HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 515 by Representative Zeringue

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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- 2 On page 1, line 2, between "To" and "relative to" delete "provide" and insert in lieu thereof:
- 3 "amend and reenact R.S. 15:587(B) and 598, R.S. 22:835(C) and (F) and 2134(A),
- 4 (B)(introductory paragraph), and (C), R.S. 30:21(B)(2), 101.9(A) through (C) and (D)(introductory paragraph), 2105(D) through (E) and (E)(1) and (2)(2), 2251.41
- 5 (D)(introductory paragraph), 2195(B) through (E) and (F)(1) and (3)(e), 2351.41,
- 6 2380, and 2418(G), (I)(3) and (4), (J), (M)(3) and (4), and (O)(3) and (5), R.S.
- 7 32:412.3, 429.2(A), (B), and (C)(introductory paragraph), 868, 1526(B), and 1731,
- 8 R.S. 39:100.43(L), 100.44(Q), and 100.48(C), R.S. 40:5.10, 39.1(B)(2), (3)(introductory paragraph), and (4), 1379.3.1(C) and (D), 1379.7(B), 1428(C).
- 9 (3)(introductory paragraph), and (4), 1379.3.1(C) and (D), 1379.7(B), 1428(C), 1472.20(A), 1664.9(N), 1730.68, and 1849(D)(2), (3), (4)(introductory paragraph),
- and (5), R.S. 45:169.1, 844.14(A)(4), and 1177(B) and (C), R.S. 46:2403(A), (C),
- 12 and (D)(1), R.S. 47:463.149(F) and (G), 1835(B) and (D)(4), and 6007(C)(4)(h)(ii),
- 13 (iii)(introductory paragraph), and (iv), R.S. 48:105.1(B) and (D), 381(G), 381.1(E),
- and 381.2(D) and (G)(1), R.S. 49:214.40(A) and (C), R.S. 56:10(B)(1)(d), (5), and
- 15 (7)(a) and (D), 10.1, 164(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 700.2(A)(introductory
- paragraph), (1), and (3) and (B) through (D), 1703(A), (B)(introductory paragraph),
- (C)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (2)(introductory paragraph), and (D), and
- 18 1705(A) and (B) and to repeal R.S. 9:154.2, R.S. 41:1615, and R.S. 56:1706 and
- 19 1844,"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 2

- 21 On page 1, line 3, after "treasury funds;" and before "to provide for" insert "to provide with
- 22 respect to the reclassification of certain funds in the state treasury as statutorily dedicated
- fund accounts; to provide for the elimination of certain treasury funds;"
- 24 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- On page 1, at the beginning of line 6, change "Section 1." to "Section 1.(A)"
- 26 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- On page 1, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following: "(B) Notwithstanding any
- provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to
- transfer \$22,454,333 from the State General Fund (Direct) to the Budget Stabilization Fund."
- 30 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- On page 2, line 8, between "to transfer" and "from the" delete "\$10,000,000" and insert in
- 32 lieu thereof "\$15,000,000"
- 33 AMENDMENT NO. 6
- On page 2, between lines 13 and 14 insert the following:
- 35 "(I) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the state treasurer is
- hereby authorized and directed to transfer \$5,000,000 from the State General Fund (Direct)
- into the Voting Technology Fund.
- Section 3. R.S. 15:587(B) and 598 are hereby amended and reenacted to read as
- 39 follows:

§587. Duty to provide information; processing fees; Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information

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B.(1) The bureau may charge a processing fee of twenty-six dollars for information provided to any agency or entity statutorily eligible to receive this information, except another state or local law enforcement agency, pursuant to a request to assist the agency in performing a screening function as part of any regulatory or licensing scheme. Payment of the processing fee shall accompany the request for such information and shall be deposited by the bureau immediately upon receipt into the Criminal Identification and Information <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>.

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(2) The bureau may charge a processing fee of ten dollars for fingerprinting of any individual. Payment of the processing fee shall accompany the request for fingerprinting and shall be deposited by the bureau immediately upon receipt into the Criminal Identification and Information <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>.

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§598. Criminal Identification and Information <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>

All fees imposed and collected pursuant to R.S. 15:587 or any other provision of law in this Chapter shall be forwarded upon receipt to the state treasurer for immediate deposit into the state treasury. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required in this Section shall be credited to a special statutorily dedicated fund account hereby created in the state treasury designated as the Criminal Identification and Information Dedicated Fund Account. All monies in this fund account shall annually be appropriated by the legislature to the state police, may be withdrawn only pursuant to such appropriation, and shall be used solely and exclusively by the state police to assist in carrying out the provisions of this Chapter and for special law enforcement initiatives. Monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on the investment of monies shall be credited to this fund account following compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund account at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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38 39 Section 4. R.S. 22:835(C) and (F) and 2134(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

40 41 §835. Fire marshal tax; Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund

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C. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required by Subsection B of this Section shall be credited to a special fund hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the "Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund", hereafter in this Section referred to as the "fund". The monies in this fund shall be used solely as provided by Subsection D of this Section and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall revert to the state general fund remain in the fund. The monies in the fund shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund, and interest earned on the investment of these monies shall be credited to the state general fund, again, following compliance with the requirement of Article VII, Section 9(B) relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund fund.

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F. Each year, after satisfaction of the provisions of Subsections C and D of this Section, and before any unexpended or unencumbered monies in the Louisiana Fire Marshal Fund shall revert to the state general fund, the state treasurer shall

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transfer the amount of fifty thousand dollars to the Camp Minden Fire Protection Fund as provided by R.S. 22:835.1.

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§2134. Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority Dedicated Fund Account

A. There is hereby established a <u>special dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> in the state treasury to be known as the "Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to in this Section as the "fund" "account", into which the state treasurer shall each fiscal year deposit the revenues received from those sources provided for by this Part and other sources as provided for by law after those revenues have been deposited in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state that become due and payable within each fiscal year, the treasurer, prior to placing such funds in the state general fund, shall pay into the fund account an amount equal to the revenue generated from collection from those sources provided for by this Part and other sources as provided for by law. No expenditures shall be made from the fund account unless first appropriated by the legislature. The monies in the trust fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on money from the fund account and invested by the state treasurer shall be credited to the Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority Fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

B. Any monies in the Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority Fund account shall be administered only by the director of the authority, upon a majority vote of the board, in the following order of priority:

C. All monies in the Automobile Theft and Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority Fund account shall be used only to enhance fraud prevention efforts as determined by the board.

Section 5. R.S. 30:21(B)(2), 101.9(A) through (C) and (D)(introductory paragraph), 2195(B) through (E) and (F)(1) and (3)(e), 2351.41, 2380, and 2418(G), (I)(3) and (4), (J), (M)(3) and (4), and (O)(3) and (5) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§21. Fees and charges of the commissioner of conservation; revisions; exceptions; collections; Oil and Gas Regulatory Dedicated Fund Account; creation; amounts; requirements

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(2)(a) There is hereby established a special statutorily dedicated fund account in the state treasury to be known as the Oil and Gas Regulatory Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to as the "fund" "account". After deposit in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund and after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state that become due and payable within each fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay into the fund account an amount equal to the monies generated from collection of the fees provided for in this Title, R.S. 40:1749.11 et seq., or Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, any fines and civil penalties or any other provision of law relative to fees, fines, or civil penalties attributable to the office of conservation, and fifty percent of any annual assessment paid by an operator who chooses not to plug a well classified as inactive with the remainder being deposited into the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund.

(b) Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and selfgenerated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills. The monies credited to the

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57 58 fund account shall be appropriated by the legislature and dedicated solely to the use of the office of conservation for the regulation of the oil and gas industry and other industries under the jurisdiction of the office of conservation and shall be used solely for the purposes of that program. Any monies remaining in the fund account at the end of any fiscal year shall remain with the fund account and shall not revert to the state general fund. All interest or earnings of the fund account shall be credited to the fund account. All fees and self-generated revenue remaining on deposit for the office of conservation at the end of any fiscal year shall be deposited into the fund account. The amount appropriated from the fund account to the office of conservation shall be subject to appropriation by the legislature.

