

ACT No. 6

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).

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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.

20-930 HIGHER EDUCATION - DEBT SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

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

20-XXX FUNDS

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

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

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

MISCELLANEOUS NON-STATE

50/ME2 JEANERETTE

(1045)	Sewer Treatment Plant Upgrade, Planning and Construction (Iberia) Payable from State General Fund (Direct) Non-Recurring Revenues	<u>\$ 800,124</u>
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Provided however, that the provisions of Sections 2 through 25, inclusive of House Bill 2 of the 2020 First Extraordinary Session as finally adopted, are adopted and incorporated by reference for this appropriation.

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

MISCELLANEOUS NON-STATE

50/NQG LAFAYETTE METRO EXPRESSWAY COMMISSION

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

Provided however, that the provisions of Sections 2 through 25 inclusive of House Bill 2 of the 2020 First Extraordinary Session as finally adopted, are adopted and incorporated by 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: _____