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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014

J O I N T R E S O L U T I O N

**MAKING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$15,000,000 FOR SERVICES FOR THE
DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED**

Introduced By: Representatives Guthrie, Edwards, Johnston, O`Grady, and Bennett

Date Introduced: February 26, 2014

Referred To: House Finance

1 RESOLVED, That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not
2 otherwise appropriated for the fiscal year 2014-2015, the sum of fifteen million dollars
3 (\$15,000,000) to the Department of Behavioral Healthcare, Developmental Disabilities &
4 Hospitals, Division of Developmental Disabilities for services for the developmentally disabled,
5 and the state controller is hereby authorized and directed to draw his orders upon the general
6 treasurer for the payment of said sum, or so much thereof as may be from time to time required,
7 upon receipt by him of properly authenticated vouchers; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That said funding shall be targeted to agencies that expand and create
9 programs that enhance work opportunities of the developmentally disabled in response to the
10 report by the United States Department of Justice titled, "United States' Title II ADA
11 Investigation of Employment, Vocational, and Day Services for Persons with Intellectual and
12 Developmental Disabilities in Rhode Island."

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EXPLANATION
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