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Present law (R.S. 39:112(C)(1)) provides that capital outlay budget requests submitted after November 1st may be included in the capital outlay act if the request meets all of the requirements as provided for in R.S. 39:101 and 102 and if the following conditions have been met:

- (1) The project is an economic development project recommended by the secretary of the Department of Economic Development.
- (2) The project is determined to be an emergency by the commissioner of administration.
- (3) The project is for a nonstate entity, has a total cost of less than one million dollars, and has been approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on Capital Outlay (JLCCO) by February 1st.
- (4) The project is located in a designated disaster area because of a national or state declared disaster.
- (5) The project is a state-owned and administered project, including a public post secondary education institution.

Proposed law retains present law and further requires that economic development projects recommended by the secretary of the Department of Economic Development and projects deemed to be an emergency by the commissioner of administration receive approval from the JLCCO.

Present law provides that nonstate projects shall require a local match of not less than 25% of the total amount of the project but provides for certain exceptions.

Proposed law retains present law and requires that projects deemed to be an emergency and exempt from providing the 25% local match, by the commissioner of administration, must also receive approval from the JLCCO.

Proposed law requires the commissioner to submit emergency projects to JLCCO for review and JLCCO to meet to review emergency projects for approval within 30 days of receipt from the commissioner. Further requires approval of emergency projects if the JLCCO does not meet within the thirty-day review period.

Proposed law requires the commissioner of administration to provide an annual report, no later than February 1st, of projects exempt from providing a 25% local match, to the JLCCO, House Ways &

Means, and Senate Revenue & Fiscal Affairs.

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

(Amends R.S. 39:112(C)(1)(b), and (E)(2)(a); adds R.S. 39:112(E)(3))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Revenue and Fiscal Affairs to the original bill

1. Requires JLCCO approval of late capital outlay budget requests for economic development projects recommended by the secretary of the Dept. of Economic Development.
2. Requires JLCCO to meet to review emergency projects exempted from providing a local match for approval within 30 days of receipt from the commissioner.
3. Requires approval of emergency projects if the JLCCO does not meet within the thirty-day review period.