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HB 584 Engrossed

2021 Regular Session

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Abstract: Appropriates funds for FY 2021-2022 for expenses of the Louisiana Judiciary, including the supreme court, courts of appeal, district courts, Criminal Court of Orleans Parish, juvenile and family courts, and other courts.

Appropriates funds for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 for the ordinary operating expenses of the judicial branch of government with total funding of \$190,768,369 from the following sources: \$171,134,594 out of the State General Fund (Direct); \$9,392,850 out of Interagency Transfers; and \$10,240,925 from statutory dedications out of the Judges' Supplemental Compensation Fund and the Trial Court Case Management Fund. Appropriations from State General Fund (Direct) shall be reduced by \$9,626,155 pursuant to a plan adopted by the Judicial Budgetary Control Board or as approved by the La. Supreme Court.

Funding for the ordinary operating expenses of the judicial branch of government is provided in the original bill as follows:

<u>F</u>	<u>FY 21 EOB</u>			<u>FY 22 REC</u>		
Louisiana Supreme Court	\$	75,803,765		\$	84,839,823	
Courts of Appeal		47,672,641			50,466,469	
District Courts		39,465,851			41,811,498	
Criminal Court, Parish of Orleans		6,353,696			6,754,357	
Juvenile and Family Courts		2,588,425			2,716,735	
Other Courts (Required by Statute)		3,242,164			3,417,084	
Other Programs		675,187			762,403	
Total Funding	\$	175,801,729		\$	190,768,369	

Effective July 1, 2021

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Appropriations</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:

1. Add requirement that appropriations from State General Fund (Direct) contained in this Act be reduced by a total amount of \$9,626,155 pursuant to a plan adopted by the Judicial Budgetary Control Board or as approved by the La. Supreme Court.

2. Make technical changes.