(c) The provisions of Subtitle II of Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 shall apply to the administration, collection, and enforcement of the fees imposed in this Section, and the penalties provided by that Subtitle shall apply to the person who fails to pay or report the fee. Proceeds from the fee, including any penalties collected in connection with the fee, shall be deposited into the fund account.

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§101.9. Underwater Obstruction Removal Dedicated Fund Account

A. There is hereby established a statutorily dedicated fund account in the custody of the state treasurer to be known as the Underwater Obstruction Removal Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account", into which the state treasurer shall, each fiscal year, deposit the revenues received from the collection of the monies enumerated in Subsection C of this Section, after those revenues have been deposited in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state that become due and payable within each fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay into the Underwater Obstruction Removal Trust Fund account an amount equal to the revenues generated as provided for in Subsection C of this Section. Such funds shall constitute a special custodial trust fund account which shall be administered by the secretary who shall make disbursements from the fund account solely in accordance with the purposes and uses authorized by this Part. B. The funds received shall be placed in the special trust fund in the custody of the state treasurer account to be used only in accordance with this Part and shall not be placed in the general fund. The funds shall only be used for the purposes set forth in this Part and for no other governmental purposes, nor shall any portion hereof ever be available to borrow from by any branch of government. It is the intent of the legislature that this fund trust account shall remain intact and inviolate. Any interest or earnings of the fund shall be credited only to the fund account. Monies deposited into this account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

- B. The funds received shall be placed in the special trust fund account in the custody of the state treasurer to be used only in accordance with this Part and shall not be placed in the general fund. The funds shall only be used for the purposes set forth in this Part and for no other governmental purposes, nor shall any portion hereof ever be available to borrow from by any branch of government. It is the intent of the legislature that this fund the account shall remain intact and inviolate. Any interest or earnings of the fund account shall be credited only to the fund account.
- C. The following monies shall be placed into the Underwater Obstruction Removal Fund account:
 - (1) Private contributions.
 - (2) Interest earned on the funds deposited in the fund account.
- (3) Any grants, donations, and sums allocated from any source, public or private, for the purposes of this Part.
- (4) Any monies deposited into the fund <u>account</u> pursuant to R.S. 56:700.2(A)(4).

D. The monies in the <u>fund account</u> may be disbursed and expended pursuant to the authority and direction of the assistant secretary for the following purposes and uses:

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 §2195. Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank <u>Dedicated</u> Trust Fund <u>Account</u>

B. There is hereby established a special custodial trust statutorily dedicated fund account in the state treasury to be known as the Motor Fuel Underground Storage Tank Trust Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Chapter as the "Tank Trust Fund Account", into which the state treasurer shall, each fiscal year, deposit the revenues received from the collection of the fees as established in R.S. 30:2195.3(A)(1)(a) and (B). The secretary is authorized pursuant to Article VII, Section 9(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana and R.S. 30:2031 to enter into an agreement with a private legal entity to receive and administer the Tank Trust Fund Account for the purpose of providing financial responsibility for underground motor fuel storage tanks. On an annual basis, all owners of registered tanks shall remit to the department a tank registration fee of sixty dollars for each tank. The revenue from the tank registration fees shall be deposited directly into the Environmental Trust Account as provided by R.S. 30:2015 and utilized for underground storage tank activities only, and any deviation from the aforesaid shall be documented and reported to the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality. Revenues received from annual maintenance and monitoring fees, other than those established in R.S. 30:2195.3(B), shall be deposited into the Environmental Trust Account. The department shall promulgate rules and regulations for the implementation of this Section in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq.

C. Monies so deposited in the Environmental Trust Account shall be used to defray the cost to the state of administering the underground storage tank program and the cost of investigation, testing, containment, control, and cleanup of releases from underground storage tanks containing regulated substances. Only monies recovered pursuant to R.S. 30:2195.2(A)(2) and deposited in the Tank Trust Fund Account may be used for the loans authorized by R.S. 30:2195.12(E). These monies shall also be used to provide money or services as the state share of matching funds for federal grants involving underground storage tanks. At the end of each fiscal year, all monies that were deposited into the Environmental Trust Account from the fees established in R.S. 30:2195.3(A)(1)(a) and (B) which remain unspent, including all accrued interest, shall be transferred to the Tank Trust Fund Account.

D. The funds placed in the Tank Trust Fund Account shall only be used in accordance with the terms and conditions of R.S. 30:2194 through 2195.9 and shall not be placed in the general fund but shall be subject to the appropriation process of the legislature. The monies in the Tank Trust Fund Account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Monies deposited into this account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

E. Annually, the department shall prepare a report for the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality of all disbursements of monies from the Tank Trust Fund Account and the Environmental Trust Account. The report shall include all loans made from the Tank Trust Fund Account, the number of sites actively seeking reimbursement from the Tank Trust Fund Account as of June thirtieth of each year, the number of sites deemed eligible for the Tank Trust Fund Account during the previous fiscal year, and the number of sites that have been granted "No Further Action", and the department has received the last application for reimbursement during the previous fiscal year. Regarding disbursements from the Tank Trust Fund Account as provided by R.S. 30:2195.2, the report shall include a list of all reimbursements, all pending reimbursements, the date the application was made for reimbursement, and the date

reimbursement was made by the department. The report shall be delivered to the respective legislative committees no later than March first of each year.

F.(1) All interest monies earned by the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund Account and all monies received from payments that are the result of cost recovery efforts shall be used for the closure of abandoned motor fuel underground storage tanks, assessment and remediation of property contaminated by abandoned motor fuel underground storage tanks, and the loans authorized by R.S. 30:2195.12(E).

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- (3) A tank may be declared to be an abandoned motor fuel underground storage tank by the secretary upon a finding that all of the following apply to the site:
- (e) The release at the site is not eligible for the Motor Fuels Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund Tank Trust Account or the secretary has determined that action by the department is the most timely and efficient way to address conditions at the site.

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PART III. LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION <u>DEDICATED</u> FUND <u>ACCOUNT</u> §2351.41. Lead Hazard Reduction Dedicated Fund Account

- A. There is hereby created within the state treasury <u>a special statutorily dedicated fund account designated as</u> the Lead Hazard Reduction <u>Dedicated Fund Account</u>, hereafter referred to in this Part as the "account". Funds received under pursuant to the provisions of this Part shall be deposited into the state treasury.
- B. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required by Subsection A of this Section shall be credited to a special fund hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the "Lead Hazard Reduction Fund" the account. The monies in this fund account shall be used solely as provided in Subsection C of this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund the account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. The monies in this fund the account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund, and interest earned on the investment of these monies shall be credited to the fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- C. The monies in the Lead Hazard Reduction Fund account shall be used solely for the purpose of funding the programs and activities provided for in this Chapter, as determined by the secretary.

§2380. Right-to-Know Dedicated Fund Account

A. Subject to the exceptions contained in Article VII, Section 9 of the Constitution of Louisiana, all monies collected under pursuant to R.S. 30:2373 shall be paid into the state treasury and shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within a fiscal year, the treasurer shall, prior to placing such remaining funds in the state general fund, pay into a special statutorily dedicated fund account, which is hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the "Right-to-Know Dedicated Fund Account", hereinafter referred to as the fund "account", an amount equal to all monies collected under pursuant to R.S. 30:2373. The fund balance in the account shall not exceed two million dollars. Any monies in excess of that amount shall revert to the general fund. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

B. Monies in the fund account shall be paid to the deputy secretary on his warrant and shall be used to develop the Louisiana Chemical Network (LCN), a statewide centralized inventory and release reporting system. This centralized reporting system is intended to eliminate duplication in reporting requirements, develop centralized data management, and provide processed data to all parishes via the local emergency planning committees (LEPCs). The department shall have the responsibility to develop a centralized data distribution system and provide the local emergency planning committees with the necessary equipment, software, and training to support its application. The monies in the fund account shall be dedicated to equipment acquisition and personnel training for LEPCs and for the department to properly staff the centralized data management functions. The deputy secretary shall adopt the necessary rules and regulations to administer this system.

