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## Act No. 16 (H.218). An act relating to fiscal year 2026 appropriations from the Opioid Abatement Special Fund

## Subjects: Human services; expenditures; Opioid Abatement Special Fund; opioid use disorder

This act makes various fiscal year 2026 appropriations from the Opioid Abatement Special Fund. It also requires the Opioid Settlement Advisory Committee to base its annual recommendations for expenditures from the Special Fund on previously reported outcomes and measurements and to include with its recommendations the corresponding citation for authorized use of the Special Fund. Lastly, this act requires the Advisory Committee to elect a vice chair from among its nongovernmental members.

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