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## Memorandum of Understanding Addenda—Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Division of Juvenile Justice Retention Pay Differential for State Bargaining Units 16 and 19

Pursuant to Provision 7 of Item 9800-001-0001 of the 2021 Budget Act, this notification is to inform you of the recent addenda reached between the state and the Union of American Physicians and Dentists (State Bargaining Unit 16) and the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (State Bargaining Unit 19). The addenda provides a pay differential to retain employees at the Department of Correction and Rehabilitation's Division of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) effective January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023, to support DJJ operations and the delivery of programming and treatment to youth housed at DJJ pending its closure. The differential provides an initial payment of up to \$5,000 to be paid for 2021-22. Additionally, effective January 1, 2022, employees may be eligible for an additional \$20,000 or \$45,000—depending on whether the employee provides direct or non-direct care services, as defined, and the timing of the release of the employee.

The total cost of the addenda for the impacted bargaining units is \$2,422,125 General Fund—\$244,904 in 2021-22 and \$2,177,221 in 2022-23. In terms of the 2021-22 costs, pursuant to subsection (a) of Provision 8 in Item 9800-001-0001 of the 2021 Budget Act, the Department of Finance has determined the addenda does not require legislative action to ratify the agreements as the costs for each bargaining unit are under \$1 million (all funds) and are absorbable within existing resources, and the addenda is not considered a substantial addition to the original memorandums of understanding (MOUs).

The 2021-22 costs per bargaining unit are as follows:

Addendum No.	Bargaining Unit	Agreement Date	2021-22 Estimated Cost
22-027	Union of American Physicians and Dentists (State Bargaining Unit 16)	05/17/22	\$29,604
22-028	American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (State Bargaining Unit 19)	05/12/22	\$215,300

Fiscal year 2022-23 costs will require an appropriation through a forthcoming MOU bill. Finance notes the costs attributable to related excluded employees are proposed for funding in 2022-23 as part of Item 9800-001-0001 of the 2022-23 May Revision.

The addenda has been posted to the <u>CalHR website</u> in its entirety.

If you have any questions or need additional information regarding this matter, please call Evelyn Suess, Principal Program Budget Analyst, at (916) 445-3274.

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