§2418. Waste tires; Waste Tire Management Dedicated Fund Account

G. There is hereby established a <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> in the state treasury to be known as the "Waste Tire Management Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account". Any fees collected, pursuant to the secretary's rules and regulations, on the sale of tires, and any other appropriations, gifts, grants, or other monies received by the Department of Environmental Quality for the credit of the Waste Tire Management Fund account, shall be remitted to the state treasury and credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, as provided by the laws of this state and the Constitution of Louisiana. After a sufficient amount is allocated from the Bond Security and Redemption Fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay into the Waste Tire Management Fund account an amount equal to the total amount previously deposited into the treasury. All interest earned on money from this fund the account and invested by the state treasurer shall be credited to the fund account. The monies of the fund in the account shall be administered by the secretary solely for the purposes of solving the state's waste tire problem. No monies from the fund account shall be used to provide payments to waste tire processors for processing tires that are generated in Louisiana when those tires are processed in any other state. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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- (3)(a) In the event the balance of the fund account is insufficient to meet the obligations to waste tire processors provided for in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, the department, after meeting all payments required by law, shall pay any undisputed obligations in a pro rata share to waste tire processors having a standard permit when the request for payment was submitted. Any remaining undisputed obligations which would have been paid to waste tire processors but for the insufficiency of the Waste Tire Management Fund account shall be paid from future surplus funds in the Waste Tire Management Fund account as provided in Subparagraph (b) of this Paragraph. However, beginning August 1, 2013, such payments shall be applied in priority from the earliest incurred undisputed obligation to the most current undisputed obligation.
- (b) In the event the fund account has a surplus after meeting all obligations of the fund account for the month, including any payments required by law, such surplus shall be distributed in a pro rata share to those waste tire processors having a standard permit when the request for payment was submitted and for whom there are unpaid obligations of the fund account, excluding any disputed amounts. Such surplus shall be processed for payment by the department within fifteen days after the end of the month in which the surplus arose.

- (c) For purposes of this Section, "undisputed obligations" means those waste tire material payments which should have been paid by the department to a waste tire processor since January 1, 2003, but which have not been paid due to the insufficiency of the Waste Tire Management Fund account.
- (4) If litigation relating to fund account payments in dispute prior to March 1, 2004, is resolved through final judgment or settlement, the secretary shall pay from the fund account the portion of such final judgment or settlement which represents previously disputed fund account payments within one hundred eighty days of the judgment or settlement. This Subsection shall not be construed to limit or condition the right of the judgment creditor or obligee under the settlement agreement to obtain payment in satisfaction of the judgment or settlement from any source authorized by law.
- J. The secretary or his designee shall submit an annual report to the president of the Senate, the speaker of the House of Representatives, the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality, and to the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and appear before a joint meeting of the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment and the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality during each regular session to present the report detailing the progress of the waste tire program for the preceding year, the current balance of the Waste Tire Management Fund account, and the forecast for the fund account in the following year.

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- (3) A waste tire processor shall not request or receive payments from the Waste Tire Management Fund account for any waste tires unless the waste tires are generated and processed in Louisiana, the generator and transporter have signed a statement swearing under penalty of law that the tires were not generated outside the state of Louisiana and are Louisiana-eligible tires, and the processor has signed a statement swearing under penalty of law that he has no knowledge contrary to the representations of the generator and transporter. The department shall provide a standard form to be used by generators, transporters, and processors to comply with this Paragraph.
- (4) In addition to any other penalties provided for in this Subsection, any person convicted of violating Paragraph (1) of this Subsection may be barred from participating in the program, including requesting and receiving payments or reimbursements from the Waste Tire Management Fund account, and any license or registration issued by the department that is required to participate in the program may be ordered to be surrendered. Participants shall include collectors, generators, processors, and transporters. Any such person convicted may be forever barred from employment with or from contracting with any license holder under this Section. Any sentence imposed which includes the suspension or barring under this Paragraph shall be suspended until after rendition of a final conviction from which no appeal may be taken.

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- (3) Proceeds from the collection of the fees and any fines, penalties, interest, and costs collected in connection with the fees shall be deposited into the Waste Tire Management Fund account to be used to administer the waste tire program authorized by this Section.
- (5) In addition to the authority and collection procedure provided for in this Subsection, the secretary has the authority to impose upon any person failing to timely remit fees imposed by this Section, a delinquent fee of ten percent of the unpaid fee or twenty-five dollars, whichever is greater. A delinquent fee of twenty-five dollars may also be imposed upon any person failing to timely submit a monthly waste tire fee report required by any rule or regulation promulgated pursuant to this Section. Proceeds from the collection of the fees authorized by this Paragraph shall

be used for special waste tire projects as determined by the secretary. Any such proceeds remaining at the end of the fiscal year that have not been used for special projects shall be deposited in the Waste Tire Management Fund account.

Section 6. R.S. 32:412.3, 429.2(A), (B), and (C)(introductory paragraph), 868, 1526(B) and 1731 are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

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§412.3. Office of Motor Vehicles Driver's License Escrow <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>; Office of Motor Vehicles Handling Fee Escrow <u>Dedicated</u> Fund

- A. There is are hereby created, as special statutorily dedicated fund accounts funds in the state treasury, the Office of Motor Vehicles Driver's License Escrow Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to as the "License Fund Account" and the Office of Motor Vehicles Handling Fee Escrow Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to as the "Handling Fee Account".
- B.(1) After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all of the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay an amount equal to one third of the monies received by the state treasury pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 32:412 into the Office of Motor Vehicles Driver's License Escrow Fund License Fund Account. The monies in this fund account shall be used solely as provided in Subsection D of this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account to cover under collections in any subsequent fiscal year. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund and shall be deposited into the state general fund. Monies deposited into the License Fund Account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- (2) The calculation required under the provisions of Subsection D of this Section shall be made prior to the distribution to the board of trustees of the police pension funds of the city of New Orleans, the Louisiana State Police Retirement System Fund, and the Conservation Fund under the provisions of R.S. 56:10(B)(15).
- C. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all of the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay an amount equal to one third of the monies received by the state treasury pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 32:412.1 into the Office of Motor Vehicles Handling Fee Escrow Fund Handling Fee Account. The monies in this fund account shall be used solely as provided in Subsection E of this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account to cover under collections in any subsequent fiscal year. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund and shall be deposited into the state general fund. Monies deposited into the Handling Fee Account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- D. Of the monies placed in escrow in the Office of Motor Vehicles Driver's License Escrow Fund License Fund Account, one-half shall be appropriated in Fiscal Years 2020, 2026, and 2032 and one-half shall be appropriated in Fiscal Years 2021, 2027, and 2033.
- E.(1) Of the monies placed in escrow in the Office of Motor Vehicles Handling Fee Escrow Fund Handling Fee Account, one-half shall be appropriated in Fiscal Years 2020, 2026, and 2032 and one-half shall be appropriated in Fiscal Years 2021, 2027, and 2033.
- (2) Of the monies appropriated under <u>pursuant to</u> the provisions of this Subsection, sixty-eight and seventy-five one-hundredths percent of the funds shall

be allocated to self-generated revenue and thirty-one and twenty-five one-hundredths percent of the funds shall be allocated to the Office of Motor Vehicles Customer Service and Technology <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>.

