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# Actions Taken by the Legislative Advisory Commission



**January 1, 2005 – January 1, 2007**

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In accordance with M.S. 3.30, Subd. 2, we are submitting a report on all actions taken by the Legislative Advisory Commission between January 1, 2005 and January 1, 2007.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tom J. Hanson".

Tom J. Hanson, Executive Secretary  
Legislative Advisory Commission

Attachment

# **Statements on Contingent Accounts**

## **Transfers and Balances**

Pages one through six provide detail on transfers from contingent accounts authorized by the Legislative Advisory Commission and administrative transfers during the period of January 1, 2005 to January 1, 2007. These six pages indicate contingent account appropriations and transfers as well as indicating the account balances of as January 1, 2007.

Information is provided on account activity affecting the last six months of the 2004-2005 biennium and the current status of these accounts in the 2006-2007 biennium.

**ACTIONS TAKEN**  
**By The**  
**LEGISLATIVE ADVISORY COMMISSION**  
**January 1, 2005 Through January 1, 2007**

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## General Purposes Contingent Account

Laws of 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 1, Article 1, Section 28  
Laws of 2005, Chapter 156, Article 1, Section 31

### General Fund

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Amount \$	Balance \$
	01/01/05	BALANCE		1,000,000.00
Order #1	06/20/05	Department of Finance Potential Litigation Costs	80,000.00	920,000.00
Order #2	08/18/05	Department of Finance Special Master Expenses	9,932.38	910,067.62
	FY 2005 Close	CANCELLATION	910,067.62	-0-
	07/01/05	APPROPRIATION	500,000.00	500,000.00
	08/18/05	Department of Finance Special Master Expenses	8,721.13	491,278.87
	04/18/06	Administrative Transfer #1 Campaign Finance Board Attorney Fees from Challenge to Election Laws	5,000.00	486,278.87
	06/15/06	Administrative Transfer #2 Tax Court Operational Computer Costs	10,000.00	476,278.87
	07/01/06	BALANCE		476,278.87

# General Purposes Contingent Account

Laws of 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 1, Article 1, Section 28  
Laws of 2005, Chapter 156, Article 1, Section 31

## State Government Special Revenue Fund

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Amount \$	Balance \$
	01/01/05	BALANCE		800,000
	FY 2005 Close	CANCELLATION	800,000	- 0 -
	07/01/05	APPROPRIATION	400,000	400,000
	07/01/06	APPROPRIATION	400,000	800,000

# General Purposes Contingent Account

Laws of 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 19, Article 1, Section 5  
Laws of 2005, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 6, Article 1, Section 5

## State Airports Fund

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Amount \$	Balance \$
	01/01/05	BALANCE		100,000
	FY 2005 Close	CANCELLATION	100,000	-0-
	07/01/05	APPROPRIATION	50,000	50,000
	07/01/06	APPROPRIATION	50,000	100,000

# General Purposes Contingent Account

Laws of 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 19, Article 1, Section 5  
Laws of 2005, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 6, Article 1, Section 5

## Trunk Highway Fund

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Amount \$	Balance \$
	01/01/05	BALANCE		400,000
	FY 2005 Close	CANCELLATION	400,000	-0-
	07/01/06	APPROPRIATION	200,000	200,000
	07/01/06	APPROPRIATION	200,000	400,000



## General Purposes Contingent Account

Laws of 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 19, Article 1, Section 5  
Laws of 2005, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 6, Article 1, Section 5

### Highway Users Tax Distribution Fund

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Amount \$	Balance \$
	01/01/05	BALANCE		250,000
	FY 2005 Close	CANCELLATION	250,000	-0-
	07/01/05	APPROPRIATION	125,000	125,000
	07/01/06	APPROPRIATION	125,000	250,000

## General Purposes Contingent Account

Laws of 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> S.S., Chapter 1, Article 1, Section 28  
Laws of 2005, Chapter 156, Article 1, Section 31

