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HB No. 1174

Abstract: Appropriates funds for FY 2008-2009 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 2008-2009 for the ordinary operating expenses of the judicial branch of government with total funding of \$146,357,762 from the following sources: \$131,330,951 out of the State General Fund (Direct); \$6,936,000 through interagency transfers from the Department of Social Services; and \$8,087,811 from statutory dedications out of the Judges' Supplemental Compensation Fund, Trial Court Case Management Fund, and the Patients' Compensation Fund.

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

(1)	Louisiana Supreme Court	\$ 64,720,808
(2)	Courts of Appeal	40,329,998
(3)	District Courts	30,750,018
(4)	Criminal Court, Parish of Orleans	5,315,673
(5)	Juvenile and Family Courts	2,118,335
(6)	Other Courts (Required by Statute)	2,521,581
(7)	Other Courts (Not Required by Statute)	<u>601,349</u>
	TOTAL <u>\$</u>	<u>146,357,762</u>

Effective July 1, 2008.