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Mr. Alfred W. Speer
Clerk of the House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

Mr. Glenn Koepp
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70802

RE: House Bill No. 1 of the 2015 Regular Session of the Legislature provides for the ordinary operating expenses of state government for Fiscal Year 2015-2016

Dear Gentlemen:

As authorized by Article III, Section 18(B), and more particularly, Article IV, Section 5(G)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, I have exercised my right to veto 5 items of the General Appropriation Bill. I respectfully request that you deliver on my behalf the following message to the members of the Legislature, communicating that I have vetoed items in House Bill No. 1, as follows:

VETO MESSAGE N0. 1
On page 40, delete lines 22 through 27 in their entirety:

The Community Development Block Grant cannot be used for this purpose; therefore, I am vetoing this item.

VETO MESSAGE N0. 2
On page 65, delete lines 48 through 49 in their entirety:

The implementation of this amendment would limit the budgetary discretion of the State Police; therefore, I am vetoing this item.

VETO MESSAGE N0. 3
On page 78, delete lines 40 through 48 in their entirety; On page 79, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety:

According to federal restrictions, the Community Development Block Grant cannot be used for this purpose; therefore, I am vetoing this item.

VETO MESSAGE N0. 4
On page 80, delete lines 4 through 17 in their entirety:

According to federal restrictions, the Community Development Block Grant cannot be used for this purpose; therefore, I am vetoing this item.

VETO MESSAGE N0. 5
On page 88, lines 27 through 43 in their entirety:

According to federal restrictions, the Community Development Block Grant cannot be used for this purpose; therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Sincerely,

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