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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Gallot to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 by Senator Broome

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, insert "Disaster"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 5, after "unallocated" and before "Community" insert "Disaster"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 2, line 2, after "allocate" and before "Community" insert "Disaster"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 4

8 On page 2, line 15, after "unallocated" and before "Community" insert "Disaster"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 5

10 On page 2, at the end of line 18, delete "cost due" and at the beginning of line 19, change
11 "to" to "costs resulting from"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 6

13 On page 2, at the beginning of line 25, insert "Disaster"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 7

15 On page 2, line 28, after "unallocated" and before "Community" insert "Disaster"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 8

17 On page 2, between lines 29 and 30, insert the following:

18 "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that:

19 A. The Louisiana Recovery Authority shall report quarterly to the Joint
20 Legislative Committee on the Budget and the Joint Municipal, Parochial and Cultural
21 Affairs Committee of the legislature on the progress of all program expenditures
22 under the Community Development Block Grant disaster recovery program
23 including Louisiana Bridge Loan, Louisiana Tourism Marketing, Recovery
24 Workforce Training, Research Commercialization/Educational Enhancement, Small
25 Firm Recovery Loan and Grant, Technical Assistance to Small Firms, Building Code
26 Enforcement, First Time Homebuyer Pilot Program, Homelessness Supports,
27 Homeowners Assistance, Housing Development Loan Fund, Land Assembly
28 Operations, LIHTC/CDBF Piggyback, Small Rental Property, Supportive Housing
29 Services, Support to Community Based Programs, Fisheries Assistance,
30 Infrastructure Program Delivery, Local Government Long Term Community

1 Recovery, Primary and Secondary Education, Ratepayer Mitigation, Environmental
 2 Clearance, and Planning Capacity.

3 B. The Louisiana Recovery Authority shall provide an analysis of potentially
 4 unused funds within programs to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget and
 5 the Joint Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs Committee of the legislature by
 6 September 30, 2009, and through its federal and state required processes, develop
 7 action plan amendments for public comment to redirect funds to unmet needs within
 8 the parishes that suffered damage to more than sixty percent of the housing following
 9 Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. Plans for allocations or action plan amendments shall
 10 be made by December 31, 2009.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Louisiana Recovery Authority post
 12 on the Louisiana Recovery Authority/Office of Community Development websites,
 13 unedited, all quarterly legislative reports, plans for allocations, and analyses of
 14 potentially unused funds, and distribute said reports to housing advocates and
 15 stakeholders through the Housing Working Group established below.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a working group be assembled to
 17 develop proactive strategies for housing ALL Louisiana citizens, both those who
 18 may be impacted by future natural disasters as well as those who may not.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the working group consists of, at a
 20 minimum, representatives from lead state agencies in the area of housing including
 21 the Louisiana Recovery Authority/Office of Community Development, the Louisiana
 22 Housing Finance Agency, and the Department of Social Services, and representatives
 23 from the non-profit community including but not limited to the Louisiana Housing
 24 Alliance, the Louisiana Association of Nonprofit Organizations, the Greater New
 25 Orleans Fair Housing Action Center Louisiana Disaster Recovery Foundation, Policy
 26 Links, and the Louisiana Advocacy Coalition for the Homeless."