

**OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL (0053)  
FISCAL YEAR 2011**

**I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES**

**Mission**

The Attorney General's Office is a constitutionally established office that is charged with the responsibility of acting as the attorney for all state officials, departments, institutions and agencies. The Attorney General is also responsible for defending the state in federal courts, acting as legal representative of all state parties in litigation in which the state is involved, and for issuing legal opinions on constitutional or legal questions. The AG's Office also administers the Crime Victims Reparation Program, the Medicaid Fraud Program, Consumer Protection Division, and the Consumer Utilities Rate Advocacy Division.

**Total Appropriation**

The total appropriation for fiscal year 2011 is \$22.5 million.

**Funding Source**

Funded through the State Central Services Fund, special revenues (from funds transferred from State Administration of Justice Fund allocations), federal funds, and fund balances.

**II) SIGNIFICANT CHANGES OVER FY2010**

None

**III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS:**

Total Positions for FY 2011: 169

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**IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE**

**Attorney Fees.** The disbursing officer of the appropriations shall deposit all monies received by the Office of Attorney General as attorney fees in the State Central Services Fund as direct revenues.

**Carry Forward.** Any balance of funding may be carried forward for the next fiscal year.

**Transfer Provision.** Authorized to transfer appropriation and funding between line items in Operations appropriation.