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House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Friday, June 5, 2020

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:06 P.M., by the Honorable Clay Schexnayder, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Fontenot	McKnight
Amedee	Freeman	McMahen
Bacala	Freiberg	Miller, D.
Bagley	Gadberry	Miller, G.
Beaullieu	Gaines	Mincey
Bishop	Goudeau	Moore
Bourriaque	Green	Muscarello
Brown	Harris	Nelson
Bryant	Hilferty	Newell
Butler	Horton	Owen, C.
Carpenter	Hughes	Owen, R.
Carrier	Huval	Pierre
Carter, W.	Illg	Pressly
Cormier	Ivey	Riser
Coussan	James	Romero
Cox	Jefferson	Schamerhorn
Crews	Jenkins	Selders
Davis	Johnson, M.	St. Blanc
Deshotel	Johnson, T.	Stagni
DeVillier	Jones	Stefanski
DuBuisson	Jordan	Tarver
Duplessis	Kerner	Thomas
Dwight	LaCombe	Thompson
Echols	Landry	Turner
Edmonds	Lyons	Villio
Edmonston	Magee	Wheat
Emerson	Marcelle	Willard
Farnum	Marino	Zeringue
Firment	McFarland	

Total - 86

The Speaker announced that there were 86 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Rep. Tarver.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. C. Travis Johnson led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Rep. Stefanski, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Stefanski, the Journal of June 4, 2020, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate

**ASKING CONCURRENCE IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS**

June 5, 2020

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has adopted and asks your concurrence in the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 1, 2, and 5

Respectfully submitted,

YOLANDA J. DIXON
Secretary of the Senate

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Stefanski, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Senate Concurrent Resolutions at this time.

**Senate Concurrent Resolutions
Lying Over**

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained in the message were taken up and acted upon as follows:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY SENATOR CARTER**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Malcolm John Rebennack Jr., "Dr. John, the Night Tripper".

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY SENATOR CARTER**

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Arthur "Art" Lanon Neville.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY SENATOR PRICE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of Marvin Charles Gros Sr.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Introduction of Resolutions,
House and House Concurrent**

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 5—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

A RESOLUTION

To commend Mechelle Evans, Louisiana Rural Caucus administrative director, on receipt of the 2020 Legislative Staff Achievement Award from the Leadership Staff Professional Association of the National Conference of State Legislatures.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCORMICK

A RESOLUTION

To direct the governor to ensure that the right to individual liberty, the right to freedom of religion, and the right of the citizens of Louisiana to peaceably assemble are protected at all times without restriction.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Dwight, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure, under the rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 7—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

A RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the chairmen of the House Committee on Appropriations and the House Committee on Health and Welfare, acting jointly, to appoint a joint subcommittee composed of members from each committee to study and compile projected future demand and expenditures for state-provided long-term supports and services for the elderly and persons with adult-onset disabilities, and to report findings to the House of Representatives prior to the convening of the 2021 Regular Session.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Freeman, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare, under the rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JORDAN

A RESOLUTION

To amend and readopt House Rule 6.26(D) of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to change provisions relative to the vouchered allotment for members of the House of Representatives set by the House Executive Committee.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Jordan, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, under the rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LYONS

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office to adopt policies and procedures relative to the use, storage, and maintenance of body-worn cameras and the storage, retention, and release of audio and video data recorded by body-worn cameras.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Lyons, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Judiciary, under the rules.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPLESSIS, JAMES, AND LANDRY

A RESOLUTION

To direct the Department of State to provide to each member of the House of Representatives specified statistical information regarding certain correspondence about the ability to vote absentee by mail and to direct the secretary of state and employees of the Department of State to appear before the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to provide information regarding the same.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Duplessis, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To adopt Joint Rule No. 4(H) of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives to provide relative to fiscal notes.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. James, and under a suspension of the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs, under the rules.

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE BILL NO. 30—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

Returned to the calendar on first reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

Returned to the calendar on first reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

Returned to the calendar on first reading.

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following entitled House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading and, under a suspension of the rules, were referred to committee as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 33—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to establish an exemption for certain non-residential property subject to a cooperative endeavor agreement requiring payments in lieu of taxes; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 34—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ECHOLS
AN ACT

To enact Subpart M of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.41 through 100.43, relative to the disbursement of monies received from opioid settlements; to establish the Louisiana Opioid Settlement Fund; to provide for administration of the fund; to provide for specific uses of the fund; to provide for reporting requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 35—
BY REPRESENTATIVE BISHOP
AN ACT

To enact Subpart Q of Part II-A of Chapter 1 of Subtitle I of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 39:100.121, relative to capital outlay funds; to create the Capital Outlay Savings Fund; to provide for uses of the fund; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 36—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to establish exemptions for certain property; to establish exemptions for certain capital investment projects; to provide for the terms of exemptions; to provide for the amount of the exemptions; to provide authorization for approval of the exemptions; to provide for the administration of the exemptions; to provide for review by the Board of Commerce and Industry; to provide for approval from political subdivisions; to provide for gubernatorial approval; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for certain requirements; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 37—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1602.2, relative to the Department of Revenue; to require the secretary of the Department of Revenue to waive certain penalties and interest; to provide for limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem taxes; to authorize local government taxing authorities to enter into cooperative endeavor agreements with owners of non-residential immovable property; to provide for a maximum term for the cooperative endeavor agreements; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 39—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 45:1252(11)(c) and to enact R.S. 45:1252(11)(d), relative to the Louisiana Electric Investment Recovery Securitization Act; to provide definition for investment recovery costs; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

