

## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Office of the Governor

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## VIA EMAIL

The Honorable Janet D. Howell, Chair Senate Finance and Appropriations Committee P.O. Box 2608 Reston, Virginia 20195

The Honorable Luke E. Torian, Chair House Appropriations Committee 4222 Fortuna Plaza, Suite 659 Dumfries, Virginia 22025

Dear Chairwoman Howell and Chair Torian:

It is my pleasure to report to you on the status of moneys received as a portion of the federal distributions of Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act (P.L. 116-136).

In accordance with 479.10 B.8 of the Budget Bill, \$210,000,000 from the Coronavirus Relief Funds has been deposited by the Virginia Employment Commission to the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund. Of that amount, \$121,491,175 will be used to repay the current loan balance held by the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund. The remaining funds, \$88,508,825, will be used for the payment of benefits.

Sincerely yours,

R. Brian Ball

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