SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Engrossed House Bill No. 348 by Representative Arnold

1 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 1</u>

- 2 On page 1, line 4, after "records;" insert
- 3 "to declare certain funds as abandoned unclaimed property and provide for their
- 4 disposition in accordance with the Uniform Unclaimed Property Act;"

5 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 2</u>

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6 On page 2, after line 8, insert

"Section 2. The provisions of this Section shall apply to the Crescent City Connection Toll Fund. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, on the effective date of this Section any funds remaining in all Crescent City Connection GeauxPass toll tag accounts that are clearly identified by name and address shall be deemed abandoned funds for the purposes of treatment as unclaimed property. Such funds shall be immediately reported and transferred to the state treasurer in his capacity as administrator of the Uniform Unclaimed Property Act. The state treasurer shall provide in accordance with such Act for the return of the funds to their owners. For the purposes of this Section, holder requirements under R.S. 9:159(E) shall be deemed waived.

Section 3. This provisions of Section 2 of this Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval."