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**HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by Representative Katrina Jackson to Re-Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 185 by Senator Murray

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 10, after "payments;" and before "and to" insert "to provide for cooperative  
3 endeavor agreements between state-owned hospitals and non-state entities which obligate  
4 Medicaid program funds; to provide for severability; to provide for effectiveness;"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

6 Delete House Committee Amendment No. 21 proposed by the House Committee on Health  
7 and Welfare and adopted by the House on June 2, 2013.

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 9, delete lines 24 through 28 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

10 "Section 3.(A) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, no  
11 cooperative endeavor agreement for operation or management, or both operation and  
12 management, of a state-owned hospital by a non-state entity and which includes provisions  
13 for Medicaid reimbursement that is not in effect on May 23, 2013, shall take effect unless  
14 and until the agreement is approved by a favorable vote of a majority of the elected members  
15 of each house of the legislature. Such vote shall be conducted by mail ballot if the  
16 legislature is not convened in session at such time that the agreement is presented to the  
17 legislature for approval.

18 (B) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, no amendment to a  
19 cooperative endeavor agreement for operation or management, or both operation and  
20 management, of a state-owned hospital by a non-state entity and which agreement includes  
21 provisions for Medicaid reimbursement shall take effect unless and until the amendment is  
22 approved by a favorable vote of a majority of the elected members of each house of the  
23 legislature. Such vote shall be conducted by mail ballot if the legislature is not convened in  
24 session at such time that the agreement is presented to the legislature for approval.

25 Section 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the  
26 commissioner of administration is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the amount  
27 necessary from the Medicaid program in the Department of Health and Hospitals to the  
28 Louisiana State University Health Care Services Division and the Louisiana State University  
29 Health Sciences Center - Shreveport to fund any hospital or hospitals under the management  
30 of such agencies necessary to fund such hospitals for which a cooperative endeavor  
31 agreement for the operation, management, or operation and management of a state-owned  
32 hospital by a non-state entity and which includes provisions for Medicaid reimbursement  
33 under a public-private partnership has not been effectuated until such time that an agreement  
34 is in effect. As provided herein, a hospital under the management of the Louisiana State  
35 University Health Care Services Division means the state hospitals known as W.O. Moss  
36 Regional Medical Center, Bogalusa Medical Center, and Leonard J. Chabert Medical Center  
37 and a hospital under the management of Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center -  
38 Shreveport means the state hospitals known as LSU Medical Center Shreveport, E.A.  
39 Conway Medical Center, and Huey P. Long Medical Center. Once a cooperative endeavor

1 agreement for the operation, management, or operation and management of a state-owned  
2 hospital by a non-state entity under a public-private partnership is in effect for the hospital,  
3 such payment transfers from the Department of Health and Hospitals for that hospital as  
4 provided for herein shall cease.

5           Section 5. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof is held invalid, such  
6 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Act which can be given  
7 effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this  
8 Act are hereby declared severable.

9           Section 6. This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2013."