

COMMITTEE ON BUDGET, APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE

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RULE

**BILL NO. 35-0360**

**Thirty-Fifth Legislature of the Virgin Islands**

**September 23, 2024**

An Act appropriating \$556,043 to the Virgin Islands Taxicab Commission in the fiscal year October 1, 2024 through September 30, 2025

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**PROPOSED BY:** Senators Novelle E. Francis, Jr., Donna A. Frett-Gregory,  
Angel L. Bolques, Jr., Marvin A. Blyden and Dwayne M. DeGraff

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1 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:*

2       **SECTION 1.** The following sum, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is  
3 appropriated out of any available funds in the Taxi License Fund to the Virgin Islands Taxicab  
4 Commission for the fiscal year October 1, 2024 through September 30, 2025.

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| 5  | <b>2114 TAXI REVOLVING FUND</b>                    | <b>FY 2025</b>    |
| 6  | 480 VIRGIN ISLANDS TAXICAB COMMISSION              |                   |
| 7  | Funding for Existing Filled Positions              | \$ 395,603        |
| 8  | <b>TOTAL 480 VIRGIN ISLANDS TAXICAB COMMISSION</b> | <b>\$ 395,603</b> |
| 9  | <b>TOTAL 2114 TAXI REVOLVING FUND</b>              | <b>\$ 395,603</b> |
| 10 | <b>6068 TOURISM ADVERTISING REVOLVING FUND</b>     | <b>FY 2025</b>    |
| 11 | 480 VIRGIN ISLANDS TAXICAB COMMISSION              |                   |
| 12 | Funding for Existing Vacant Positions              | \$ 145,440        |
| 13 | Operating Expenses                                 | \$ 15,000         |

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| 1 | <b>TOTAL 480 VIRGIN ISLANDS TAXICAB COMMISSION</b>       | <b>\$ 160,440</b> |
| 2 | <b>TOTAL 6068 TOURISM ADVERTISING REVOLVING FUND</b>     | <b>\$ 160,440</b> |
| 3 | <b>GRAND TOTAL 480 VIRGIN ISLANDS TAXICAB COMMISSION</b> | <b>\$ 556,043</b> |
| 4 | <b>BR24-1315/BUDGET/September 18, 2024</b>               |                   |