ACT No. 209

HOUSE BILL NO. 584

BY REPRESENTATIVES LYONS, CHASSION, AND KNOX

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 15:951(C) and (E) and to enact R.S. 15:827.3(A)(2)(d), relative
3	to children; to provide relative to the Back on Track Youth Pilot Program; to provide
4	relative to allocation of certain monies; to provide for administration of the program;
5	to provide for an intermediary; to provide relative to the definition of "youth or
6	youths"; and to provide for related matters.
7	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
8	Section 1. R.S. 15:951(C) and (E) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.
9	15:827.3(A)(2)(d) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
10	§827.3. Savings attributable to criminal justice reforms; data collection and
1	reporting requirements to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget
12	A.
13	* * *
14	(2) Each fiscal year, the annual savings shall be allocated as follows:
15	* * *
16	(d) Fifteen percent shall be allocated to the Louisiana Children's Trust Fund
17	Board to administer and operate the Back on Track Youth Pilot Program as provided
18	<u>in R.S. 15:951.</u>
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20	§951. Back on Track Youth Pilot Program
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1 C.(1) This program shall be administered by selected nonprofit groups as 2 well as the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, the Department of Children 3 and Family Services, the Department of Education, and the Louisiana Workforce 4 Commission, and the Louisiana Children's Trust Fund Board. (2) The Louisiana Children's Trust Fund Board is hereby named as the 5 intermediary of the program with the authority to manage or administer funds and 6 7 address any changes in program funding as needed. 8 9 E. For the purposes of this Section, "youth or youths" shall mean a person 10 who has not attained eighteen at least sixteen years of age and not more than twenty-11 four years of age. SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

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