HOUSE BILL NO. 40—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to add Article VII, Section 9.1 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to create a category of dedicated funds in the state treasury and require the enactment of a law by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature to create or modify any fund designated as a protected fund; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILL NO. 41—
BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 21(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana and to add Article VII, Section 21(O) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to establish exemptions for certain property; to establish exemptions for certain capital investment projects; to provide for the terms of exemptions; to provide for the amount of the exemptions; to provide authorization for approval of the exemptions; to provide for the administration of the exemptions; to provide for review by the Board of Commerce and Industry;

to provide for approval from political subdivisions; to provide for gubernatorial approval; to establish an exemption for certain non-residential property subject to a cooperative endeavor agreement requiring payments in lieu of taxes; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to provide for certain limitations; to provide for certain requirements; to provide for submission of the proposed amendment to the electors; and to provide for related matters. and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

HOUSE BILL NO. 42—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GREGORY MILLER
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 3492 and 3493.10, Code of Civil Procedure Articles 1732 and 1732(1), and R.S. 22:1269(B), to enact R.S. 9:2800.27 and R.S. 22:1892.2, and to repeal R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to liability; to provide relative to civil liability and to motor vehicle liability coverage; to extend the general prescriptive period for delictual actions involving motor vehicle accidents; to prohibit the court from awarding a plaintiff the amount of medical expenses reduced or paid by a collateral source; to provide relative to collateral source, prescription, jury trials, and jury trial thresholds under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the right of direct action against an insurer; to require disclosure of policy limits to certain persons; to provide for procedure for disclosure; to provide for confidentiality; to repeal provisions prohibiting certain evidence regarding the failure to wear safety belts; to require certain annual rate filings with the commissioner of insurance; to provide for a mandatory rate reduction under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 43—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732(1), R.S. 9:2800.25(C), and R.S. 22:1269(B)(1), to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732.1, and to repeal R.S. 9:2800.25(D), relative to suits for delictual and quasi delictual actions; to provide for jury trials; to lower the jury trial threshold for certain actions; to provide for the number of jurors for certain actions; to provide for rendering a verdict; to repeal provisions relative to recovery of premiums paid; to provide for the recovery of medical expenses when paid pursuant to the Louisiana Workers' Compensation Law; to provide relative to the right of direct action against an insurer; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 44—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAROFALO
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Articles 3492 and 3493.10, Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732 and R.S. 22:1269(B), to enact Code of Civil Procedure Article 1732.1 and R.S. 9:2800.27, and to repeal R.S. 32:295.1(E), relative to liability; to provide relative to civil liability and to motor vehicle liability coverage; to extend the general prescriptive period for delictual actions involving motor vehicle accidents; to prohibit the court from

awarding a plaintiff the amount of medical expenses reduced or paid by a collateral source; to provide relative to collateral source, prescription, jury trials, and jury trial thresholds under certain circumstances; to provide relative to the right of direct action against an insurer; to repeal provisions prohibiting certain evidence regarding the failure to wear safety belts; to require certain annual rate filings with the commissioner of insurance; to provide for a rate reduction under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure.

HOUSE BILL NO. 45—
BY REPRESENTATIVES DUPLESSIS AND FARNUM
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6016.1(B), (E)(5) and (7), (F), (G), (H)(1)(b), and (J)(1) and to enact R.S. 47:6016.1(E)(1)(f), relative to the Louisiana New Markets Jobs Act; to provide for certain definitions; to authorize tax credits for certain impact businesses; to establish criteria or certain investments; to establish certain caps; to increase the amount of allocations for certain businesses for purposes of the tax credit; to provide for the recapture of tax credits; to provide for certain requirements and limitations; to require certain reports; to provide with respect to the forfeiture of certain funds under certain circumstances; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
Appropriations
June 5, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Appropriations to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1, by Zeringue
Reported favorably. (21-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, by Schexnayder
Reported favorably. (19-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Bill No. 1, by Zeringue
Reported with amendments. (21-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Bill No. 7, by Zeringue
Reported favorably. (17-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Bill No. 8, by Schexnayder
Reported with amendments. (17-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Bill No. 9, by Zeringue
Reported with amendments. (19-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Bill No. 12, by Zeringue
Reported favorably. (20-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

House Bill No. 29, by Zeringue

Reported favorably. (18-0) (Special Order for 06/10/20)

JEROME "ZEE" ZERINGUE
Chairman

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Bill No. 1 was made Special Order of the Day No. 1 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Bill No. 12 was made Special Order of the Day No. 2 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Bill No. 7 was made Special Order of the Day No. 3 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Bill No. 8 was made Special Order of the Day No. 4 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Concurrent Resolutions No. 1 was made Special Order of the Day No. 5 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Bill No. 9 was made Special Order of the Day No. 6 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was made Special Order of the Day No. 7 for June 10, 2020.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, House Bill No. 29 was made Special Order of the Day No. 8 for June 10, 2020.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the rules were suspended in order to take up House and House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the committee report at this time.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions
Reported by Committee**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize the Revenue Estimating Conference to incorporate certain monies available for appropriation from the Budget Stabilization Fund into the official forecast for Fiscal Year 2020-2021.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for a hospital stabilization formula pursuant to Article VII, Section 10.13 of the Constitution of Louisiana; to establish the level and basis of hospital assessments; to establish certain reimbursement enhancements for inpatient and outpatient hospital services; to establish certain criteria for the implementation of the formula; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the resolution was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the rules were suspended in order to take up House Bills contained in the committee report at this time.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Second Reading Reported by Committee**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT

Making annual appropriations for Fiscal Year 2020-2021 for the ordinary expenses of the executive branch of state government, pensions, public schools, public roads, public charities, and state institutions and providing with respect to the expenditure of said appropriations.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 1 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 13, delete lines 13 through 15 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 18, at the end of line 4, change "50,777,000" to "47,564,076"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 19, at the end of line 34, change "1,381,480,998" to "618,829,688"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 19, between lines 34 and 35, insert the following:

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"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Fund to the Administrative Program for payments to local governments for eligible expenses related to COVID-19 response efforts \$ 462,651,310"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 20, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Military Affairs Program for personnel reimbursements and acquisitions \$ 2,169,117

Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Division of Administration Community Development Block Grant Program to the Military Affairs Program for facility maintenance \$ 43,082"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 21, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Louisiana Public Defender Board Program for district public defender offices \$ 6,000,000

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund to the Louisiana Public Defender Board for distribution to district public defender offices \$ 1,100,315

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund an amount of \$1,100,315 shall be allocated for the Louisiana Public Defender Board.

