:

ITEM	DOLLARS	Assumptions
Salaries	282,832	* Cola, effective 7-1-89 * Merit steps based upon salary review * All 7.4 FTE positions will be filled * No new positions
Travel	20,000	* maintain current level of training, seminars and conferences attended by staff
Office supplies	19,500	* maintain current level of operation
Office equipment	13,000	* maintain current level of operation
Communications	10,000	* maintain current level of operation
Rentals	1,000	* maintain current level of operation
Outside maintenance, repairs/service	421,500	<pre>* maintain current levels of operation * upgrade to new software levels</pre>
r processing h ware and software	495,000	<pre>* maintain current level of operation * replacement of older technology * additional functionality * publishing equipment for code division</pre>



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LEGISLATIVE FISCAL BUREAU

Proposed Allocation 1989-90 Fiscal Year

	ACTUAL FY-88	ESTIMATED FY-89	FY-90 REQUEST
Personal Services	\$ 842,321	\$ 991,000	\$1,110,000
Travel	24;624	25,000	25,000
Office Supplies	29,239	35,500	40,000
Communications	11,286	16,000	17,000
Rental	0	10,000	10,000
Office Equipment	9,404	35,800	31,000
Other-(Outside Services/Repairs)	45,933	39,500	46,000
Total Expend	\$ 962,807	\$1,152,800	\$1,279,000*
FTE's	23.0	26.0	26.5

^{*} see attached

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.FY-90 Budget Request Breakdown:

ITEM	DOLLARS	ASSUMPTIONS
Salaries	1,110,000	 * Cola, effective 7-1-89 * Merit steps based on salary review dates * All 25 positions will be filled * No new positions requested * Includes approximately \$8,000 in reallocations/promotions * Includes full year funding for Admin Secretary/Machine Operator
Travel	25,000	* Reflects the current level of training, conferences, seminars, etc. attended by LFB staff
Office Supplies	40,000	* Maintains the current level of operation
unications	17,000	* Maintains the current level of operation (no moving costs included)
Rental	10,000	* Maintains the current level of operation
Office Equipment	31,000	* Maintains the current level of operation
Other	46,000	* Includes the following:
Outside Serv -36,000 Outside Repair-10,000		Maintain Current- Outside Services 26,000 Outside Repairs 10,000 Add'l Outside Services- 10,000 -Payroll Projection -Revenue Estimating Model

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LEGISLATIVE SERVICE BUREAU

PROPOSED ALLOCATIONS, 1989-90. FISCAL YEAR

	ACTUAL FY-88	estimated FY-89	REQUEST FY-90
Personal Services	1,544,310	1,928,846	2,142,412
Travel & Subsistence	21,001	28,000	30,000
Office Furnishings, Equipment, Supplies & Services	107,017	168,304	125,000
Printing & Binding	517,809	960,550	560,000
Communications	18,702	26,000	26,000
Total .	2,208,839	3,111,700	2,883,412
FTE's	74.25	72.00	72.00

LEGISLATIVE SERVICE BUREAU

.. FY-90 Budget Request Breakdown:

ITEM	AMOUNT	ASSUMPTIONS
Personal Services	2,142,412	*Merit steps based on 7/1/89 review date *Conversion of an Assistant Iowa Code Editor position into a Deputy Iowa Code Editor position *Includes contingency funding for potential reclassifications and overtime pay
Travel	30,000	*Reflects the current level of training, conferences, seminars, etc. attended by Legislative Service Bureau staff. Also used for expenses of staffing out-of-town meetings and staff retreat.
ffice Furnishings, quipment, Supplies, and Services	125,000	*Maintains the current level of operations *Includes contingency funding for potential additions and modifications to computer hardware and software, but does not include funding for redistricting software
Printing and Binding	560,000	*Printing of Iowa Code Supplement, Session Laws, Administrative Code publications, Election Laws, and publications for legislative reference and public information
Communications	26,000	*Maintains the current level of telephone operations

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STATE OF IOWA

CITIZENS' AIDE OFFICE CAPITOL COMPLEX DES MOINES, IOWA 50319 (515) 281-3592

in reply, please refer to:



WILLIAM P. ANGRICK II CITIZENS' AIDE / OMBUDSMAN

November 4, 1988

The Honorable Joe Welsh, Chair Service Committee, Iowa Legislative Council Iowa Senate LOCAL

Re: 1989-90 appropriation request for the office of Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman

Dear Senator Welsh:

I have attached the office of Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman appropriation request for FY 1989-90. For comparative purposes the actual FY 1987-88 expense and the FY 1988-89 appropriation is also shown. An item explanation is also attached for your information.

I will be available at the Service Committee meeting to answer any questions you or the Committee members may have.

