
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2020 First Extraordinary Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 9 by Representative Zeringue

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "reenact R.S." change "47:463.167(E)" to "39:100.43(C) and (D),
3 100.44(C), and 100.45(A), R.S. 47:463.167(E),"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, between lines 14 and 15 insert the following:

6 "Section 3. R.S. 39:100.43(C) and (D), 100.44(C), and 100.45(A) are hereby
7 amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §100.43. Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Program

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10 C. ~~Pursuant to legislative appropriation, the~~ The treasurer is hereby
11 authorized and directed to deposit in and credit to the Allocation Fund five hundred
12 ~~eleven million one hundred seventy-eight thousand~~ sixty-five million four hundred
13 seventy-eight thousand seven hundred four dollars of the federal monies allocated
14 to Louisiana pursuant to Section 5001 of the CARES Act. The monies in the
15 Allocation Fund shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general
16 fund. Interest earned on the investment of monies in the Recovery Fund shall be
17 deposited in and credited to the Allocation Fund. Except as provided in this Section
18 and if applicable under federal guidelines, unexpended and unencumbered monies
19 in the Allocation Fund shall remain in the Allocation Fund. Monies in the Allocation
20 Fund shall be appropriated and used solely as provided in this Section.

21 D. From the initial amount deposited into and credited to the Allocation
22 Fund, an amount equal to one-half of one percent shall be available for appropriation
23 to GOHSEP to be used for administering the program. GOHSEP is hereby authorized
24 to use staff as necessary from the office of Community Development for
25 administrative and technical support. ~~One-half~~ An additional amount equal to one-
26 half of one percent of the initial amount deposited into the fund shall be available to
27 be appropriated to the legislative auditor for the costs of reviewing the program. The
28 remaining monies in the Allocation Fund shall be available to GOHSEP to provide
29 funds to political subdivisions in Fiscal Years 2020 and 2021 pursuant to the
30 Allocation Program as established in this Section.

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32 §100.44. Louisiana Main Street Recovery Program

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34 C. ~~Pursuant to legislative appropriation, the~~ The treasurer is hereby
35 authorized and directed to deposit in and credit to the Recovery Fund three hundred
36 million dollars of the federal monies allocated to Louisiana pursuant to Section 5001
37 of the CARES Act. The monies in the Recovery Fund shall be invested in the same
38 manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on the investment of
39 monies in the Recovery Fund shall be deposited in and credited to the Recovery
40 Fund. Except as provided in this Section and applicable under federal guidelines,
41 unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Recovery Fund shall remain in the
42 Recovery Fund. Monies in the Recovery Fund shall be appropriated and used solely
43 as provided in this Section.

44 * * *
45 §100.45. State Coronavirus Relief Fund

46 A. There is hereby created and established in the state treasury, as a special
47 fund, the State Coronavirus Relief Fund, hereinafter the "Relief Fund". The treasurer

1 is authorized and directed to deposit monies ~~appropriated by the legislature~~ from the
 2 CARES Fund to the Relief Fund. On December 1, 2020, the treasurer is authorized
 3 and directed to transfer any unobligated monies in the Coronavirus Local Recovery
 4 Allocation Fund and the Louisiana Main Street Recovery Fund to the Relief Fund.
 5 ~~Monies in the Relief Fund may be used by the State, subject to appropriation, for the~~
 6 Monies in the Relief Fund may be allocated by the Joint Legislative Committee on
 7 the Budget for the purposes of providing monies to local government units, eligible
 8 businesses, or the state in accordance with the provisions of this Subpart and the
 9 CARES Act. The treasurer is authorized and directed to deposit monies from the
 10 Relief Fund into other funds in the state treasury in accordance with allocations made
 11 by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget pursuant to the provisions of this
 12 Subsection.

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14 AMENDMENT NO. 3

15 On page 1, at the beginning of line 15, change "Section 3." to "Section 4."

16 AMENDMENT NO. 4

17 On page 2, at the beginning of line 17, change "Section 4." to "Section 5."

18 AMENDMENT NO. 5

19 On page 3, delete line 20 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Section 6. The provisions
 20 of Sections 4 and 5 of this Act shall supersede the"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 6

22 On page 3, at the beginning of line 25, change "Section 6." to "Section 7."