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law or this Act to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein to the Louisiana Public Defender Board, eighty percent shall be allocated to the district defender offices and the indigent defender funds as defined in R.S. 15:168(A) using the same methodology utilized in Fiscal Year 2019-2020."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 24, at the end of line 22, change "10,875,000" to "11,375,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 24, delete lines 23 through 25 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Senior Centers Program for a second senior supplemental (non-formula) payment \$ 500,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 27, after line 44, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Louisiana Veterans Home for a fiber optic upgrade to improve technological capabilities \$ 16,908"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 31, between lines 36 and 37, insert the following:

"Payable out of State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to the Elections Program for improving physical security measures at warehouses and improving cybersecurity for Louisiana's elections network \$ 530,000

EXPENDITURES:

Payable to the Elections Program for funding of the new election system \$ 29,736

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 29,736

MEANS OF FINANCE:

State General Fund by:

Statutory Dedications:

Help Louisiana Vote Fund Election Admin \$ 24,780
Voting Technology Fund \$ 4,956

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 29,736

Payable out of State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Voting Technology Fund to the Elections Program for election expenses in the event House Bill No. 29 of the 2020 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature is enacted into law and to the extent such funds are recognized by the Revenue Estimating Conference \$ 6,897,630"

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 35, between lines 25 and 26, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Louisiana Main Street Recovery Fund to the Administrative Program to carry out the provisions of the Act that

originated as Senate Bill No. 189 of the 2020 Regular Session

of the Legislature \$ 15,000,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 36, at the end of line 38, change "20,834,260" to "20,737,446"

AMENDMENT NO. 13

On page 37, at the end of line 19, change "8,821,693" to "8,567,337"

AMENDMENT NO. 14

On page 37, at the end of line 38, change "73,927,876" to "73,576,706"

AMENDMENT NO. 15

On page 38, at the end of line 5, change "5,180,196" to "4,829,026"

AMENDMENT NO. 16

On page 38, at the end of line 11, change "73,927,876" to "73,576,706"

AMENDMENT NO. 17

On page 42, between lines 36 and 37, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund to the Louisiana Seafood Promotion & Marketing Board P r o g r a m for operating expenses \$ 300,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund an amount of \$300,000 shall be allocated for the Office of the Secretary, Louisiana Seafood Promotion & Marketing Board Program."

AMENDMENT NO. 18

On page 44, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund to the Parks and Recreation Program for operating expenses \$ 100,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund an amount of \$100,000 shall be allocated for the Office of State Parks, Parks and Recreation Program."

AMENDMENT NO. 19

On page 46, between lines 18 and 19, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund to the Marketing Program for operating expenses \$ 100,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund an amount of \$100,000 shall be allocated for the Office of Tourism, Marketing Program."

AMENDMENT NO. 20

On page 49, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Department of Corrections by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by \$3,000,000."

AMENDMENT NO. 21

On page 59, between lines 38 and 39, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Management and Finance P r o g r a m for personal services \$ 1,280,480"

AMENDMENT NO. 22

On page 62, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Operational Support Program for personal services \$ 7,232,669

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Traffic Enforcement Program for personal services \$ 7,165,589

Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the Criminal Investigation Program for personal services \$ 600,468"

AMENDMENT NO. 23

On page 62, delete line 23 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof:

"Fees & Self-generated Revenues from prior and current year collections \$ 50,094,030 \$ 49,966,762"

AMENDMENT NO. 24

On page 62, between lines 43 and 44, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues to the L i c e n s i n g P r o g r a m for personal services \$ 7,782,090"

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AMENDMENT NO. 25

On page 68, after line 53, insert the following:

"Provided, however, beginning July 1, 2020, the Louisiana Department of Health shall continuously check income eligibility for the Medicaid program in the same manner provided above. On the first day following the lifting of federal disenrollment restrictions relative to increased FMAP due to COVID-19, the Louisiana Department of Health shall submit letters notifying enrollees found to be ineligible in these checks of their eligibility."

AMENDMENT NO. 26

On page 69, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"Provided, however, the Louisiana Department of Health shall make no payments pursuant to any Medicaid managed care organization contract on or after January 1, 2021, if such contract does not include a provision requiring the utilization of a transportation broker with a Louisiana-based call center.

Provided, further, that the Louisiana Department of Health shall make no payments pursuant to any Medicaid managed care organization contract on or after January 1, 2021, that allows an out-of-region nonemergency, non-ambulance medical transportation provider to provide services to a Medicaid enrollee when there is a willing and available nonemergency, non-ambulance medical transportation provider in the region where the Medicaid enrollee is domiciled."

AMENDMENT NO. 27

On page 69, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of finance for the Louisiana Department of Health by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by \$3,000,000."

AMENDMENT NO. 28

On page 72, at the end of line 31, delete "\$100,000." and insert "\$100,000 and the appropriation out of Federal Funds by \$100,000."

AMENDMENT NO. 29

On page 75, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following:

"The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means of financing for the Uncompensated Care Program by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by \$135,464,365, out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers by \$31,901,234, out of the State General Fund by Fees & Self-generated Revenues by \$55,357,772, and out of Federal Funds by \$491,820,647.

