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## DIGEST

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HB 216 Reengrossed

2016 Regular Session

Hensgens

**Abstract:** Limits the amount of state dollars to be spent under the Percent for Art Program per construction or renovation project to the lesser of \$450,000 or 1% of the state money to be expended on the project.

Present law, the Percent for Art Program, requires state agencies to dedicate 1% of state funds for construction or renovation project costs to acquire, conserve, or restore and install works of art. Applies only to projects with state funding costs of \$2 million or more.

Proposed law caps the amount of state funds per project dedicated to works of art to the lesser of \$450,000 or 1% of the state money to be expended on the construction or renovation project.

Proposed law applies to all projects begun on or after August 1, 2016, and contracts entered into after October 1, 2016, for existing projects if the contract would increase the total expenditure for art for the project to exceed \$450,000.

(Amends R.S. 25:900.1(C))

### Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to the original bill:

1. Add applicability of proposed law to projects begun after August 1, 2016, and to contracts entered into after October 1, 2016 for existing projects.

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Increase the cap from \$100,000 to \$450,000.