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§429.2. Office of Motor Vehicles Customer Service and Technology <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account;</u> uses of the monies

7 8 9 A. There is hereby created, as a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> in the state treasury, the Office of Motor Vehicles Customer Service and Technology <u>Dedicated</u> Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account".

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- B. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. and after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all of the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay an amount equal to the monies received by the state treasury pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 32:412.1(C), 707.2(C)(4), and 728(10) into the Office of Motor Vehicles Customer Service and Technology Fund Account. The monies in this fund the account shall be used solely as provided in Subsection C of this Section and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund the account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund and shall be deposited into the state general fund. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- C. Subject to an annual appropriation by the legislature, the monies in the Office of Motor Vehicles Customer Service and Technology Fund account shall be used solely for the following:
- §868. Funding of real-time system to verify motor vehicle insurance; Insurance Verification System <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>; creation
- A. Of the reinstatement fees assessed in R.S. 32:863(A)(3)(a), an amount of seventy-five dollars from each reinstatement fee levied for lack of required security up to thirty days, one hundred fifty dollars from each reinstatement fee levied for lack of required security between thirty-one days and ninety days, and three hundred dollars from each reinstatement fee levied for lack of security for in excess of ninety days, and of the reinstatement fees assessed in R.S. 32:863.1(C)(1)(c) and (I)(3) an amount of fifty dollars from each first offense and one hundred dollars from each second offense, shall be, after first having been credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund as required by Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Louisiana Constitution, deposited into the Insurance Verification System Dedicated Fund Account.
- B. There is hereby created in the state treasury a special statutorily dedicated fund account designated as the Insurance Verification System Dedicated Fund Account, hereinafter referred to as the "fund" "account". Monies in the fund account shall be invested in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. Interest earned on investment of monies in the fund account shall be deposited in and credited to the fund account. The monies in this fund account shall be used solely as provided for in this Section and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. Unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund account shall remain in the fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature. Monies in the fund account shall be used in amounts appropriated by the legislature as follows:
 - (1) For Fiscal Year 2014-2015, monies in the fund shall be used as follows:
- (a) First, to fully fund the creation and maintenance of the real-time system to verify motor vehicle insurance authorized by R.S. 32:863.2(F).

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- (b) The next forty-two million dollars shall be dedicated to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police.
- (c) The remainder of deposits shall be used for public safety and law enforcement purposes.
- (2) For Fiscal Year 2015-2016 and each fiscal year thereafter, monies in the fund account shall be used as follows:
- (a) First, to fully fund the annual maintenance of the real-time system to verify motor vehicle insurance authorized by R.S. 32:863.2(F).
- (b) Next, the amount needed to fund the increase in the costs of salaries and related benefits associated with the pay plan adopted by the State Police Commission, not to exceed forty-two million dollars per year, shall be dedicated to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police.
- (c) In the event House Bill No. 562 of the 2014 Regular Session of the Legislature is enacted into law, the next seven million dollars per year shall be used to fund the housing of parolees who are detained in sheriffs' jails pending their revocation hearing as provided in R.S. 15:824(B)(1)(e)(ii).
- (d) The next one million dollars per year shall be used to provide additional funding to district attorneys and assistant district attorneys, specifically to fund additional assistant district attorneys beginning in 2015.
- (e) The remainder of monies in the fund account shall be used for public safety and law enforcement purposes.
- (3) (2) Funds from the Insurance Verification System Fund account shall not be used to pay any costs associated with the implementation of a system for the issuance of REAL ID compliant drivers' licenses and special identification cards.
- §1526. Unified Carrier Registration Agreement; enforcement; disposition of money collected; Unified Carrier Registration Agreement Dedicated Fund Account
- B.(1) All revenue collected by or distributed to the department under the Unified Carrier Registration Agreement shall be deposited upon receipt into the state treasury. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state that become due and payable during a fiscal year as provided for in Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, the treasurer shall each fiscal year deposit into a special statutorily dedicated fund account hereby created in the state treasury, to be known as the Unified Carrier Registration Agreement Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account", an amount equal to the total amount received by the treasurer pursuant to this Subsection. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- (2) All unexpended and unencumbered money in the fund account at the end of a fiscal year shall remain in the fund account and shall be available for use in the next fiscal year as provided for in this Subsection. Money in the fund account shall be invested as provided by law, and any interest earned on such investments shall be credited to the fund account after compliance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana.
- (3) The money in the fund account shall be used each fiscal year solely and exclusively by the department, except as provided for in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, for motor carrier safety programs, enforcement, or the administration of the Unified Carrier Registration Plan and the Unified Carrier Registration Agreement as required by the Unified Carrier Registration Act of 2005.

§1731. The Louisiana Towing and Storage Dedicated Fund Account

All fees and fines collected under pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter shall be paid into the state treasury on or before the twenty-fifth day of the month following their collection and, in accordance with Article VII, Section 9 of the Constitution of Louisiana, shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption

Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, after a sufficient amount is allocated therefrom to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within each fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay an amount equal to the total amount of funds paid into the treasury into a special statutorily dedicated fund account, which is hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the "Louisiana Towing and Storage Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to as the "account". All funds collected or received pursuant to this Chapter and deposited in the Louisiana Towing and Storage Fund account shall be administered by the deputy secretary of public safety services. The fund account shall be used solely to fund personnel positions and the activities and enforcement of this Chapter by the office of state police and only in the amount appropriated by the legislature with all remaining funds to be deposited in the state general fund. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

Section 7. R.S. 39:100.43(L), 100.44(Q), and 100.48(C) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§100.43. Coronavirus Local Recovery Allocation Program

L. Any unobligated balance in the fund on December 1, 2020 June 30, 2021, shall be transferred to the State Coronavirus Relief Fund.

§100.44. Louisiana Main Street Recovery Program

Q. Any unobligated balance in the fund on December 1, 2020 <u>June 30, 2021</u>, shall be transferred to the State Coronavirus Relief Fund.

§100.48. Critical Infrastructure Workers Hazard Pay Rebate Fund

C. Monies in the rebate fund shall be appropriated to the state treasurer to be used to provide a one-time hazard pay rebate to essential critical infrastructure workers as provided in Act No. 12 of the 2020 First Extraordinary Session of the Legislature. Any unobligated balance in the rebate fund on June 30, 2021, shall be transferred to the State Coronavirus Relief Fund.

Section 8. R.S. 40:5.10, 39.1(B)(2), (3)(introductory paragraph), and (4), 1379.3.1(C) and (D), 1379.7(B), 1428(C), 1472.20(A), 1664.9(N), 1730.68, and 1849(D)(2), (3), (4)(introductory paragraph), and (5) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§5.10. Oyster Sanitation Dedicated Fund Account

A. There is hereby established a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> in the state treasury to be known as the Oyster Sanitation <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>, hereinafter referred to as the <u>"fund" "account"</u>. The <u>fund account</u> shall consist of monies received by virtue of the surcharge assessed pursuant to R.S. 30:2075.1, such monies as may be appropriated to it by the legislature, and monies received by the fund from grants and donations. <u>Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>

B. Monies in the <u>fund account</u> shall be invested by the state treasurer in accordance with the law, and shall comply with the provisions of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Subject to Article VII, Section 9, the investment earnings <u>on account monies</u> shall be credited to the <u>fund account</u>. The treasurer shall advise the governor and the legislature of the status of the <u>fund account</u> thirty days prior to each regular session of the legislature and at any other time upon their request.

C. Upon request of the secretary of either department named herein, and pursuant to appropriation by the legislature, the treasurer shall disburse monies from the <u>fund account</u> to the Louisiana Department of Health <u>and/or or</u> the Department of

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Wildlife and Fisheries for projects or measures that protect, enhance, or restore sanitary conditions directly related to the molluscan shellfish industry.

