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REQUEST NO. 15-77

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Form BD-15

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BUDGET DIRECTOR Office of Budget and Program Planning Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_

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12	services training advisory council to work with the director
13	of the fire services training school. The membership of the
14	council shall include the following:
15	(a) a fire chief;
16	(b) a volunteer firefighter;
17	(c) a paid firefighter;
18	(d) a fire service instructor;
19	(e) a person involved in fire prevention;
20	(t) an engineering representative of the insurance
21	services office;
22	(g) a representative of the fire protection
23	engineerina industry;
24	(t) a fire control officer recommended by the
25	administrator of the division of forestry.

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1 (2) The board shall solicit and consider the 2 recommendations of appropriate organizations and 3 associations of fire service personnel in making 4 appointments under subsection (1) of this section.

b (3) Members appointed shall serve for a 4-year term.
b [f a vacancy occurs, a member shall be appointed to fill the
7 unexpired term. A member may be reappointed.

d (4) The state fire marshal and director of the fire
9 services training school are ex officio members of the
10 council.

Section 4. Organization of fire services training advisory council -- procedures -- compensation of members. (1) The members of the fire services advisory council shall elect a chairman, a vice-chairman, and such other officers considered advisable by the council. The terms of the officers shall be established by the council.

17 (2) The council shall adopt rules governing its 1d procedures subject to approval of the board of public 19 education.

20 (3) Members of the council shall receive compensation
 21 under >9-538, 59-539, and 59-801.

22 Section 5. Duties of the fire services training 23 advisory council. The fire services training advisory 24 council shall advise the board and director of the fire 25 services training school on planning, coordination,

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1 governance, management, and control of the fire services z training school to promote the purposes of the school. ٤. section 6. Appointment of director of the fire 4 services training school. (1) The board of public education shall appoint the director of the fire services training 5 school. Ine director is responsible to the board for 5 7 carrying out the provisions of this act. đ (2) The director may be removed for cause. 9 (3) The director the following must have qualifications: 10 (a) a bachelor's degree in a field of study related to 11 fire protection; or 12 (b) 5 years' experience in an organized training 13 program as an instructor and 7 years' experience as a 14 15 firefighter or fire combat officer. 16 Section 7. Duties of fire services training school director. The director shall appoint a staff and execute 17 18 policies and programs established by the board of public education for the fire services training school. The 19 director is responsible for the direction of staff and 20 21 operation of the school. Section 8. Acceptance of gifts, donations, and grants 22 authorized. The board of public education may accept gifts. čЗ

25 the fire services training school. The board may enter into

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donations, and grants of property and services on behalf of

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1 contractual agreements necessary to facilitate achievement 2 of the purposes of the school. З SECTION 9. THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION MAY ESTABLISH 4 A COST RECOVERY FEE FOR TRAINING OF COMMERCIALLY EMPLOYED 5 EIREFIGHTERS AND SUCH FEES SHALL BE DEPOSITED TO THE GENERAL 6 EUNDA 7 Section 10. Coordination with other agencies. The fire 8 services training school shall coordinate its programs and 9 cooperate with state and local fire services to the maximum possible extent in accordance with the policy of the board 10 of public education. 11