EXPENDITURES:

Payments to Private Providers Program for the new hospital payment model	\$ 1,771,925,700
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 1,771,925,700
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MEANS OF FINANCE:

State General Fund (Direct)	\$ 135,464,365
State General Fund by:	
Interagency Transfers	\$ 141,005,628
Fees & Self-generated Revenues	\$ 123,996,299
Statutory Dedications:	
Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund	\$ 68,283,681
Federal Funds	\$ 1,303,175,727

TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING	\$ 1,771,925,700
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Provided, however, that the Louisiana Department of Health shall immediately notify the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget once the program has been approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. The Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget shall have thirty days following approval of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to reject the hospital supplemental payments program commonly referred to as the Money Follows the Patient Program. If the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget rejects the program within thirty days following approval of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the department shall not implement the program. If the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget does not reject the program within thirty days following approval of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the department shall implement the program."

AMENDMENT NO. 30

On page 75, at the end of line 26, delete "\$14,196,283." and insert "\$15,121,283, the appropriation out of the State General Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues by \$709,814, the appropriation out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Louisiana Medical Assistance Trust Fund by \$2,312,674, and the appropriation out of Federal Funds by \$77,585,128."

AMENDMENT NO. 31

On page 80, between lines 31 and 32, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds for COVID-19 response to the Public Health Services Program	\$ 13,779,492
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Payable out of Federal Funds from the CARES Act for COVID-19 response to the Public Health Services Program	\$ 159,912,627"
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AMENDMENT NO. 32

On page 81, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Behavioral Health Administration and Community Oversight Program for activities directly related to Louisiana's response to the COVID-19 pandemic	\$ 1,633,744"
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AMENDMENT NO. 33

On page 81, at the end of line 40, change "2,995,103" to "2,852,404"

AMENDMENT NO. 34

On page 82, at the end of line 3, change "29,863,177" to "30,005,876"

AMENDMENT NO. 35

On page 85, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

"Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, after remittance of any Federal Funds, the Department of Children and Family Services is authorized to retain ten percent of all monies collected from non-custodial child support enforcement collections used to reimburse Medicaid costs."

AMENDMENT NO. 36

On page 86, between lines 26 and 27, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Division of Management and Finance Program for the annualization of funds associated with contracts	\$ 8,800,000
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Payable out of Federal Funds to the Division of Child Welfare Program for the annualization of funds associated with contracts	\$ 15,131,886
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Payable out of Federal Funds to the Division of Family Support Program for the annualization of funds associated with contracts	\$ 18,734,581
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Payable out of Federal Funds to the Division of Family Support Program for the LA-4 Temporary Assistance for Needy Families initiative	\$ 10,000,000"
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AMENDMENT NO. 37

On page 102, delete lines 31 through 47 in their entirety and on page 103, delete lines 1 through 9 in their entirety and insert the following:

"In accordance with Article VIII, Section 12 of the Constitution, and in acknowledgment of the responsibilities which are vested in the management boards of postsecondary education, all appropriations for postsecondary education institutions which are part of a university and college system are made to their respective management boards and shall be administered by the same management boards and used solely as provided by law.

Considering the recommendations provided by the formula and plan adopted by the Board of Regents, monies shall be allocated to each postsecondary education institution within each postsecondary education system as provided herein. In order to effectively utilize the appropriation authority provided herein, allocations to institutions within each system may be adjusted by each management board as authorized for program transfers in accordance with R.S. 17:3351 and 39:73 as long as the total system appropriation remains unchanged.

The distribution shall be implemented by the division of administration. All key and supporting performance objectives and indicators for the higher education agencies shall be adjusted to reflect the funds received pursuant to this Act."

AMENDMENT NO. 38

On page 103, at the end of line 19, change "998,359,806" to "61,300,005"

AMENDMENT NO. 39

On page 103, at the end of line 26, change "95,650,618" to "395,836,996"

AMENDMENT NO. 40

On page 103, at the end of line 40, change "9,416,265" to "12,621,447"

AMENDMENT NO. 41

On page 103, at the end of line 50, change "1,107,556,689" to "473,888,448"

AMENDMENT NO. 42

On page 104, at the end of line 2, change "948,988,489" to "315,320,248"

AMENDMENT NO. 43

On page 104, at the end of line 23, change "1,107,556,689" to "473,888,448"

AMENDMENT NO. 44

On page 105, delete lines 18 through 35 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 45

On page 106, delete lines 5 through 13 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 46

On page 106, delete lines 15 through 17 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 47

On page 106, at the end of line 21, change "668,147,751" to "990,307,340"

AMENDMENT NO. 48

On page 106, at the end of line 22, change "668,147,751" to "990,307,340"

AMENDMENT NO. 49

On page 106, at the end of line 24, change "0" to "322,159,589"

AMENDMENT NO. 50

On page 106, at the end of line 36, change "668,147,751" to "990,307,340"

AMENDMENT NO. 51

On page 107, between lines 30 and 31, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Interagency Transfers from the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to the Pennington Biomedical Research Center for expenses related to COVID-19	\$ 700,000
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Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors for Pennington Biomedical Research Center	\$ 2,000,000
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Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors for Louisiana State University - Agricultural Center	\$ 1,750,000"
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AMENDMENT NO. 52

On page 107, at the end of line 35, change "459,797,668" to "567,343,859"

AMENDMENT NO. 53

On page 107, at the end of line 50, change "17,544,431" to "20,008,381"

AMENDMENT NO. 54

On page 108, at the end of line 9, change "71,635,638" to "142,948,838"

AMENDMENT NO. 55

On page 108, at the end of line 26, change "30,169,849" to "79,630,249"

AMENDMENT NO. 56

On page 108, at the end of line 43, change "10,864,148" to "12,566,053"

AMENDMENT NO. 57

On page 109, at the end of line 3, change "53,590,594" to "61,613,743"

AMENDMENT NO. 58

On page 109, at the end of line 15, change "23,610,948" to "89,950,945"

AMENDMENT NO. 59

On page 109, at the end of line 24, change "934,475" to "16,245,272"

AMENDMENT NO. 60

On page 109, delete lines 36 through 38 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 61

On page 109, at the end of line 42, change "112,272,681" to "153,464,965"

AMENDMENT NO. 62

On page 109, at the end of line 43, change "112,272,681" to "153,464,965"

