

COMMITTEE ON BUDGET, APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE

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BILL NO. 36-0163

Thirty-Sixth Legislature of the Virgin Islands

September 10, 2025

An act providing an appropriation for salaries and expenses of the Virgin Islands Board of Elections and the Office of the Supervisor of Elections in the fiscal year October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026

PROPOSED BY: Senators Milton E. Potter and Novelle E. Francis, Jr.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. The sum of \$250,000 is appropriated from the General Fund of the Treasury of the Government of the Virgin Islands during the fiscal year October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026, to the Virgin Islands Board of Elections for operating expenses and any other related costs.

SECTION 2. The sum of \$2,500,000 is appropriated from the General Fund of the Treasury of the Government of the Virgin Islands during the fiscal year October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026 to the Office of the Supervisor of Elections for operating expenses and any other related costs.

0100 GENERAL FUND	FY 2026
VI BOARD OF ELECTIONS	\$ 250,000
ELECTION SYSTEM OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS	\$2,500,000
0100 TOTAL GENERAL FUND	\$2,750,000

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BILL SUMMARY

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This bill appropriates \$2,750,000 from the General Fund of the Treasury of the Government of the Virgin Islands, of which \$250,000 is appropriated to the Virgin Islands Board of Elections and \$2,500,000 is appropriated to the Elections Systems of the Virgin Islands in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2026.

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