

SB 5537-1
(LC 9537)
5/21/25 (DFY/ps)

Requested by JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 5537**

Delete lines 4 through 25 of the printed bill and insert:

“SECTION 1. There are appropriated to the Secretary of State, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the following amounts, for the following purposes:

(1) Administrative Services

Division \$ 8,271,325

(2) Elections Division \$ 18,608,207

“SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds, collected or received by the Secretary of State, for the following purposes:

(1) Administrative Services

Division \$ 36,662,910

(2) Elections Division \$ 1,443,423

(3) Audits Division..... \$ 32,965,791

(4) Archives Division..... \$ 12,912,387

(5) Corporation Division..... \$ 18,538,978

“SECTION 3. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$5,202,599 is established for the biennium beginning July

1 1, 2025, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from federal
2 funds collected or received by the Secretary of State.

3 **“SECTION 4.** This 2025 Act being necessary for the immediate
4 **preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is**
5 **declared to exist, and this 2025 Act takes effect July 1, 2025.”.**

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