AMENDMENT NO. 63

On page 109, at the end of line 45, change "0" to "41,192,284"

AMENDMENT NO. 64

On page 110, at the end of line 8, change "112,272,681" to "153,464,965"

AMENDMENT NO. 65

On page 110, between lines 20 and 21 insert the following:

"Payable out of the State
General Fund (Direct) to
Southern University Board of
Supervisors for Southern
University - Agricultural
R e s e a r c h

& Extension Center § 250,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 66

On page 110, at the end of line 25, change "0" to "3,199,565"

AMENDMENT NO. 67

On page 110, at the end of line 44, change "66,970,714" to "84,246,439"

AMENDMENT NO. 68

On page 111, at the end of line 3, change "14,158,978" to "17,894,297"

AMENDMENT NO. 69

On page 111, at the end of line 13, change "15,498,246" to "23,656,967"

AMENDMENT NO. 70

On page 111, at the end of line 26, change "10,188,042" to "15,146,539"

AMENDMENT NO. 71

On page 111, at the end of line 36, change "5,456,701" to "9,321,158"

AMENDMENT NO. 72

On page 111, delete lines 48 through 50 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 73

On page 112, at the end of line 4, change "689,917,509" to "859,182,486"

AMENDMENT NO. 74

On page 112, at the end of line 5, change "689,917,509" to "859,182,486"

AMENDMENT NO. 75

On page 112, at the end of line 7, change "0" to "169,264,977"

AMENDMENT NO. 76

On page 112, at the end of line 16, change "689,917,509" to "859,182,486"

AMENDMENT NO. 77

On page 112, at the end of line 35, change "2,814,000" to "3,815,967"

AMENDMENT NO. 78

On page 113, at the end of line 3, change "45,373,965" to "56,319,401"

AMENDMENT NO. 79

On page 113, at the end of line 22, change "36,455,627" to "47,100,505"

AMENDMENT NO. 80

On page 113, at the end of line 37, change "105,221,070" to "125,848,334"

AMENDMENT NO. 81

On page 113, at the end of line 54, change "56,462,347" to "67,996,952"

AMENDMENT NO. 82

On page 114, at the end of line 17, change "63,602,026" to "77,876,153"

AMENDMENT NO. 83

On page 114, at the end of line 32, change "6,405,824" to "13,988,853"

AMENDMENT NO. 84

On page 114, at the end of line 47, change "62,958,254" to "79,439,465"

AMENDMENT NO. 85

On page 115, at the end of line 10, change "98,824,682" to "120,885,578"

AMENDMENT NO. 86

On page 115, at the end of line 26, change "139,639,734" to "177,693,536"

AMENDMENT NO. 87

On page 115, at the end of line 43, change "72,159,980" to "88,217,742"

AMENDMENT NO. 88

On page 116, delete lines 6 through 9 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 89

On page 116, at the end of line 14, change "190,628,586" to "291,679,977"

AMENDMENT NO. 90

On page 116, at the end of line 15, change "190,628,586" to "291,679,977"

AMENDMENT NO. 91

On page 116, at the end of line 17, change "0" to "101,051,391"

AMENDMENT NO. 92

On page 116, at the end of line 28, change "190,628,586" to "291,679,977"

AMENDMENT NO. 93

On page 117, at the end of line 6, change "0" to "4,051,529"

AMENDMENT NO. 94

On page 117, at the end of line 15, change "23,606,483" to "36,159,288"

AMENDMENT NO. 95

On page 117, at the end of line 30, change "51,416,651" to "72,262,195"

AMENDMENT NO. 96

On page 117, at the end of line 39, change "6,338,268" to "9,691,819"

AMENDMENT NO. 97

On page 117, at the end of line 50, change "21,858,370" to "30,486,791"

AMENDMENT NO. 98

On page 118, at the end of line 9, change "18,956,359" to "30,516,068"

AMENDMENT NO. 99

On page 118, at the end of line 18, change "9,823,141" to "14,686,728"

AMENDMENT NO. 100

On page 118, at the end of line 27, change "10,950,948" to "17,538,376"

AMENDMENT NO. 101

On page 118, at the end of line 38, change "3,056,297" to "6,082,707"

AMENDMENT NO. 102

On page 118, at the end of line 48, change "11,382,881" to "19,409,026"

AMENDMENT NO. 103

On page 119, at the end of line 11, change "7,587,773" to "11,517,348"

AMENDMENT NO. 104

On page 119, at the end of line 19, change "10,002,012" to "14,988,539"

AMENDMENT NO. 105

On page 119, at the end of line 32, change "5,649,403" to "10,174,472"

AMENDMENT NO. 106

On page 119, at the end of line 46, change "0" to "1,245,091"

AMENDMENT NO. 107

On page 120, at the end of line 17, change "0" to "2,870,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 108

On page 121, after line 43, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State
General Fund by Interagency
Transfers from Subgrantee
Assistance to the
Administration and Shared
Services Program for the
Elementary and Secondary

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Schools Emergency Relief Fund as provided in the CARES Act \$ 66,146"

AMENDMENT NO. 109

On page 127, between lines 41 and 42, insert the following:

"Payable out of Federal Funds to the Federal Support Program for early childhood centers from the Child Care and Development Block Grant as provided in the CARES Act in response to COVID-19 \$ 27,632,350

Payable out of Federal Funds to the Federal Support Program for eligible reimbursements to the Local Education Agencies from the Elementary and Secondary Schools Emergency Relief Fund as provided in the CARES Act in response to COVID-19 \$ 241,667,516

Payable out of Federal Funds to the Federal Support Program for child nutrition from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food and nutrition Service agency as provided in the CARES Act in response to COVID-19 \$ 32,930,539"

AMENDMENT NO. 110

On page 130, at the end of line 27, change "4,563,159" to "5,389,318"

AMENDMENT NO. 111

On page 130, at the end of line 28, change "826,159" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 112

