2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071 (Substitute for House Bill No. 840 by Representative Bagley)

BY REPRESENTATIVES BAGLEY, ECHOLS, PRESSLY, SEABAUGH, AND TURNER
AND SENATORS MILLIGAN AND PEACOCK

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2266.1(F), relative to criminalistics laboratory commissions;
to provide for additional funding for optional revenues for criminalistics laboratories;
and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 40:2266.1 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2266.1. Optional revenues; collection, handling, and disbursement thereof

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F. The sheriff of each parish, each municipality that operates a police
department, and each district attorney who represents one or more parishes within
the respective criminalistics laboratory commission area may make a direct
contribution to the respective criminalistics laboratory commission, the sheriff from
his salary fund, and the district attorney and municipality that operates a police
department, from any funds available to defray expenses of their office, including
but not limited to pre-trial intervention or diversion, from time to time in order to
assist in alleviating any deficit that may be existing in the operating funds of the
laboratory commission.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: ______________________

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