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**SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Senators Dupre and Hainkel to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 214 by Senator Dupre.

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1     AMENDMENT NO. 1

2     On page 1, line 4, after “to provide for” add “credit and”

3     AMENDMENT NO. 2

4     On page 1, line 7, change “eliminate” to “provide for”

5     AMENDMENT NO. 3

6     On page 3, line 3, immediately after “source” insert a semicolon “;” and add  
7     the following:

8             “provided that the balance of the fund which consists of mineral  
9             revenues from severance taxes, royalty payments, bonus payments, or  
10            rentals shall not exceed ~~forty million dollars~~ **an amount provided by**  
11            **law**

12    AMENDMENT NO. 4

13    On page 3, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

14            “However, the balance of the fund which consists of mineral  
15            revenues from severance taxes, royalty payments, bonus payments, or  
16            rentals shall not exceed ~~forty million dollars~~ **an amount provided by**  
17            **law.**

18    AMENDMENT NO. 5

19    On page 3, line 24, after “fund” insert a semicolon “;” and add the following:

20            “however, the balance of the fund which consists of mineral revenues  
21            from severance taxes, royalty payments, bonus payments, or rentals  
22            shall not exceed ~~forty million dollars~~ **an amount provided by law**

23    AMENDMENT NO. 6

24    On page 4, delete lines 7 through 19 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof  
25    the following:

26            "~~(C) The legislature may annually appropriate monies in the~~  
27            ~~Mineral Revenue Audit and Settlement Fund~~ **After making the**  
28            **allocations provided for in Paragraph (A), the treasurer shall credit**  
29            **twenty-five million dollars to the Wetlands Conservation and**  
30            **Restoration Fund, and thereafter any monies credited to the fund**  
31            **in any fiscal year may be annually appropriated by the legislature**  
32            only for the purposes of retirement in advance of maturity through  
33            redemption, purchase, or repayment of debt of the state ~~or of the~~  
34            ~~Louisiana Recovery District, or both,~~ pursuant to a plan proposed by the  
35            State Bond Commission to maximize savings to the state; ~~or to provide~~  
36            for payments against the unfunded accrued liability of the public  
37            retirement systems which are in addition to any payments required for  
38            the annual amortization of the unfunded accrued liability of the public

1 retirement systems, required by Article X, Section 29 of this  
2 constitution; however, any such payment to the public retirement  
3 systems shall not be used, directly or indirectly, to fund cost-of-living  
4 increases for such systems; **and for deposit in the Wetlands**  
5 **Conservation and Restoration Fund.**"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 7

7 On page 5, line 1, delete "Authorizes" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

8 "Requires that twenty-five million, in excess of certain monies, be  
9 deposited in the Wetlands Conservation and Restoration Fund each year  
10 and authorizes"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 8

12 On page 5, delete lines 5 through 10 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

13 "Settlement Fund to retire in advance of maturity debt of the Louisiana  
14 Recovery District and provides for a cap in revenues to the Wetlands  
15 Conservation and Restoration Fund to be provided by law. (Amends  
16 Article VII.)"