On page 139, delete lines 25 and 26 in their entirety and at the beginning of line 27, delete "of the fund," and insert in lieu thereof "Of the monies appropriated herein out of the Jefferson Parish Convention Center Fund, \$1,200,000 shall be allocated to the Jefferson Parish Convention Center,"

AMENDMENT NO. 113

On page 145, between lines 35 and 36, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Union Parish 911 Call Center for computer and call center systems \$ 125,000"

AMENDMENT NO. 114

On page 147, at the end of line 17, change "22,960,134" to "20,309,542"

AMENDMENT NO. 115

On page 147, at the end of line 24, change "100,000" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 116

On page 147, at the end of line 28, change "100,000" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 117

On page 147, at the end of line 29, change "850,277" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 118

On page 147, at the end of line 37, change "1,600,315" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 119

On page 147, at the end of line 46, change "22,960,134" to "20,309,542"

AMENDMENT NO. 120

On page 148, at the end of line 8, change "100,000" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 121

On page 148, at the end of line 10, change "1,600,315" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 122

On page 148, at the end of line 13, change "100,000" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 123

On page 148, at the end of line 16, change "850,277" to "0"

AMENDMENT NO. 124

On page 148, at the end of line 28, change "22,960,134" to "20,309,542"

AMENDMENT NO. 125

On page 148, between lines 45 and 46, insert the following:

"Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Louisiana Main Street Recovery Fund to the Miscellaneous Aid Program for grants to provide economic support to eligible Louisiana businesses for costs incurred in connection with COVID-19 \$ 285,000,000

EXPENDITURES: Miscellaneous Aid Program for the Terrebonne Churches \$ 200,000 United Food Bank \$ 200,000 TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 200,000

MEANS OF FINANCE: State General Fund by: Statutory Dedications: Beautification Project for New Orleans Neighborhoods Fund \$ 100,000 Friends of NORD Fund \$ 100,000 TOTAL MEANS OF FINANCING \$ 200,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification

Project for New Orleans Neighborhoods Fund and from the Friends of NORD Fund an amount of \$100,000 shall be allocated from each fund for the Terrebonne Churches United Food Bank.

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund to the MidCity Baptist Community Fellowship \$ 250,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund an amount of \$250,000 shall be allocated for the MidCity Baptist Community Fellowship.

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund to the Algiers Economic Development Foundation \$ 150,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund an amount of \$150,000 shall be allocated for the Algiers Economic Development Foundation.

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund to the Richland Parish Council on Aging for the expansion of the Richland Parish Learning Center \$ 200,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Greater New Orleans Sports Foundation Fund an amount of \$200,000 shall be allocated for the Richland Parish Council on Aging.

Payable out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund to the Town of Jean Lafitte for the Jean Lafitte Seafood Festival \$ 200,000

Provided, however, notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, that of the funds appropriated herein out of the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications out of the Beautification and Improvement of the New Orleans City Park Fund an amount of \$200,000 shall be allocated for the Town of Jean Lafitte.

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Ponchatoula for water quality improvements \$ 100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the city of Welsh for water quality improvements \$ 100,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct) to the Awesome

Ladies of Distinction \$ 100,000"

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 7—
BY REPRESENTATIVES ZERINGUE AND SCHEXNAYDER AND SENATORS CORTEZ AND WHITE
AN ACT

To appropriate funds to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, District Courts, Criminal District Court of Orleans Parish, and other courts; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 8—
BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER
AN ACT

To appropriate funds for Fiscal Year 2020-2021 to defray the expenses of the Louisiana Legislature, including the expenses of the House of Representatives and the Senate, of legislative service agencies, and of the Louisiana State Law Institute; to provide for the salary, expenses, and allowances of members, officers, staff, and agencies of the Legislature; to provide with respect to the appropriations and allocations herein made; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 8 by Representative Schexnayder

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 6, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"(F) The sum of Two Million Five Hundred Thousand and No/100 (\$2,500,000) Dollars is hereby appropriated to the legislative auditor in interagency transfers from the Department of the Treasury for work performed pursuant to the Act that originated as Senate Bill No. 189 of the 2020 Regular Session of the Legislature.

(G) The sum of Two Hundred Seventy-One Thousand Five Hundred One and No/100 (\$271,501) Dollars is hereby appropriated to the legislative auditor in statutory dedications from the Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Fund established pursuant to R.S. 39:100.43 for work performed pursuant to the Act that originated as Senate Bill No. 189 of the 2020 Regular Session of the Legislature."

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 9—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.167(E) and R.S. 56:644(B) and (C)(introductory paragraph), relative to certain treasury funds; to provide for the transfer, deposit, and use of monies in such funds; to restrict uses of certain funds; to provide for legislative intent with respect to prior Acts of the legislature; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 9 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "reenact R.S." change "47:463.167(E)" to "39:100.43(C) and (D), 100.44(C), and 100.45(A), 47:463.167(E),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, between lines 14 and 15 insert the following:

"Section 3. R.S. 39:100.43(C) and (D), 100.44(C), and 100.45(A) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§100.43. Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Program

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C. ~~Pursuant to legislative appropriation, the~~ The treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deposit in and credit to the Allocation Fund five hundred ~~eleven million one hundred seventy-eight thousand six hundred~~ sixty-five million four hundred seventy-eight thousand seven hundred four dollars of the federal monies allocated to Louisiana pursuant to Section 5001 of the CARES Act. The monies in the Allocation Fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on the investment of monies in the Recovery Fund shall be deposited in and credited to the Allocation Fund. Except as provided in this Section and if applicable under federal guidelines, unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Allocation Fund shall remain in the Allocation Fund. Monies in the Allocation Fund shall be appropriated and used solely as provided in this Section.

