

SENATE BILL NO. 130

BY SENATOR JOHNS

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 48:753(G), relative to the Parish Transportation Fund; to provide relative to
3 funds distributed to Calcasieu Parish; to authorize the use of funds for the
4 beautification of rights-of-way along Interstates 10 and 210 within Calcasieu Parish;
5 to authorize the use of funds for certain capacity improvements within Calcasieu
6 Parish; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 48:753(G) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §753. Use of the fund

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11 **G.(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, and**
12 **particularly any contrary provision of this Section, the governing authority of**
13 **Calcasieu Parish may use a portion of the monies it has been allocated from the**
14 **Parish Transportation Fund to perform additional work as follows:**

15 **(a) To fund or perform landscaping and maintenance improvements**
16 **along interstate highway rights-of-way within Calcasieu Parish.**

17 **(b) To fund or construct capacity improvements to state highways within**
18 **Calcasieu Parish in accordance with Louisiana Department of Transportation**
19 **and Development standards.**

1 (2) The additional work shall be performed, provided that the project
2 cost does not exceed the contract limit as defined by R.S. 38:2212, and provided
3 that the Calcasieu Parish governing authority indemnifies the state for any loss
4 or injury arising therefrom.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____