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NOVEMBER UPDATE: PAC FUND

The potential funding shortage in the Private Assigned Counsel (PAC) Fund is an ongoing issue, and IDS continues to monitor the situation closely.

Here is our update for the month of November:

- IDS has seen *some* leveling off in PAC demand since we updated the field on October 13. Fiscal staff are currently processing fee apps for payment within 45 days, and we expect to maintain that pace as long as funds are available.
- To date, IDS has spent almost half of its available PAC Fund for the fiscal year. At this rate, we expect to run out of money in the PAC fund sometime during the fourth quarter of the fiscal year.

IDS will still require an infusion of cash to pay fee applications through the end of this fiscal year on June 30, 2025. As of today, our best estimate is that we may run out of money to pay fee applications in May.

Please encourage your representatives to prioritize this issue as soon as possible when the long session convenes in 2025.

For your reference, here is a link to the [“Whom to Call”](#) resource.