D. From the initial amount deposited into and credited to the Allocation Fund, an amount equal to one-half of one percent shall be available for appropriation to GOHSEP to be used for administering the program. GOHSEP is hereby authorized to use staff as necessary from the office of Community Development for administrative and technical support. ~~One-half~~ An additional amount equal to one-half of one percent of the initial amount deposited into the fund shall be available to be appropriated to the legislative auditor for the costs of reviewing the program. The remaining monies in the Allocation Fund shall be available to GOHSEP to provide funds to political subdivisions in Fiscal Years 2020 and 2021 pursuant to the Allocation Program as established in this Section.

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§100.44. Louisiana Main Street Recovery Program

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~~C. Pursuant to legislative appropriation, the~~ The treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deposit in and credit to the Recovery Fund three hundred million dollars of the federal monies allocated to Louisiana pursuant to Section 5001 of the CARES Act. The monies in the Recovery Fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on the investment of monies in the Recovery Fund shall be deposited in and credited to the Recovery Fund. Except as provided in this Section and applicable under federal guidelines, unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Recovery Fund shall remain in the Recovery Fund. Monies in the Recovery Fund shall be appropriated and used solely as provided in this Section.

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§100.45. State Coronavirus Relief Fund

A. There is hereby created and established in the state treasury, as a special fund, the State Coronavirus Relief Fund, hereinafter the "Relief Fund". The treasurer is authorized and directed to deposit monies ~~appropriated by the legislature~~ from the CARES Fund to the Relief Fund. On December 1, 2020, the treasurer is authorized and directed to transfer any unobligated monies in the Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Fund and the Louisiana Main Street Recovery Fund to the Relief Fund. Monies in the Relief Fund may be used by the State, subject to appropriation, for the Monies in the Relief Fund may be allocated by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for the purposes of providing monies to local government units, eligible businesses, or the state in accordance with the provisions of this Subpart and the CARES Act. The treasurer is authorized and directed to deposit monies from the Relief Fund into other funds in the state treasury in accordance with allocations made by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget pursuant to the provisions of this Subsection.

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AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, at the beginning of line 17, change "Section 4." to "Section 5."

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete line 20 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Section 6. The provisions of Section 4 and 5 of this Act shall supersede the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the beginning of line 25, change "Section 6." to "Section 7."

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT

To provide for the establishment and reestablishment of agency ancillary funds, to be specifically known as internal service funds, auxiliary accounts, or enterprise funds for certain state institutions, officials, and agencies; to provide for appropriation of funds for Fiscal Year 2020-2021; and to regulate the administration of said funds.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 29—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE
AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2019-2020; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Rep. Zeringue, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Magee, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Reports of Committees at this time.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
Ways and Means

June 5, 2020

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 4, by Magee
Reported favorably. (9-0)

STUART J. BISHOP
Chairman

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Bishop, the rules were suspended in order to take up House Bills contained in the committee report at this time.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Second Reading Reported by Committee**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 4—
BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGEE
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:6019(A)(1)(a) and (C), relative to the tax credit for the rehabilitation of historic structures; to extend the date for certain expenses to qualify for the tax credit; to provide for the effectiveness of the tax credit; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Rep. Bishop, the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Davis, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Commerce to meet on Monday, June 8, 2020, and consider the following legislative instruments without giving the notice required by House Rule 14.24(A):
House Bill Nos. 21 and 39

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Thompson, at 1:44 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn upon the call of the Speaker of the House.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned upon the call of the Speaker of the House.

MICHELLE D. FONTENOT
Clerk of the House

Committee Meeting Notices

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Committee on Commerce

Will meet at: 11:00 a.m.

Date: Monday, June 8, 2020

Location: Committee Room 1

HB 21 MAGEE COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS
Provides relative to motor vehicle repairs (Item #39)

HB 39 DAVIS UTILITIES Provides relative to the Louisiana Electric Utility Investment Recovery Securitization Act (Item #35)

COMMITTEE ROOM 2 TO BE USED FOR OVERFLOW

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PAULA P. DAVIS

Chairwoman

Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Appropriations

Monday, June 8, 2020

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

Tuesday, June 9, 2020

Committee Room 5

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 6 IVEY FUNDS/FUNDING Establishes the State Cybersecurity and Information Technology Fund and dedicates revenues to the fund (Items #10 and #11)

HB 15 IVEY BUDGETARY CONTROLS Establishes the State Budget Authority Reserve Trust for use as an extra source of revenue for executive department agencies (Item #11)

HB 27 ZERINGUE COURTS/COURT REPORTERS Provides relative to the creation of the certified shorthand reporters fund (Items #10 and #11)

HB 34 ECHOLS FUNDS/FUNDING Creates the Louisiana Opioid Settlement Fund (Item #11)

HB 40 IVEY LEGISLATIVE PROCEDURE (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for laws relative to statutory dedications (Item #11)

OTHER BUSINESS:

COMMITTEE ROOM 6 TO BE USED FOR OVERFLOW

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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JEROME "ZEE" ZERINGUE
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Tuesday, June 9, 2020

Committee Room 1

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 4 SEABAUGH LIABILITY/TORTS Suspends provisions of law relative to recoverable medical expenses (Item #40)

HB 5 MARINO CIVIL/LAW Provides for the emergency suspension of time limitations in certain civil proceedings (Item #40)

HB 42 MILLER, G. INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE Enacts the Omnibus Premium Reduction Act of 2020 (Item #40)

OTHER BUSINESS:

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GREGORY A. MILLER
Chairman

Committee on Commerce

Monday, June 8, 2020

Committee Room 1

11:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 21** **MAGEE COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS**
Provides relative to motor vehicle repairs (Item #39)
- HB 39** **DAVIS UTILITIES** Provides relative to the
Louisiana Electric Utility Investment Recovery
Securitization Act (Item #35)

OTHER BUSINESS:

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PAULA P. DAVIS
Chairwoman

Committee on Education

Thursday, June 11, 2020

Committee Room 1

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HR 1** **LYONS EARLY CHILDHOOD** Requests that the
State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education
coordinate data relative to the early childhood care and
education network and submit an annual report relative
thereto
- HR 2** **LYONS VOTING/REGISTRATION** Requests that
the governing authority of each public high school
provide for an annual student voter registration drive
- HB 26** **ZERINGUE COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES**
Extends, with limitations, the authority of public
postsecondary education management boards to
establish and increase student fees (Item #41)

OTHER BUSINESS:

Introduction of Dr. Cade Brumley, State Superintendent of
Education

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RAYMOND E. GAROFALO, JR.
Chairman

Committee on Health and Welfare

Thursday, June 11, 2020

Committee Room 5

9:00 a.m.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Briefing from the Louisiana Department of Health on the Medicaid Estate Recovery program.

