

2020 First Extraordinary Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 29

BY REPRESENTATIVES ZERINGUE AND THOMPSON

1 AN ACT

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

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. The following sums are hereby appropriated from the sources specified for
8 the purpose of making supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2019-2020. Reductions
9 are denoted in parentheses.

10 **EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**

11 **01-107 DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION**

12 Payable out of Federal Funds to the Executive
13 Administration Program for the Governor's
14 Emergency Education Relief Fund as provided in
15 the CARES Act \$ 2,712,924

16 **01-111 GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND**
17 **EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS**

18 Payable out of Federal Funds to the Administrative
19 Program from the coronavirus relief fund related to
20 the COVID-19 pandemic \$ 700,000

21 **DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

22 **03-131 LOUISIANA VETERANS HOME**

23 Payable out of Federal Funds to the Louisiana
24 Veterans Home Program for operating expenses \$ 350,000

25 The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means
26 of finance for the Louisiana Veterans Home Program, as contained in Act No. 10 of the 2019
27 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General
28 Fund by Fees and Self-generated Revenues by (\$100,000).

1 03-135 NORTHWEST LOUISIANA VETERANS HOME

2 Payable out of Federal Funds to the Northwest
3 Louisiana Veterans Home Program for
4 operating expenses \$ 150,000

5 ELECTED OFFICIALS

6 DEPARTMENT OF STATE

7 04-139 SECRETARY OF STATE

8 The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means
9 of finance for the Elections Program, as contained in Act No. 10 of the 2019 Regular Session
10 of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State General Fund (Direct) by
11 (\$6,227,152).

12 DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

13 04-141 OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

14 Payable out of the State General Fund by
15 Interagency Transfers from the
16 Department of Environmental Quality
17 for legal expenses related to Underground
18 Storage Tank \$ 405,000

19 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONS

20 08-400 CORRECTIONS SERVICES

21 Payable out of the State General Fund
22 by Interagency Transfers from 20-451
23 Local Housing of State Adult Offenders -
24 Criminal Justice Reinvestment Initiative
25 for community supervision, educational
26 and vocational programming training \$ 1,576,354

27 Provided, however, that of the monies appropriated in Act No. 10 of the 2019 Regular
28 Session of the Legislature, in 20-451 Local Housing of State Adult Offenders - Criminal
29 Justice Reinvestment Initiative, that constitutes the calculated State savings of thirty percent
30 (30%) in accordance to R.S. 15:827.3 shall be used for community supervision, educational
31 and vocational programming training. Further provided the funding appropriated herein shall
32 be deemed a bona fide obligation through June 30, 2021.

33 LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

34 09-306 MEDICAL VENDOR PAYMENTS

35 The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means
36 of financing for the Payments to Private Providers Program, as contained in Act No. 10 of
37 the 2019 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of State
38 General Fund (Direct) by (\$51,031,316).

39 09-320 OFFICE OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES

40 Payable out of Federal Funds
41 to the Villa Feliciana Medical Complex
42 for expenditures related to COVID-19 \$ 782,500

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HIGHER EDUCATION

19-600 LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

19-649 LOUISIANA COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGES BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Louisiana Community and Technical
Colleges Board of Supervisors for accreditation
expenditures at Northshore Technical
Community College \$ 230,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Louisiana Community and Technical
Colleges Board of Supervisors for accreditation
expenditures at Central Louisiana Technical
Community College \$ 230,000

Payable out of the State General Fund (Direct)
to the Louisiana Community and Technical
Colleges Board of Supervisors for accreditation
expenditures at Northwest Louisiana Technical
Community College \$ 230,000

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

20-901 SALES TAX DEDICATIONS

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any appropriations contained in
Schedule 20-901 Sales Tax Dedications - Local Entities in Act No. 2 of the 2018 Second
Extraordinary Session of the Legislature payable to the City of Franklin for the acquisition
and repairs of the Old Franklin Post Office in the amount of \$215,000 shall be deemed a
bona fide obligation through June 30, 2021, and all provisions of the cooperative endeavor
agreement executed between the City of Franklin and the Department of Treasury, including
but not limited to the requirements, shall be performed as agreed.