D. Monies from the fund account may not be used other than for the sanitation purposes authorized in Subsection C of this Section, or investment authorized in Subsection B of this Section.

§39.1. Certified copies of birth certificates and death certificates; clerks of district courts and the Second City Court of the city of New Orleans; Vital Records Conversion Dedicated Fund Account

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- (2) Clerks shall pay to the state registrar such amounts as are required in R.S. 40:40. In addition, four dollars for each long-form birth certificate or death certificate issued by each clerk of court shall be remitted to the state treasurer on the tenth day of each month for deposit in the state treasury. The funds deposited shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable in any fiscal year, the treasurer shall credit to the Vital Records Conversion Dedicated Fund Account, hereby created, an amount equal to the funds deposited under the provisions of this Section. Monies deposited into the Vital Records Conversion Dedicated Fund Account shall be categorized as fees and selfgenerated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- (3) The monies held in the Vital Records Conversion Dedicated Fund Account shall only be appropriated with the mutual consent of the secretary of state and the secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health for the following purposes:
- (4) All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund Vital Records Conversion Dedicated Fund Account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on account monies invested by the treasurer shall be deposited in the fund account.
- §1379.3.1. Concealed Handgun Permit Dedicated Fund Account; assessment and disposition of fees

C. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required by Subsection B of this Section shall be credited to a special statutorily dedicated fund account hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the "Concealed Handgun Permit Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account". The monies in this fund the account shall be used solely as provided for in Subsection D of this Section and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund the account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in such fund the account. The monies in this fund the account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund and interest earned on the investment of these monies shall be credited to this fund the account after, again, following compliance with the requirement of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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D. The monies in the Concealed Handgun Permit Fund account shall be used solely for administration of the concealed handgun permit process and for special law enforcement initiatives.

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B. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, the treasurer shall credit an amount equal to the total amount of such costs received to a special statutorily dedicated fund account which is hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the Public Safety DWI Testing, Maintenance, and Training Dedicated Fund Account. The monies in the described fund the account shall be used solely to fund activities of the office of state police in executing its responsibilities in the purchase and maintenance of equipment and supplies for use in breath, blood, or urine analysis as related to violations of R.S. 14:98 or 98.1; training in the maintenance and usage of testing equipment; other such related expenses as may be necessary in the efficient and effective administration of those duties; and for special law enforcement initiatives. The monies in the fund account shall be used only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on monies in the fund account invested by the treasurer shall be credited to the Public Safety DWI Testing, Maintenance, and Training Fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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§1428. Special assessment; creation of <u>dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u>

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C. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required by Subsection B of this Section shall be credited to a special statutorily dedicated fund account hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the Insurance Fraud Investigation Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Subsection as the "account". The monies shall be irrevocably dedicated and deposited in the Insurance Fraud Investigation Fund account and shall be used solely as provided in Subsection A of this Section and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. Monies in the fund account shall be appropriated, administered, and used solely and exclusively for purposes of the fraud unit, fraud support unit, insurance fraud section, LATIFPA, and as further provided in this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in this fund the account at the end of the fiscal year shall be refunded to each insurer licensed by the Department of Insurance to conduct business in this state assessed a fee pursuant to this Section on a pro-rata basis based on each insurer's proportionate share of the total fees collected pursuant to this Section. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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§1472.20. Explosives Trust Dedicated Fund Account

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A. The Explosives Trust <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u> is hereby established as a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> in the state treasury to support the efforts of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, office of state police, explosives control unit. After <u>depositing deposit into</u> the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, all funds collected pursuant to R.S. 40:1472.3(H) and 1472.9(D) shall be deposited in and credited to the Explosives Trust <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>. <u>Monies deposited</u>

into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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§1664.9. Fees; license endorsements for firms and persons; certifications; Louisiana Life Safety and Property Protection Trust <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>

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- N.(1) Subject to the exceptions contained in Article VII, Section 9 of the Constitution of Louisiana, all monies received by the state fire marshal pursuant to this Subpart, including but not limited to fees and fines, shall be deposited immediately upon receipt in the state treasury and shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer, prior to placing such remaining funds in the state general fund, shall pay an amount equal to the total amount of funds paid into the state treasury by the state fire marshal pursuant to this Subpart into a special statutorily dedicated fund account which is hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the Louisiana Life Safety and Property Protection Trust Dedicated Fund Account.
- (2) The monies in the Louisiana Life Safety and Property Protection Trust Dedicated Fund Account shall be used solely for implementation, administration, and enforcement of this Subpart, and thereafter, for fire education or emergency response by the state fire marshal and only in the amounts appropriated each year to the state fire marshal or the board by the legislature. Any surplus monies and interest remaining to the credit of the fund the account on June thirtieth of each year after all such appropriations of the preceding fiscal year have been made shall remain to the credit of the fund account, and no part thereof shall revert to the state general fund. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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- §1730.68. Industrialized Building Program <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>; distribution
- A. All proceeds derived from the fees and all amounts received by the secretary from interest, fines, or penalties or any other source pursuant to the provisions of this Part shall be deposited with the state treasurer. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, the state treasurer shall, each fiscal year and subject to an annual appropriation by the legislature, credit to the "Industrialized Building Program Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account", which is hereby created in the treasury as a special designated fund account, an amount equal to the amount of money paid into the treasury by the secretary pursuant to the provisions of this Section. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund account at the end of each fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on monies in the fund account invested by the state treasurer shall be deposited in the fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- B. Monies from the <u>fund account</u> shall be appropriated and paid to the secretary at the beginning of each fiscal year to be distributed to the office of state fire marshal, code enforcement and building safety, and shall be used for the implementation of this Part.

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§1849. Permit fees; minimum; maximum; transport registration fees; personnel qualification fees; rainy day fund Liquified Petroleum Gas Commission Rainy Day Dedicated Fund Account

- (2) After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to the monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to the funds received shall be credited to the special statutorily dedicated fund account hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the "Liquefied Petroleum Gas Commission Rainy Day Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account". The monies in this fund the account shall be used solely as provided in this Subsection, and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as the monies in the state general fund. Subject to the provisions of, and after compliance with, Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all interest earned on the monies in this fund the account shall be credited to this fund the account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- (3) At the end of each fiscal year, the unexpended and unencumbered monies which remain in this fund the account, up to a maximum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars, shall remain in this fund the account and shall be used by the commission for the purposes set forth in this Subsection.
- (4) The monies in this fund the account shall be used for the following purposes:
- (5) At the end of each fiscal year, the unexpended and unencumbered monies which remain in the fund account in excess of the two hundred fifty thousand dollar maximum provided in Paragraph (3) of this Subsection, not to exceed three hundred thousand dollars, shall be deposited in the separate interest-bearing account established under the authority of R.S. 40:1851(D) and shall be used solely for market development purposes as required by R.S. 40:1851.1(B).

Section 9. R.S. 45:169.1, 844.14(A)(4), and 1177(B) and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§169.1. Motor Carrier Regulation Dedicated Fund Account

- A.(1) All monies recovered by the transportation division of the Public Service Commission, by the collection of intrastate application, registration, and permit fees, and fines collected from penalties, shall be deposited into the state treasury and shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. After satisfaction of the requirements of the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, the treasurer shall deposit into the special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u>, hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the "Motor Carrier Regulation <u>Dedicated Fund Account</u>", an amount equal to one hundred percent of the total sums recovered as provided in R.S. 45:168 and 169. <u>Monies deposited into this account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>
- (2) The Motor Carrier Regulation <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>, hereinafter referred to <u>in this Section</u> as the "carrier <u>fund account</u>", shall additionally consist of all funds received by donation, grant, gift, or otherwise from any source and sums appropriated specifically to it by the legislature for increased regulatory enforcement of motor carriers.
- B. The director of the transportation division of the Public Service Commission shall administer the carrier <u>fund account</u> and shall make disbursements from the <u>fund carrier account</u> for all necessary and appropriate expenditures.

