Department of Finance

STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS

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Legal Title

Occupational Safety and Health Fund

Legal Citation/Authority

Chapter 341, Statutes of 2009 (SB 73)

Labor Code section 62.5(d)

Fund Classification

GAAP Basis

Governmental/Special Revenue Funds

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Governmental/Other Governmental Cost Funds

Purpose

Moneys in the account may be expended by the department for support of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health, the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board, and the Occupational Safety and Health Appeals Board.

Administering Agency/Organization Code

Department of Industrial Relations/Org 7350

Major Revenue Source

Surcharge levied by the director of Department of Industrial Relations upon all employers as provided in Labor Code section 62.5(f) for deposit in the Occupational Safety and Health Fund (OSH Fund) (3121). This is one of five funds holding surcharges levied on employers under Labor Code § 62.5.

Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)

Pursuant to Government Code 16346, in the absence of language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment, shall be transferred to the General Fund.

Appropriation Authority

Upon appropriation by the Legislature

State Appropriations Limit

Excluded – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes, however, when transferred, may become proceeds of taxes. These revenues are used to regulate the activities engaged in by the payers.

Comments/Historical Information

Chapter 746, Statutes of 1999 created Labor Code section 62.5.

Chapter 341, Statutes of 2009, repealed Labor Code section 62.4 and re-added it with similar language.

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