

### **17.157 Funds withheld for failure to comply.**

If any public official or employee, except justices, judges, circuit clerks, and employees of the Court of Justice, required to report to the department neglects or refuses to comply with the requests of the department, or its rules governing record systems and their maintenance, the department chief shall give written notice thereof to the person or persons authorized by law to disburse funds of the governmental agency to the public official or employee involved. No funds of the governmental agency shall thereafter be paid to the public official or employee, whether in the form of salary, fees, expenses, compensation, or otherwise, until the department chief notifies the disbursing authority that performance of the required duty has been completed.

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**History:** Amended 1978 Ky. Acts ch. 61, sec. 2, effective June 17, 1978; and ch. 384, sec. 4, effective June 17, 1978. -- Amended 1976 Ky. Acts ch. 191, sec. 7. -- Amended 1974 Ky. Acts ch. 74, Art. V, sec. 24(9). -- Created 1968 Ky. Acts ch. 128, sec. 6.

**Legislative Research Commission Note.** This section was amended by two 1978 Acts which do not appear to be in conflict and which have been compiled together.