HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2020 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Original House Bill No. 105 by Representative Zeringue

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 In the set of committee amendments (No. 2408) adopted by the House Committee on
- 3 Appropriations on May 21, 2020, delete amendment no. 123.

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

- 5 On page 65, between lines 22 and 23, insert in lieu thereof:
- 6 "Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the Louisiana Department of
- 7 Health shall check income eligibility utilizing a three-month rolling average income for
- 8 all enrollees in the Medicaid program. Beginning in October, the Louisiana Department
- 9 of Health shall submit a report each month to the Joint Legislative Committee on the
- Budget certifying that one hundred percent of the Medicaid enrollee population has been
- subject to an eligibility check within the last three months. The report shall include the
- number of enrollees found ineligible, the number of enrollees disenrolled, and the
- 13 number of people re-enrolled after disenrollment within the last three months.
- Notwithstanding any provision of law or this Act to the contrary, once the federal
- 15 disenrollment restrictions relative to increased Federal Medical Assistance Percentage
- have been lifted, if enrollees do not meet eligibility requirements within thirty days of the
- eligibility check, no additional funds herein appropriated or authorized later through a
- 18 BA-7 in any means of finance may be used for Medicaid services for any enrollee failing
- 19 to meet the eligibility standards financially. After becoming ineligible, an applicant has
- 20 thirty days to appeal their claim of disenrollment."