Distribution of Inauguration Funds Not Obligated for Expenses

SB 67 changes the allowable uses of gubernatorial inaugural funds not obligated for payment of inaugural expenses. After the Adjutant General is reimbursed for expenses incurred in connection with the inauguration, the bill allows residual funds to be donated to a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Residual funds also may continue to be directed to the Executive Mansion Gifts Fund for expenditures related to the governor's residence, historic properties, or both. The bill removes a provision allowing funds to be directed to the Governmental Ethics Commission Fee Fund.