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**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2137**

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**State of Washington**

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**2005 Regular Session**

**By** House Committee on Appropriations (originally sponsored by Representatives Sommers, Walsh, Darneille, Anderson, Chase, Dickerson, Ericks, Roberts, Conway, Linville, Kenney and O'Brien; by request of Office of Financial Management)

READ FIRST TIME 03/04/05.

1 AN ACT Relating to funding for crime victims' compensation; adding  
2 a new section to 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 (uncodified); making an  
3 appropriation; and declaring an emergency.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to 2003 1st sp.s. c  
6 25 (uncodified) to read as follows:

7 The sum of three million six hundred twenty-seven thousand dollars  
8 is appropriated for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, from the state  
9 general fund to the department of labor and industries for the  
10 additional costs incurred by the department of labor and industries in  
11 the crime victims compensation program.

12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate  
13 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the  
14 state government and its existing public institutions, and takes effect  
15 immediately.

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