

1 project without requesting and receiving prior authorization from the commissioner of
2 administration. Furthermore, no entity that receives an appropriation in the Capital Outlay
3 Act for Fiscal Year 2017-2018 shall enter into contracts prior to the issuance of a line of
4 credit, prior to receipt of funding, or prior to entering into a cooperative endeavor agreement,
5 nor may the entity be reimbursed for any such expenditures without requesting and receiving
6 prior authorization from the commissioner of administration. Notwithstanding anything in
7 this Act, or any other Capital Outlay Act, the Preservation and Restoration of Historic
8 Structures for Hope Haven/Madonna Manor Campus, Planning and Construction project is
9 hereby transferred from the Archdiocese of New Orleans to Jefferson Parish.
10 Notwithstanding anything in this Act, or any other Capital Outlay Act, the Terrebonne
11 Sports Complex, Phase 1, Infrastructure Improvements, Acquisition, Planning and
12 Construction project is hereby transferred from Terrebonne Parish Recreation Districts Two
13 and Three to Terrebonne Parish. The commissioner of administration is hereby authorized
14 to determine whether to exempt the Professional Specialties, USDA Veterinary Biologic
15 Facility, Planning and Construction project from the public bid laws or the laws pertaining
16 to the review of plans and specifications by the Office of Facility Planning and Control
17 without prior authorization of the commissioner of administration, and the laws prohibiting
18 such entity to be reimbursed for any such expenditures without prior authorization of the
19 commissioner of administration. The commissioner of administration is further authorized
20 to determine whether to exempt the Global Foundation for Better Education, Health and
21 Environment, Inc., Urgent Care Facility, Planning and Construction project from the public
22 bid laws, the laws pertaining to the review of plans and specifications by the Office of
23 Facility Planning and Control without prior authorization of the commissioner of
24 administration, the laws prohibiting contracts from being entered into prior to the issuance
25 of a line of credit, prior to the receipt of funding, or prior to the execution of a cooperative
26 endeavor agreement, and the laws prohibiting such entity to be reimbursed for any such
27 expenditures without prior authorization of the commissioner of administration.

28 Section 4. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
29 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
30 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

1 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
2 effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____