

ACT NO. 9 1 7 0

BILL NO. 36-0393

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Regular Session

2026

An act amending Act No. 9035 to reprogram funds within the 2026 fiscal year budget for Virgin Islands Department of Health to provide a \$2,500,000 appropriation for behavioral health services

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. Act No. 9035, (Bill No. 36-0174) section 1, paragraph Y is amended as follows:

(a) After "PERSONNEL SERVICES" strike "\$11,630,177" and insert "\$9,130,177";

(b) After "SUB-TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH" strike "\$28,043,026" and insert "\$25,543,026"; and

(c) After "PERINATAL INC. ----- \$504,240" insert a line item that reads: "BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES \$2,500,000".

SECTION 2. The sums appropriated in section 1 remain available until December 30, 2026.

Thus passed by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands on September 25, 2026.

Witness our Hands and Seal of the Legislature of the Virgin Islands this 25th day of September, A.D., 2026.



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Milton E. Potter
President

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Avery L. Lewis".

Avery L. Lewis
Secretary



Bill No. 36- 0393 is hereby approved.

**Witness my hand and the Seal of the Government of
the United States Virgin Islands at Charlotte Amalie,
St. Thomas, This 7th day of October, 2026 A.D.**


Albert Bryan Jr.
Governor