

REFERENCE TITLE: appropriations; child care assistance

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Introduced by
Representatives Liguori: Abeytia, Aguilar, Austin, Caverro, Connolly, De
Los Santos, Gutierrez, Márquez, Peshlakai, Sandoval, Simacek, Stahl
Hamilton, Villegas, Volk

AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONIES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Appropriations; department of economic security;
3 child care assistance; exemption

4 A. The sum of \$160,000,000 is appropriated from the state general
5 fund in fiscal year 2026-2027 to the department of economic security for
6 child care assistance.

7 B. The appropriation made in subsection A of this section is exempt
8 from the provisions of section 35-190, Arizona Revised Statutes, relating
9 to lapsing of appropriations.