### Workers Compensation - Special Fund

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Amount \$	Balance \$
	01/01/05	BALANCE		200,000
	FY 2005 Close	CANCELLATION	200,000	-0-
	07/01/05	APPROPRIATION	100,000	100,000
	07/01/06	APPROPRIATION	100,000	200,000

## Other LAC Actions

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	Action
Order #2	12/20/05	Department of Human Services	Approval to use the TANF High Performance Bonus funds in the amount of \$13,399,244 to provide energy assistance for TANF eligible families through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) via an interagency agreement with the Department of Commerce.
Order #3	2/17/06	Department of Human Services	Approval to use newly available federal funds and implement a Medicare Section 402 demonstration project to assist low-income beneficiaries access their benefits under the Medicare Prescription Drug Program.

## LAC Approval of Federal Grant Monies

January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	\$ Amount
10-Day Review Order #6	5/2/2005	<b>Public Safety Department</b>	
		Antiterrorism & Emergency Assistance Program - Red Lake	250,000
10-Day Review Order #7	6/6/2005	<b>Agriculture Department</b>	
		Microbiological Data Program	200,000
		<b>Animal Health Board</b>	
		Prevention and Control of H5 and H7 Low Pathogenicity Avian Influenza	50,000
		<b>Transportation Department</b>	
		2005 United We Ride	35,000
10-Day Review Order #1	8/26/2005	<b>Natural Resources Department</b>	
		FEMA - Map Modernization Management Support (MMMS)	94,145
20-Day Review Order #1	10/21/2005	<b>Administration Department</b>	
		Creating an Enterprise Municipal Boundary Data Service Using the OGC Web Feature Service Specification	50,000
		<b>Agriculture Department</b>	
		Development and Assessment of User-Friendly Educational Materials for Improving Food Safety in Small and Very Small Meat Processing Establishments	16,500
		Marketing of Minnesota Products in Central America	55,500
		Ruminant Feed Ban Support Project	250,000
		<b>Animal Health Board</b>	
		Chronic Wasting Disease	70,000
		Johne's Demonstration Herd Program	10,000
		Johne's Disease Control Program	85,000
		National Poultry Improvement Plan Avian Influenza Control Program	20,000
		Scrapie Surveillance Program	60,000

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January 1, 2005 - January 1, 2007

Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	\$ Amount
20-Day Review Order #1 Continued	10/21/2005		
		<b>Commerce Department</b>	
		Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Activities	30,000
		Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program	11,638,000
		<b>Education Department</b>	
		Foreign Languages Assistance	280,000
		General Supervision Enhancement Grant	850,000
		School Dropout Prevention Program	1,715,500
		<b>Health Department</b>	
		A Blueprint for a Healthy Minnesota	1,000,000
		Breast and Prostate Cancer Data Quality and Patterns of Care Study	566,100
		Cooperative Agreements for State-Sponsored Youth Suicide and Prevention and Early Intervention	800,000
		Newborn Hearing Screening and Intervention in Minnesota Conference	15,300
		Regional Approach to Preparedness through the Emergency System of Advance Registration of Volunteer Health Professionals	200,000
		State Agency Partnerships for Promoting Child and Adolescent Mental Health	160,000
		STD Surveillance Network	80,000
		Tools for Schools Grant (USEPA)	60,000
		<b>Human Services Department</b>	
		Healthy Communities Access Program (HCAP)	980,000
		Minnesota Collaborative Model of Cross-System Approach to Evidence-Based Health Promotion	62,000
		Real Choice Systems Change - Systems Transformation	1,198,500
		Refugee School Impact Grant	1,443,800
		Services to Older Refugees - Tool Kit	87,500

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Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	\$ Amount
20-Day Review Order #1 Continued	10/21/2005		
		<b>Natural Resources Department</b>	
		Chronic Wasting Disease Surveillance 2005	90,000
		Cooperating Technical Partners (CTP)	2,000,000
		Dutch Elm Disease in Minnesota	50,000
		Map Modernization Management Support (MMMS)	687,300
		Multi-State Aquatic Resources Information System (MARIS)	25,500
		Wood/Logging Residue Study	95,000
		<b>Perpich Center for Arts Education</b>	
		Quality Teaching in the Arts: The Minnesota Arts Education Network	639,900
		<b>Pollution Control Agency</b>	
		Clean Water Act Section 104(b)(3)	300,000
		Reilly Tar Management Assistance	82,400
		<b>Public Safety Department</b>	
		CDL Fraud Prevention Grant	605,000
		Commercial Vehicle Accident Reporting System (CVARS #2)	253,000
		Community Based Impaired Driving	612,500
		Enhanced Commercial Vehicle Traffic Enforcement	750,000
		Fatigued CMV Driver Detection	300,000
		New Entrant Safety Assurance Program (NESAP#4)	3,115,000
		Police Officer Standards and Training for CMV Enforcement Personnel	700,000
		Safety Outreach Training & Education for Commercial Vehicle Drivers	650,000
		Smart-Trucks/Data Improvement	700,000
		Tubular Vehicle Assault Tactics	400,000
		Virtual Training for CMV In-Service	450,000
		COPS Methamphetamine Grant	197,300
		Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT)	283,900
		State Victim Assistance Academy Initiative	100,000
		Transit Security Grant Program 2005	1,175,000

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Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	\$ Amount
20-Day Review Order #1 Continued	10/21/2005	<b>Transportation Department</b>	
		Job Access & Reverse Commute	2,919,200
		New Freedom Initiative	1,943,200
		Safe Routes to School	2,000,000
		<b>Water and Soil Resources Board</b>	
		Wetland Banking Administration: Interpersonnel Agreement	20,000
10-Day Review Order #2	7/24/2006	<b>Natural Resources Department</b>	
		Cooperative Agreement Award for Avian Influenza Monitoring	100,000
		National Park Service Technical Support	11,750
20-Day Review Order #2	10/24/2006	<b>Education Department</b>	
		Fathering Community Access Grant	985,000
		Teacher Incentive Fund	8,561,800
		Technical Assistance and Dissemination to Improve Results for Children with Disabilities	150,000
		Enhanced Assessment Grants	2,000,000
		<b>Health Department</b>	
		Public Health Emergency Preparedness Pandemic Influenza Supplemental Funding	3,856,800
		<b>Human Services Department</b>	
		Aging and Disability Resource Center Initiative: Building Upon Success	150,000
		Minnesota Co-Occuring State Incentive Grant	1,050,000
		Evidence-Based Health Promotion Initiative	300,000
		Adoption Incentive Payment Award	154,000
		<b>Agriculture Department</b>	
		Forage Loss Assistance	705,000

## LAC Approval of Federal Grant Monies

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Order Number	Date	Department / Agency	\$ Amount
20-Day Review Order #2 Continued	10/24/2006	<b>Board of Animal Health</b>	
		Avian Influenza	100,000
		<b>Natural Resources Department</b>	
		Cooperative Fire Protection - Volunteer Fire Assistance	42,500
		Statewide Surveillance for Bovine Tuberculosis in Free-Ranging White-Tailed Deer	368,800
		<b>Pollution Control Agency</b>	
		National Lakes Assessment	246,400
		<b>Public Safety Department</b>	
		Knowledge Test Improvements	215,400
		Evaluation of Raman StreetLab Device for Testing Drugs	38,900
		<b>Transportation Department</b>	
		Integrated Corridor Management - Stage 1	122,500
		<b>Corrections Department</b>	
		Faith Based Mentoring Initiative for Minn. Juvenile Corrections	65,600
		Model Demonstrations for Assistive Technology Reutilization	28,000
		Workers' Memorial	130,000
10-Day Review Order #3	11/30/2006	<b>Department of Public Safety</b>	
		Buffer Zone Protection Program	567,000