

Prior law established the St. Landry Parish Excellence Fund (hereinafter fund) as a special fund in the state treasury. The source of monies for the fund being 5% of the state portion of taxable net slot machine proceeds collected from the licensed eligible gaming facility (La. Downs) in St. Landry Parish. Monies in the fund were available exclusively for appropriation to the St. Landry Parish School Board to be used for: elementary and secondary education, construction and operation of a Career and Technology Center to be located in St. Landry Parish, or the enhancement and expansion of existing vocational and technical programs and curricula. Prior law further provided for the activities of the Career and Technology Center.

New law changes prior law by limiting the use of monies appropriated to the St. Landry Parish School Board from the fund to enhancements to public elementary and secondary education in St. Landry Parish. New law repeals provisions relating to activities of the Career and Technology Center.

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