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## DIGEST

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HB No. 1041

**Abstract:** Creates the La. Healthcare Freedom Legal Fund to be used by the Department of Justice to defend the state's healthcare policy decisions regarding implementation, enforcement, and alternatives to the Affordable Care Act.

Proposed law creates the La. Healthcare Freedom Legal Fund as a special treasury fund and further provides that the source of monies for the fund may include any appropriation by the legislature, including federal funds; any public or private donations, gifts, or grants from individuals, corporations, nonprofit organizations, or other business entities; and any other monies which may be provided by law.

Proposed law provides that monies in the fund shall be appropriated to the Dept. of Justice to defend the state's healthcare policy decisions regarding implementation, enforcement, and alternatives to the Affordable Care Act.

(Adds R.S. 49:260)