

## **IT Centralization**

## **Employee Reference Guide: Policy Comparison**

MERIT	Policy	DTI NON-MERIT
<ul> <li>Full-time employees work 37.5 hours or 40 hours as provided in the Budget Act</li> </ul>	Hours	<ul> <li>Full-time employees work 37.5 hours or 40 hours as provided in the Budget Act</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Employee pay is based upon merit position classification and associated paygrade</li> </ul>	Pay	<ul> <li>Employee pay is based on salary analysis within position classification salary range</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Performance reviews are conducted annually</li> <li>Employees receive an equal pay raise distribution per legislative order</li> </ul>	Annual Performance Review	<ul> <li>Performance reviews are conducted mid-year and annually</li> <li>DTI receives Legislative approved increases as a lump sum and are distributed as determined by the CIO</li> <li>Performance ratings are criteria used to determine salary increases</li> </ul>
Employee accrual hours vary based upon years of service	Annual Leave	Employee accrues annual leave at     13.25 hours per month
State standard accrual of 9.5 hrs./mo.	Sick Leave	State standard accrual of 9.5 hrs./mo.
Alternative work arrangements available to eligible employees as defined in the Executive Branch Alternative Work Arrangement Policy	Alternate Work Arrangements	<ul> <li>Alternative work arrangements available to eligible employees (based on position) after an initial training period</li> <li>Requires supervisor approval</li> <li>Annual renewal process</li> </ul>
Defined by agency	Tuition Reimbursement	<ul> <li>Must be related to employee's present or probable future assignment within DTI</li> <li>Tuition reimbursement of \$4,000 per calendar year based on the availability of agency funding</li> </ul>
Defined by agency	Employee Recognition	<ul> <li>Monthly, quarterly, and annual Employee Recognition awards</li> <li>Annual Award Event</li> </ul>
State & agency recruitment and application policies	Job Posting	State & DTI recruitment and application policies
<ul> <li>Career Ladder opportunities available within job classification and via vacant position</li> </ul>	Promotions	<ul> <li>Applicants post for vacant positions</li> <li>Workforce Modernization Project is in-progress</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Merit Grievance Procedure consists of steps to find resolution with an option to appeal to the MERB for final disposition</li> </ul>	Grievance Procedure	DTI's Complaint Procedure consists of steps to find resolution with an option to appeal to the CIO for final disposition