- C.(1) The monies in the carrier <u>fund account</u> shall be used to defray the cost of regulation of the intrastate motor carrier industry, specifically by the transportation division of the Public Service Commission.
- (2) Monies in the carrier <u>fund account</u> shall be available to increase manpower and physical support for regulation of the intrastate motor carrier industry.
- (3) Monies in the carrier <u>fund</u> <u>account</u> shall be invested by the state treasurer <u>in the same manner</u> as are monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on <u>carrier account</u> money invested by the state treasurer <u>since the creation of the fund will shall</u> be deposited into the state general fund.
- D. In any cases where monies from the carrier fund account are expended in the prosecution of any violation of this Chapter, the attorney general shall institute a civil action to recover from the responsible person all such monies expended from the carrier fund account. Any monies so recovered shall be paid into the carrier fund account as provided by this Section.

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§844.14. Listing procedures; prohibited acts; Telephonic Solicitation Relief Dedicated Fund Account

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- (4)(a) All fees and penalties imposed pursuant to this Section shall be made payable to the Louisiana Public Service Commission for the administration of this Chapter and shall be dedicated to such purpose. The fees and penalties collected shall be remitted by the commission to the state treasury and credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. After a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within the fiscal year, the treasurer, prior to placing such remaining funds in the state general fund, shall pay an amount equal to the total amount of funds paid into the state treasury by the commission into a special statutorily dedicated fund account which is hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the "Telephonic Solicitation Relief Dedicated Fund Account". Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- (b) The monies in the Telephonic Solicitation Relief <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u> shall be used solely for the implementation, administration, and enforcement of this Chapter. Any surplus monies and interest remaining to the credit of the <u>fund account</u> on June thirtieth of each year shall remain to the credit of the <u>fund account</u> and no part thereof shall revert to the state general fund.

§1177. Inspection and supervision fees; Utility and Carrier Inspection and Supervision Dedicated Fund Account

B. Funds received by the Department of Revenue in the form of inspection and supervision fees authorized in Subsection A shall be deposited immediately upon receipt into the state treasury. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and prior to monies being placed in the state general fund, an amount equal to that deposited as required by this Subsection shall be credited to a special statutorily dedicated fund account hereby created in the state treasury to be known as the "Utility and Carrier Inspection and Supervision Dedicated Fund Account", hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account". The monies in this fund the account shall be used solely for the expenses of the operations of the commission, and only in the amounts appropriated by the legislature. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

C. If the amounts contained in the fund account provided for in this Section are in excess of that necessary to fund the operations of the commission, then that excess shall be retained in such funds the account subject to the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund and shall be subject to appropriations appropriation by the legislature in subsequent years. In the event the Utility and Carrier Inspection and Supervision Fund account ceases to exist for the purpose of its creation, the assessments therefor likewise shall cease to exist.

Section 10. R.S. 46:2403(A), (C), and (D)(1) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§2403. Creation of the Children's Trust Dedicated Fund Account

A. There is hereby established a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> in the state treasury to be known as the "Children's Trust <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>", <u>hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account"</u>, consisting of monies provided by the legislature and monies received from any other sources, including funds derived from donations of income tax refunds as provided in R.S. 47:120.35 and funds derived from fees as provided in Subsection B of this Section. The legislature shall make yearly appropriations to the fund for the purposes set forth in this Chapter to the extent that state funds are available. <u>Monies deposited into the account shall</u> be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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C. Subject to the exceptions contained in Article VII, Section 9(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all such additional fees collected as provided in Subsection B of this Section shall be paid into the state treasury and shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall, prior to placing such remaining funds in the state general fund, pay into the Children's Trust Fund account an amount equal to the total amount of the additional birth certificate fees paid into the treasury pursuant to Subsection B of this Section.

 D.(1) The monies in the <u>fund account</u> shall be used solely for programs designed to prevent the physical and sexual abuse and gross neglect of children. Disbursement of the amount appropriated each year shall be made as determined by the Children's Cabinet with consideration of recommendations made by the Children's Trust Fund Board. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in <u>this fund the account</u> at the end of the fiscal year shall remain to the credit of the <u>fund account</u>.

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 Section 11. R.S. 47:463.149(F) and (G), 1835(B) and (D)(4), and 6007(C)(4)(h)(ii), (iii)(introductory paragraph), and (iv) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows: §463.149. Special prestige license plate; "World Champion New Orleans Saints"; distribution of royalty fees

F. The annual royalty fee shall be collected by the department and deposited into the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District License Plate <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>. The money received from the royalty fees shall be used solely to pay debt service on state debt issued to fund improvements to the Louisiana Superdome.

G. There is hereby created, as a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> within the state treasury, the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District License Plate <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>, hereafter <u>sometimes</u> referred to <u>in this Subsection</u> as the <u>"Fund" "account"</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, after compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and after a sufficient amount is allocated to pay all of the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay an amount equal to the annual royalty fee collected by the department into the Fund

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58 59 <u>account</u>. All of the monies in the Fund <u>account</u> shall be appropriated each year by the legislature to the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District for application first to pay principal and interest on any debt issued by the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District and second to pay any operating expenses of the Louisiana Stadium and Exposition District. <u>Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>

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§1835. Employment of secretary, clerical help and experts; creation of commission expense <u>dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u>; authorization for deposits and collection of assessments

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B. There is hereby established in the state treasury the "Tax Commission Expense Dedicated Fund Account", hereinafter referred to in this Section as the "expense fund account". After credit to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund as provided in Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all assessments and fees, including penalties and interest thereon, received by the tax commission shall be deposited in and credited to the expense fund account. Monies on deposit in the expense fund account may be expended only pursuant to appropriation. Appropriations from the expense fund account shall only be made for expenses and costs of the tax commission, including but not limited to expenses and costs of operations, audits, and examinations and the defense, determination, or development of assessments and assessment procedures, including costs associated with outside experts. Any such assessment or fee, and any penalty and interest thereon, shall constitute an addition to the taxes due for all purposes of this Title. Monies on deposit in the expense fund account shall be invested in the same manner as the state general fund. Interest on investment of monies in the expense fund account shall be credited to the state general fund. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund expense account at the close of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund expense account. Monies deposited into the expense account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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(4) The tax commission shall be reimbursed for its direct costs associated with the audits or examinations conducted pursuant to this Section, up to ten percent of the additional tax, penalty, and interest collected, and said funds shall be paid over to the tax commission for deposit in its expense fund account for its use in carrying on its operations as provided for herein.

§6007. Motion picture production tax credit

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C. Production tax credit; specific productions and projects.

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(4) Transferability of the credit. Except as provided for in Subparagraph (g) of this Paragraph, motion picture tax credits not previously claimed by any taxpayer against its income tax may be transferred or sold to another Louisiana taxpayer or to the Department of Revenue, subject to the following conditions:

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(ii) There is hereby established in the state treasury a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> treasury fund <u>account</u>, the Louisiana Entertainment Development <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>, hereinafter referred to <u>in this Section</u> as the <u>"fund" "account"</u>. <u>Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and selfgenerated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget,</u>

supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which becomes due and payable within any fiscal year as required by Article VII, Section 9(B) of this constitution, the treasurer shall deposit in and credit to the fund account the fees deposited as provided in this Paragraph.

(iii)The money in the <u>fund</u> <u>account</u> shall be appropriated by the legislature as follows:

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(iv) The money in the fund account shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as money in the state general fund and interest earned on the investment of the money shall be credited to the fund account after compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. All unexpended and unencumbered money in the fund account at the end of the year shall remain in the fund account.

