

First Extraordinary Session, 2005

HOUSE BILL NO. 162

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER, GLOVER, E. GUILLORY, JACKSON, GRAY,
AND JEFFERSON

APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML: Provides for supplemental appropriations and reductions
to appropriations for FY 2005-2006 from the State General Fund and other funds
(Item #30)

1 AN ACT

2 To appropriate funds and to make and otherwise provide for certain reductions in
3 appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and
4 purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and
5 reductions for said agencies and purposes for the 2005-2006 Fiscal Year; and to
6 provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1.A. The commissioner of administration is authorized and directed to
9 reduce the State General Fund (Direct) appropriations contained in Act 16 of the 2005
10 Regular Session of the Legislature for the following agencies in the following amounts:

11 (1) **Special Schools and Commissions**

12 19-661 Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance
13 - TOPS Tuition Program by ten (10%) percent.

14 (2) **Other Requirements**

15 20-451 Sheriff's Housing of State Inmates by ten (10%) percent.

16 20-906 District Attorneys and Assistant District Attorneys
17 by five (5%) percent
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19 20-950 Residual carryforward balance from payments on judgments
20 against the state for Fiscal Year 2004-2005 by \$3,858,461.

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22 Section 1.B. The commissioner of administration is authorized and directed to
23 reduce the State General Fund by Statutory Dedications appropriations contained in Act 16

of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature for the following agencies in the following amounts:

(1) Elected Officials

04-147 State Treasurer out of the Incentive Fund by \$3,800,000.

(2) Special Schools and Commissions

19-661 Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance
- TOPS Tuition Program out of the TOPS Fund by five (5%) percent.

(3) Other Requirements

20-906 District Attorneys and Assistant District Attorneys
from the Video Draw Poker Device Fund by five (5%) percent.

Section 1.C. The balances for line item appropriations contained in Act 16 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature for the following agencies of the state and for public and quasi-public entities or agencies other than the state, whether subject to or exempted from Section 18(B) of that Act, which are either unexpended or unencumbered or are not required to satisfy any outstanding unsettled claims, provided that the commissioner is authorized to satisfy such unsettled claims, shall be reduced by ten (10%) percent.

(1) Executive Department

01-133 Elderly Affairs

(2) Elected Officials

04-141 Office of the Attorney General

04-146 Office of the Lieutenant Governor

(3) Department of Economic Development

05-252 Office of Business Development

(4) Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism

06-264 Office of State Parks

06-265 Office of Cultural Development

06-267 Office of Tourism

(5) Department of Transportation and Development

07-273 Administration

07-276 Engineering and Operations

(6) Department of Public Safety and Corrections

1 08-420 Office of Motor Vehicles.

2 **(7) Department of Health and Hospitals**

3 09-307 Office of the Secretary

4 09-326 Office of Public Health

5 09-330 Office of Mental Health

6 **(8) Department of Social Services**

7 10-370 Office of Community Services

8 **(9) Department of Natural Resources**

9 11-431 Office of the Secretary

10 **(10) Department of Labor**

11 14-474 Office of Workforce Development

12 **(11) Department of Wildlife and Fisheries**

13 16-514 Office of Fisheries

14 **(12) Higher Education**

15 19-671 Board of Regents

16 19-600 Louisiana State University Board of Supervisors

17 19-615 Southern University Board of Supervisors

18 19-649 Louisiana Community and Technical College Board of
19 Supervisors

20 **(13) Other Requirements**

21 20-930 Higher Education

22 20-945 State Aid to Local Government Entities

23 Section 2. The legislature hereby recognizes the intention of the House of
24 Representatives thereof as represented by the Honorable Joe R. Salter, Speaker, to reduce
25 its expenditures during Fiscal Year 2005-2006 so as to produce a savings to the state of
26 Louisiana of one million dollars.

27 Section 3. The legislature hereby recognizes the intention of the Judicial Branch
28 as represented by the Honorable Catherine D. Kimball, Justice of the Supreme Court, to
29 reduce the expenses of the judiciary during Fiscal Year 2005-2006 so as to produce a savings
30 to the state of Louisiana of one million nine hundred thousand dollars.

1 Section 4. The commissioner of administration is authorized and directed to bring
2 before the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget an accounting of all monies which
3 become available as a result of this Act. Such monies are hereby deemed to be appropriated
4 to the Department of Health and Hospitals 09-307 Medical Vendor Payments.

5 Section 5. The provisions of this Act shall supercede and nullify the provisions of
6 Section 3. of Executive Order No. KBB 2005-82 with respect to reduction or freeze of
7 appropriations for Fiscal Year 2005-2006 for entities which are subject to Section 18(B) of
8 that Act 16 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Legislature.

9 Section 6. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
10 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
11 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
12 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
13 effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Supplemental appropriations and reductions to appropriations for Fiscal Year 2005-2006.

Appropriates supplemental funding and provides for certain reductions for the ordinary operating expenses of state government for Fiscal Year 2005-2006.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.