

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE OF THE UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS

To appropriate the sum of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000) to the Department of Justice to cover contingencies arising from the Government's response to the HOVENSA closure, including legal, financial, and consultative and industry expert advice and representation; and any litigation costs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014

PROPOSED BY: GOVERNOR

Be It Enacted By The Legislature Of The Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. The sum of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) is appropriated in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, to the Virgin Islands Department of Justice to cover contingencies arising from the closure of the HOVENSA refinery, including legal, financial, and consultative and industry expert advice and representation; including any litigation costs relating to the resolution of closure-related disputes with HOVENSA, LLC, and its owners.

SECTION 2. The appropriation authorized under Section 1 shall remain available until expended.

BILL SUMMARY

Section 1 would appropriate the sum of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) to the Department of Justice as contingency funding for the Government's response to the HOVENSA closure, including legal and financial advice and representation, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014.

Section 2 would make the appropriation available until expended.