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http://www.scstatehouse.gov/sess121_2015-2016/bills/4230.htm

Bonus Pay \$ 23,500,000

From the funds appropriated to Statewide Employee Benefits for Bonus Pay, effective on the first pay date that occurs on or after October 16, 2015, the Department of Administration shall allocate to state agencies \$23,500,000 to provide for a one-time lump sum bonus. Each permanent state employee, in a full-time equivalent position, who has been in continuous state service for at least six months prior to July 1, 2015, and who earns less than \$100,000 shall receive an \$800 one-time lump sum payment. This payment is not a part of the state employee's base salary and is not earnable compensation for purposes of employer or employee contributions to respective retirement systems. This appropriation may be used for payments to employees only in the same ratio as the employee's base salary is paid from appropriated sources and the employing agency shall pay the bonus for federal and other funded full-time equivalent positions employees from federal or other funds available to the agency in the proportion that such funds are the source of the employee's salary. The earnings limitation in Proviso 117.55 of H. 3701, R. 127, Act 91 of 2015, does not apply to this bonus.

Articles:

The State: SC budget to include \$800 bonus for state employees, money for roads

<http://www.thestate.com/news/politics-government/politics-columns-blogs/the-buzz/article25117654.html#storylink=cpy>