AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete lines 20 through 22 in their entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"E. Subject to appropriation and the provisions of this Section, monies in the fund shall be used by the Department of Economic Development, hereinafter referred to in this Section as the "department", for awarding grants to selected applicants. The department shall"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 25, after "one million" and before "dollars" insert "one hundred five thousand"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 27, after "allocated" and before "Phase I" delete "to" and insert in lieu thereof "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 3, line 3, after "allocated" and before "Phase II" delete "to" and insert in lieu thereof "for"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 3, delete line 7 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof: "(3) Up to one hundred five thousand dollars per year shall be allocated for"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 3, at the end of line 8, delete "the program." and insert in lieu thereof "grants from the fund."

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 9, after ",(4)" and before "awarded" delete "The grants" and insert in lieu thereof "Each grant"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 10, after "selected" and before "over" delete "applicants" and insert in lieu thereof "applicant"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, after line 11, insert the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall become effective when an Act of the Louisiana Legislature containing a specific appropriation of monies for the implementation of the provisions of this Act becomes effective."
Section 3. The provisions of Sections 2 and 3 of this Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, the provisions of Sections 2 and 3 of this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."