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Section 12. R.S. 48:105.1(B) and (D), 381(G), 381.1(E), and 381.2(D) and (G)(1) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§105.1. Transportation Training and Education Center <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account;</u> creation

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- B. The secretary shall promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with law to effectuate the provisions of this Section, to implement a registration fee policy, and to provide for the uses and disposition of the fees collected. All fees collected pursuant to this Section and the rules and regulations promulgated by the secretary shall be deposited into the LTRC Transportation Training and Education Center <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u> as provided for in Subsection D of this Section.
- D. There is hereby created, as a special statutorily dedicated fund account in the state treasury, the LTRC Transportation Training and Education Center Dedicated Fund Account, hereinafter referred to in this Section as the "fund" "account". After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, an amount equal to the monies received by the state treasury pursuant to the provisions of Subsections A and B of this Section and rules and regulations adopted by the Department of Transportation and Development shall be deposited into the fund account. The monies so deposited shall be used to defray the expenses of the LTRC Transportation Training and Education Center in connection with the development, contracting, delivery, and administration of the center's transportation training program. Monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund, and interest earned on the investment of such monies shall be credited to the fund account after compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana. Excess monies over and above the expenses of the center shall be distributed to workforce development programs and projects within the Department of Transportation and Development. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the fund account at the end of any fiscal year shall remain in the fund account for use in subsequent fiscal years. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

§381. Use and occupancy of highways * *

G. All fees shall be deposited by the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development in the Right-Of-Way Permit Processing <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account established</u> in the office of the treasurer <u>pursuant to R.S. 48:381.1</u> and

said fees shall be set aside for the use of the Department of Transportation and Development to defray the expenses of the right-of-way permit office connected with the issuance and processing required for permitted activity within state roads and highways rights-of-way.

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Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Part as the "Right-of Way Account". After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the

Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, the

monies so deposited shall be credited to the fund Right-of-Way Account for the use

of the Department of Transportation and Development to defray the expenses of the

E. All fees collected pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be

* * * * * \$381.1. Rights-of-way; joint use agreements; fees

right-of-way permit office. Excess fees, over and above the expenses of the right-of-way permit office, shall be distributed to federally approved highway projects. All monies existing in this fund the Right-of-Way Account at the end of each fiscal year shall be retained in the Right-of-Way Permit Processing Fund account and shall not be deposited in the General Fund. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

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§381.2. Rights-of-way; telecommunication installations, including wireless telephone hardware, fiber-optic lines, and telecommunications towers; annual

telephone hardware, fiber-optic lines, and telecommunications towers; annual report to the legislature

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- D. All fees shall be deposited by the secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development in the state treasury. After such deposit, an amount equal to the fees collected shall be transferred to the Right-of-Way Account established pursuant to R.S. 48:381.1 and Permit Processing Fund which is hereby created in the state treasury and said funds shall be set aside for the use of the Department of Transportation and Development to defray the expenses of the right-of-way permit office in connection with the issuance and processing required for permitted activity within the state roads and highway rights-of-way.
- G. The secretary shall prepare and submit an annual report to the House and Senate Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committees, which summarizes the activities, revenues, and expenditures of the right-of-way permit office related to the administration of this Section. The first annual report required under the provisions of this Subsection shall contain a summary of the activities, revenues, and expenditures of the right-of-way permit office from the beginning of the program to date and shall be submitted to the House and Senate Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committees not later than January 30, 2002. Each subsequent annual report shall be submitted not later than ninety days following the end of each calendar year and shall contain the following information:
- (1) Deposits and withdrawals from the Right-of-Way Permit Processing Fund Account related to this Section.

Section 13. R.S. 49:214.40(A) and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§214.40. Coastal Resources Trust Dedicated Fund Account

A.(1) Subject to the exceptions contained in Article VII, Section 9(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all funds collected by the Louisiana coastal resources program from processing and evaluation of coastal use permit applications and consistency determinations, from any federal outercontinental shelf revenue sharing program, and from any other sources, shall be paid into the state treasury and shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund.

- (2) Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall, prior to placing such remaining funds in the state general fund, pay into a special statutorily dedicated fund account, which is hereby created in the state treasury and designated as the Coastal Resources Trust Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Section as the "trust account", an amount equal to the total amount of funds paid into the treasury by the Louisiana coastal resources program.
- (3) The monies in the trust <u>fund account</u> shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. The monies in the <u>Coastal Resources Trust Fund trust account</u> shall be used solely for the programs and purposes and in the amounts appropriated each year to the Louisiana coastal resources program by the legislature. <u>Monies deposited into the trust account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>
- C. Any surplus funds remaining to the credit of the trust fund account on July 1 of each year commencing with the fiscal year 1983-84, after all appropriations of the preceding fiscal year have been paid, and all interest earned on money from the trust fund account since the creation of the fund and thereafter shall remain to the credit of the Coastal Resources Trust Fund trust account for expenditure from year to year solely by the Louisiana coastal resources program or any uses as provided for in the federal outercontinental shelf revenue sharing legislation in accordance with appropriation made by the legislature for the purposes and functions of said program, and no part thereof shall revert to the state general fund. This provision shall not be construed to prohibit the appropriation of funds out of the state general fund to the commission.
- Section 14. R.S. 56:10(B)(1)(d), (5), and (7)(a), and (D), 10.1, 164(A) and (B)(introductory paragraph), 700.2(A)(introductory paragraph), (1) and (3) and (B) through (D), 1703(A), (B)(introductory paragraph), (C)(introductory paragraph), (1), and (2)(introductory paragraph), and (D), and 1705(A) and (B) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
 - §10. Annual report to governor; estimate of proposed expenditures; particular funds; limitations on purposes for use of monies in particular funds <u>and accounts</u>; warrants; vouchers; surplus funds
 - B.(1) Subject to the exception contained in Article VII, Section 9(A) of the Constitution of Louisiana, all funds collected by the commission from every source shall be paid into the state treasury and shall be credited to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall, prior to placing such remaining funds in the state general fund, conform to the following:
 - (d) Pay annually into a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> created in the state treasury and designated as the Louisiana Duck License, Stamp, and Print <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u> all amounts received pursuant to the Louisiana Duck License, Stamp, and Print Program provided for in R.S. 56:151 et seq. and such other funds as are specifically appropriated by the legislature. <u>Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>
 - (5) The monies in the Louisiana Duck License, Stamp, and Print <u>Dedicated</u> Fund Account shall be used solely for the programs and purposes associated with the

Louisiana Duck License, Stamp, and Print Program as provided by R.S. 56:151 et seq. in the amounts appropriated each year to the department by the legislature.

(7)(a) The monies in the Louisiana Wild Turkey <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u> shall be used solely for the programs and purposes associated with the Louisiana Wild Turkey Program as provided by R.S. <u>56:161</u> <u>56:164</u> et seq. in the amounts appropriated each year to the department by the legislature.

D. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the Louisiana Seafood Promotion and Marketing Fund, the Oyster Development Fund, the Shrimp Marketing and Promotion Fund, the Crab Promotion and Marketing Fund, the Louisiana Duck License, Stamp, and Print <u>Dedicated Fund Account</u>, the Louisiana Wild Turkey <u>Dedicated Fund Account</u>, and the Conservation Fund at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the respective funds. The monies in the these funds and accounts shall be invested by the treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund. All interest earned on monies invested by the treasurer shall be deposited in the respective funds <u>or accounts</u>. The state treasurer shall prepare and submit to the department on a quarterly basis a printed report showing the amount of money contained in the funds and accounts from all sources.

§10.1. Aquatic Plant Control <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>; creation; uses

A. There is hereby created in the state treasury the Aquatic Plant Control <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>, hereafter referred to in this <u>Section</u> as the "account".

