

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 719

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5106(B)(3)(c), relative to limitations on damages assessed in suits against the state, state agencies, or political subdivisions; to provide for the payment of future medical care and related benefits payable by the state or a state agency; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 13:5106(B)(3)(c) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§5106. Limitations

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(c) In any suit for personal injury against the state or a state agency wherein the court pursuant to judgment determines that the claimant is entitled to medical care and related benefits that may be incurred subsequent to judgment, ~~the court shall order that~~ all such medical care and related benefits incurred subsequent to judgment shall be paid from the Future Medical Care Fund as provided in R.S. 39:1533.2. Medical care and related benefits shall be paid directly to the provider as they are incurred. Nothing in this Subparagraph shall be construed to prevent the parties from entering into a settlement or compromise at any time whereby medical care and

1 related benefits shall be provided but with the requirement that they shall be paid in
2 accordance with this Subparagraph.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____