

## **SAM—GRANTS**

### **RESEARCH GRANTS ADMINISTERED BY STATE AGENCIES OR AUXILIARY ORGANIZATIONS**

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The Legislature has authorized and appropriated funds to some departments specifically to conduct research in connection with the department's authorized functions and programs. These departments administer grant funds through normal state financial procedures.

Many grants are made that involve state employees, facilities, and operating costs of state agencies and institutions that the Legislature has not specifically authorized for the performance of research and for which no appropriation of state funds have been made for this purpose. Often such grants are accepted and administered by "auxiliary" organizations and corporations formed by state employees of the agency or institution involved. The research is performed at the state institution or agency using state facilities and often by or under the direction of state employees. It is probable that many of these grants are awarded in recognition of the state facility and state employment of the personnel involved.