- B. After compliance with the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana relative to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, and after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all of the obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within any fiscal year, the treasurer shall pay into the Aquatic Plant Control Fund account an amount equal to the monies received by the state treasury pursuant to the provisions of R.S. 47:462(B)(2)(c) and R.S. 30:961(K). The monies in this fund the account shall be used solely as provided in Subsection C of this Section and only in the amount appropriated by the legislature. All unexpended and unencumbered monies remaining in this fund the account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. The monies in the fund account shall be invested by the state treasurer in the same manner as monies in the state general fund and all returns of such investment shall be deposited to the fund account. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.
- C. Subject to an annual appropriation by the legislature, the monies in the Aquatic Plant Control Fund account shall be used solely by the office of fisheries, Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, to fund the aquatic plant control program and to fund cooperative research and public education efforts by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries and the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center relative to aquatic weed control and eradication and aquatic invasive species control and eradication. An amount not to exceed fifteen percent of the annual appropriation shall be used to fund research and public education efforts relative to aquatic weed control and eradication by the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center. The funds appropriated pursuant to the provisions of this Section shall be in addition to any other amounts appropriated by the legislature.

§164. Louisiana Wild Turkey <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>; purposes

A. Funds received by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries pursuant to the sale of wild turkey licenses shall be placed in the Louisiana Wild Turkey Dedicated Fund Account as provided by R.S. 56:10(B). Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.

B. Subject to appropriation, the monies in the Louisiana Wild Turkey <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u> shall be used:

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§700.2. Establishment, continuance, and purposes of fund; geographical coverage; assessments

A. There is hereby established in the state treasury a Fishermen's Gear Compensation Dedicated Fund Account, hereafter referred to in this Section as the "account", into which amounts paid pursuant to this Section shall be deposited. Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature. The fund account shall be available to the secretary only for the following purposes:

(1) Administrative and personnel expenses of the fund account.

- (3) Expenses necessary to implement an investigatory survey of existing potential underwater obstructions which might be due to past drilling, production, and transportation activities. Such survey shall be conducted in not more than three geographical areas which are known to be hazardous as a result of underwater obstructions, the locations and sizes of which shall be approved by the Senate Committee on Natural Resources and the House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment, meeting jointly, following a consensus of opinion relative thereto rendered by commercial fishermen and the secretary. The purpose of the survey shall be to reveal the location, size, and density of underwater obstructions, as well as to test investigatory procedures, so as to provide field data and information which might aid fishermen directly and which shall be used to design a program more responsive to the needs of fishermen. Withdrawals from the fund account for the purposes of surveying shall be limited to the one-time application described in this Paragraph and shall not exceed one-fourth of the monies remaining in the fund at the time that this Paragraph becomes effective.
- B. The Fishermen's Gear Compensation Fund account shall be established for Louisiana territorial waters which overlie state-owned waterbottoms which are contained within the coastal zone boundaries as described and established by R.S. 49:213.4.
- C.(1) The fund shall be established within sixty days of the effective date of this Part, at a level sufficient to meet administrative and personnel expenses of the fund, including implementation of responsibilities set forth in R.S. 56:700.5, as well as payment of justified claims made pursuant to this Part.
- (2)(a) To create a workable balance immediately upon establishment of the fund, the The secretary shall be authorized and empowered to levy a fee upon each lessee of a state mineral lease and each grantee of a state right of way, for each lease and right of way in effect at the time of the effective date of this Part and which are located within the coastal zone boundary, in an amount of three hundred dollars. The secretary shall not be authorized and empowered to levy the fee upon a political subdivision of the state.
- (b) The state treasurer shall be authorized to pay into the fund account a sum in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars from proceeds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after compliance with dedications of mineral royalties, leases, bonuses, and rights of way and other sums payable to the state as lessor of mineral leases and grantor of rights of way as required pursuant to R.S. 30:136(B) and 136.1(A), (B), and (C), after a sufficient amount has been allocated from the Bond Security and Redemption Fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state which become due and payable within the fiscal year.
- D. In the same fiscal year during which the fund is established, and in each fiscal year subsequent to that in which the fund is established, at any time that If the balance of the fund becomes two hundred fifty thousand dollars or less and the secretary determines that additional monies are required to pay justified claims and to cover necessary administrative costs of the program, the secretary shall be authorized and empowered to replenish the fund account by levying additional fees on each lessee of a state mineral lease and each grantee of a state right of way, for

each lease or right of way in effect at the time of establishing the fee rate and which are located within the coastal zone boundary. However, fees levied upon leases and rights of way as provided herein shall be made on a per-unit basis at a level not to exceed one thousand dollars per lease or right of way during any fiscal year.

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§1703. The Louisiana State Parks Improvement and Repair <u>Dedicated</u> Fund Account

- A. There is hereby established in the state treasury a special <u>statutorily dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> to be known as the "Louisiana State Parks Improvement and Repair <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>", hereinafter referred to <u>in this Section</u> as the "fund" "account". <u>Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and selfgenerated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>
- B. Out of the funds remaining in the Bond Security and Redemption Fund after a sufficient amount is allocated from that fund to pay all obligations secured by the full faith and credit of the state that become due and payable within a fiscal year, the treasurer in each fiscal year shall pay into the fund account all of the following:
- C. Except as provided in Paragraph (B)(2) of this Section, the monies in the fund account shall be used solely for the purpose of financing improvements and repairs at state parks in the state and shall be allocated, subject to appropriation by the legislature, as follows:
- (1) Except as provided in R.S. 56:1704, fifty percent of the monies in the fund account shall be allocated to each state park in an amount equal to fifty percent of the amount of fees and other self-generated funds generated by that park.
- (2) Fifty percent of the monies in the <u>fund account</u> shall be allocated for use throughout the state park system on the following priority need basis, as recommended by the assistant secretary of the office of state parks:
- D. All unexpended and unencumbered monies in the <u>fund account</u> at the end of a fiscal year shall remain in the <u>fund account</u> and be available for appropriation in the next fiscal year in the same manner as allocated herein. Monies in the <u>fund account</u> shall be invested as provided by law. Interest earned on the investment of monies in the <u>fund</u> account shall be credited to the state general fund.

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§1705. Poverty Point Reservoir Development Dedicated Fund Account

- A. The Poverty Point Reservoir Development <u>Dedicated</u> Fund <u>Account</u>, hereinafter referred to as the <u>"fund" "account"</u>, is hereby established as a special <u>dedicated</u> fund <u>account</u> within the state treasury. <u>Monies deposited into the account shall be categorized as fees and self-generated revenue for the sole purpose of reporting related to the executive budget, supporting documents, and general appropriation bills and shall be available for annual appropriation by the legislature.</u>
- B. After satisfaction of the requirements of Article VII, Section 9(B) of the Constitution of Louisiana with respect to the Bond Security and Redemption Fund, the state treasurer shall each year deposit in and credit to the fund account an amount equal to the total fees and self-generated revenues collected in that year from activities of the Poverty Point Retirement Development Community and the Black Bear Golf Course. Monies in the fund may be appropriated for support of the operation, maintenance, improvement, and expansion of the Poverty Point Retirement Development Community and the Black Bear Golf Course. Any unexpended or unencumbered monies on deposit in the fund account at the end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund account. Monies in the fund account shall be invested in the same manner as those in the state general fund and interest earned on such investment shall be deposited in and credited to the state general fund.

Section 15. R.S. 9:154.2, 41:1615, and 56:1706 and 1844 are hereby repealed in their entirety.

Section 16. The Louisiana Law Institute is hereby directed to make corrections to the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 as necessary to conform to the provisions of Sections 3 through 15 of this Act, including changing the names of funds amended in this Act and any internal references to such amended funds that exist within the statutes, including changing references to "fund" to "account" or "trust account" as necessary.

Section 17. The state treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to transfer to the state general fund any unencumbered balances remaining in the funds repealed pursuant to Section 15 of this Act, after satisfying the appropriations for Fiscal Year 2021-2022."

9 AMENDMENT NO. 7

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On page 2, at the beginning of line 14, change "Section 3." to "Section 18."