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any appropriations contained in
Schedule 20-901 Sales Tax Dedications - Local Entities in Act No. 2 of the 2018 Second
Extraordinary Session of the Legislature payable to the City of Franklin for the Teche
Theatre for the Performing Arts in the amount of \$25,000 shall be deemed a bona fide
obligation through June 30, 2021, and all provisions of the cooperative endeavor agreement
executed between the City of Franklin and the Department of Treasury, including but not
limited to the requirements, shall be performed as agreed.

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, any appropriations contained in
Schedule 20-901 Sales Tax Dedications - Local Entities in Act No. 2 of the 2018 Second
Extraordinary Session of the Legislature payable to the City of Franklin for the Main Street
Program in the amount of \$15,000 shall be deemed a bona fide obligation through June 30,
2021, and all provisions of the cooperative endeavor agreement executed between the City
of Franklin and the Department of Treasury, including but not limited to the requirements,
shall be performed as agreed.

1 20-930 HIGHER EDUCATION - DEBT SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

2 The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to adjust the means
 3 of finance for the Debt Service and Maintenance Program, as contained in Act No. 10 of the
 4 2019 Regular Session of the Legislature, by reducing the appropriation out of the State
 5 General Fund (Direct) by (\$690,000).

6 20-XXX FUNDS

7 The state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to transfer monies from the State
 8 General Fund (Direct) in the amount of \$6,227,152 into the Voting Technology Fund.

9 The state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to transfer monies from the State
 10 General Fund (Direct) in the amount of \$51,031,316 into the Louisiana Medical Assistance
 11 Trust Fund.

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 13 Section 2.(A) The following sum is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the
 14 state of Louisiana, such monies to be comprised wholly of nonrecurring revenues out of the
 15 General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 as recognized by the
 16 Revenue Estimating Conference, for the purpose of making capital outlay appropriations for
 17 Fiscal Year 2020-2021:

18 MISCELLANEOUS NON-STATE

19 50/ME2 JEANERETTE

20	(1045)	Sewer Treatment Plant Upgrade,	
21		Planning and Construction	
22		(Iberia)	
23		Payable from State General Fund (Direct)	
24		Non-Recurring Revenues	<u>\$ 800,124</u>

25 Provided however, that the provisions of Sections 2 through 25, inclusive of House Bill 2
 26 of the 2020 First Extraordinary Session as finally adopted, are adopted and incorporated by
 27 reference for this appropriation.

28 (B) The following sums are hereby appropriated from the source specified for the
 29 purpose of making a supplemental capital outlay appropriation for Fiscal Year 2020-2021:

30 MISCELLANEOUS NON-STATE

31 50/NQG LAFAYETTE METRO EXPRESSWAY COMMISSION

32	(1041)	Lafayette Loop Project,	
33		Planning and Construction	
34		(Lafayette)	
35		Payable from General Obligation Bonds	
36		Priority 2	\$ 4,000,000
37		Priority 5	<u>\$ 2,500,000</u>
38		Total	<u>\$ 6,500,000</u>

39 Provided however, that the provisions of Sections 2 through 25 inclusive of House Bill 2 of
 40 the 2020 First Extraordinary Session as finally adopted, are adopted and incorporated by
 41 reference for this appropriation.

1 (C) Notwithstanding any provision of this Act, any Capital Outlay Act, or any provision
 2 of law to the contrary, the appropriations included herein and in House Bill No. 2 of the
 3 2020 First Extraordinary Session with capital outlay budget requests for projects with
 4 appropriations payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues or
 5 payable from General Obligation Bonds for Fiscal Year 2020-2021, shall be considered to
 6 be submitted timely if received no later than June 30, 2020, and are otherwise compliant
 7 with the provisions of R.S. 39:101 and R.S. 39:102. Such capital outlay budget requests
 8 together with the supporting information and documents for such projects shall constitute
 9 the feasibility study required by Article VII, Section 11(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

10 Section 3. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
 11 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
 12 by the governor, as provided in Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
 13 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
 14 effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____