William P. Angrick II

Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman

WPA: jg

Encl.

cc: Members, Service Committee Senator Emil J. Husak

Senator Lee W. Holt

The Hon. John H. Connors

The Hon. Kay Chapman

The Hon. Delwyn Stromer

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CITIZENS' AIDE/CMBUDSMAN 1989-90 FISAL YEAR PROPOSED ALLOCATION November 4, 1988

	Actual FY 88	Estimated FY 89	Requested FY 90
Salaries	314,037	382,660	432,000
Travel	8,494	12,000	13,500
Office Supplies	7,130	6,500	7,000
Office Equipment	10,652	13,500	18,000
Communications	18,689	15,000	16,000
Prof. & Scientific Ser.	551	2,000	2,000
Printing & Binding	1,500	2,500	2,500
Relocation Expense	28,709	•	· -
TOTALS	389,762	434,160	491,000

FY 90 BUDGET REQUEST ITEM EXPLANATION

Salaries	432,000	C o L adjustment Projected Merit increases by anniversay date No vacancies on T.O. No new positions Approx. \$3,600 in promotions Secretarial overtime Part-time secretary, as needed
Travel	13,500	Current level of training & conferences Additional staff assignments to juvenile institutions, MHIs, Veterans Home and correctional facilities
Office Supplies	7,000	Anticipate small increase in cost and use of office and computer supplies Subscription to West Law (electronic data service)
Office Equipment ,	18,000	Includes purchase of three computer terminals and software and additional book shelving
Commications	16,000	Maintaining current level of phone use Includes hookup and computer service rental fee Beeper for office personnel
Prof. & Scientific Ser.	2,000	Current level
Printing	2,500	Current level (Reports & misc. printing)
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TOTAL

\$491,000

Estimated FY89 Ky FY YO Keursel F 787 382,660 397,660 432,000 12000 12,000 1.3,50 P200 6500 7000 13500 13500 18 000 15000 12000 2000 16000 2000 2500 2500 2500 434,160 491,000 449,160

FY90 Salaries

Base Salaries 328,346
Base Benefits 57460
Projected Cor 22920
Projected Merit 13140
Projected Reclassifications 3600
Projected overtime 4000
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LEGISLATIVE EXPENDITURES FY-83 - FY-90 (000 omitted)

	ACTUAL FY-83	ACTUAL FY-84	ACTUAL FY-85	ACTUAL FY-86	ACTUAL FV-87	ACTUAL FY-88	ESTIMATED FY-89	REQUEST FY-90
CITIZENS. AIDE	\$ 235.0	237.8	247.6	240.9	275.9	389.8	434.2	491.0
LEG COMPUTER SUPPORT	-0-	-0-	-0-	637.9	802.9	. 900.9	1,239.0	1,262.8
LEG FISCAL BUREAU	542.0	586.0	563.3	531.9	693.3	962.8	1,152.8	1,279.0
LEG SERVICE BUREAU (Includes Code Editor)	1,820.4	1,842.1	2,106.5	1,748.0	2,383.7	2,208.8	3,111.7	2,883.4
Sub Total	\$ 2,597.4	2,665.9	2,917.4	3,158.7	4,155.8	4,462.3	5,937.7	5,916.2
% Change		2.6	9.4	. · . 2	31.5	7.4	33.1	(.4)
GENERAL ASSEMBLY	\$ 6,119.4	6,372.3	7,797.0	7,132.5	7,295.6	7,008.1	8.988.8	N/A
Total Leg Branch	\$ 8,716.8	9,038.2	10,714.4	10,291.2	11,451.3	11,470.4	14,926.5	•
X Change		3.6	18.5	(4.0)	11.2	. 2	30.1	

Total General Fund	\$1,909,785.9	2,046,942.4	2,114,824.4	2,222,819.6	2,203,303.7	2,442,810.2) (2) 2,648,058.7
* % Change		7.2	3.3	5.1	(.9)	10.9	8.4

⁽¹⁾ The FY-88 General Fund expenditure is estimated. (2) Includes \$10.0 M for the UNI boiler.

FISCAL YEAR 1990 BUDGET OF CITIZENS' AIDE/OMBUDSMAN

	ORIGINAL SUBMISSION	REVISED SUBMISSION
SALARIES	432,000	420,800
TRAVEL	13,500	13,500
OFFICE SUPPLIES	7,000	7,500
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	18,000	18,200
COMMUNICATIONS	16,000	16,500
PROFESSIONAL & SCIENTIFIC SERVICES	2,000	2,000
PRINTING & BINDING	2,500	2,500
TOTAL	491,000	481,000

NOTE: The revised total budget, reflecting a \$10,000 reduction, has been specifically approved by the Legislative Council. The revised line items weren't specifically discussed when the \$10,000 reduction was approved. The specific line items are being distributed with the Council minutes to specifically indicate how the reduction is achieved.

- 1 HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE RESOLUTION NO.
- 2 BY COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE RESOLUTION
- 3 A House Committee Resolution relating to the
- 4 employment of professionals by the Legal Services
- 5 Corporation of Iowa to assist in the process of loan
- 6 restructuring by the federal Farmers' Home
- 7 Administration.
- 8 WHEREAS, the number of farmers requiring advise and
- 9 assistance to process federal Farmers' Home
- 10 Administration restructuring applications is
- 11 tremendous and may overwhelm current staff of the
- 12 Legal Services Corporation of Iowa, and
- 13 WHEREAS, the farmers applying for loan
- 14 restructuring must meet a forty-five day deadline; NOW
- 15 THEREFORE.
- 16 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
- 17 AGRICULTURE, That if the number of farmers qualifying
- 18 for its service, grows beyond current staff ability,
- 19 the Legal Services Corporation of Iowa be prepared to
- 20 use professionals inside or outside the Corporation,
- 21 to assist and advise farmers in processing federal
- 22 Farmers' Home Administration loan restructuring
- 23 applications; and
- 24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Committee will
- 25 consider supporting of a supplemental appropriation in
- 26 the 1989 Session to meet costs incurred to assist
- 27 financially stressed farmers applying for relief; and
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this
- 29 resolution be immediately delivered to the Legislative
- 30 Council.

REPORT

OF THE

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