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LAWRENCE A. "LARRY" BAGLEY
Chairman

Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Wednesday, June 10, 2020

Committee Room 1

10:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HR 8 JORDAN HOUSE/RULES Changes provisions of the Rules relative to the vouchered allotment for members of the House of Representatives set by the House Executive Committee

HCR 5 FREEMAN LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS Requests a study of the continuity of government provisions by the house and senate governmental affairs committees, meeting jointly

HCR 6 WRIGHT U.S. CONSTITUTION Calls for a convention to amend the United States Constitution to establish a limitation on terms for members of congress

HCR 8 JAMES JOINT RULES Requires all fiscal notes to be requested via email and requires the name of the person who requested the fiscal note to appear on the face of the fiscal note

OTHER BUSINESS:

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STEPHEN C. DWIGHT
Chairman

Committee on Insurance

Wednesday, June 10, 2020

Committee Room 3

9:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 24 JAMES INSURANCE COMMISSIONER Provides relative to legislative authorization for any waiver under the Omnibus Premium Reduction Act of 2020 (Item #40)

COMMITTEE ROOM 4 TO BE USED FOR OVERFLOW

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CHAD BROWN
Chairman

Committee on Insurance

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CHAD BROWN
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means

Monday, June 8, 2020

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

Tuesday, June 9, 2020

Committee Room 4

9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 11 STEFANSKI TAX/SALES & USE** Provides for the amount of compensation persons required to collect state sales and use tax may deduct for remitting taxes (Item #30)
- HB 13 WRIGHT TAX CREDITS** Authorizes certain retail businesses to participate in the Enterprise Zone incentive (Item #18)
- HB 14 SCHEXNAYDER TAX/SALES & USE** (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes the legislature to provide by law for the collection of sales and use taxes levied within the state (Item #27)
- HB 17 BISHOP, S. TAX/CORP FRANCHISE** Suspends the corporation franchise tax levied on certain taxable capital and suspends the initial corporation franchise tax levied on certain entities (Item #16)
- HB 18 WRIGHT TAX/TAXREBATES** Provides relative to the Competitive Projects Payroll Incentive Program (Item #18)

- HB 19 PRESSLY TAX/TAXREBATES** Extends eligibility requirements for certain industries to participate in the Quality Jobs Program (Item #18)
- HB 22 DAVIS TAX/SALES & USE** Provides for the rate and aggregate amount of compensation authorized for the collection and remittance of state sales and use taxes (Item #30)
- HB 23 DWIGHT TAX/AD VALOREM TAX** (Constitutional Amendment) Authorizes certain agreements that provide for payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes (Item #28)
- HB 25 WRIGHT TAX/CORP INCOME** Authorizes carry-back provisions for the net operating loss deduction for purposes of calculating corporate income tax (Item #20)
- HB 28 DWIGHT TAX/AD VALOREM TAX** Authorizes agreements between political subdivisions and taxpayers that may provide for certain payments in lieu of ad valorem taxes (Item #28)
- HB 33 IVEY TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION** (Constitutional Amendment) Establishes an ad valorem tax exemption for certain property subject to a cooperative endeavor agreement requiring the property owner to make payments in lieu of taxes (Item #28)
- HB 35 BISHOP, S. FUNDS/FUNDING** Creates the Capital Outlay Savings Fund
- HB 36 IVEY TAX/AD VALOREM-EXEMPTION** (Constitutional Amendment) Establishes certain property tax exemptions for capital investment projects (Item #28)
- HB 37 HARRIS, LANCE REVENUE DEPARTMENT** Requires the Department of Revenue to waive penalties and interest for certain taxpayers for tax year 2019 (Item #29)
- HB 38 IVEY TAX/AD VALOREM TAX** (Constitutional Amendment) To authorize local taxing authorities to enter into cooperative endeavor agreements for the purpose of payments in lieu of taxes (Item #28)
- HB 41 IVEY TAX/AD VALOREM TAX** (Constitutional Amendment) Establishes an ad valorem tax exemption for capital investment projects and for certain property subject to a cooperative endeavor agreement requiring the property owner to make payments in lieu of taxes (Item #28)

OTHER BUSINESS:

COMMITTEE ROOM 3 TO BE USED FOR OVERFLOW

To review and approve the third party convenience fee schedules for certain online service transactions pursuant to R.S. 49:316.1 for the Louisiana Office of Motor Vehicles (OMV).

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STUART J. BISHOP
Chairman

House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment
and
Senate Committee on Natural Resources

Wednesday, June 10, 2020

Committee Room 5

9:00 a.m.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Presentation on behalf of Coast Builders Coalition – Scott Kirkpatrick

Oversight of the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries Commission proposed rule providing for the 2020-21 and 2021-22 resident game hunting seasons; 2020-21 general and Wildlife Management Area (WMA) hunting seasons, rules, and regulations; 2021 general and WMA turkey hunting seasons, rules, and regulations; and the 2020-21 migratory bird hunting season, rules, and regulations

Presentation on plans for utilization of \$73 million in federal funding to help the state's fishing industry rebound from the severe financial losses caused by the 2019 freshwater flooding event and, more recently, the COVID-19 pandemic

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JEAN-PAUL P. COUSSAN
Chairman