

Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 16

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

APPROPRIATIONS/JUDGMENT: Appropriates funds for the payment of judgment against DOTD in the matter of "Debra A Warden v. Amy Leblanc Richoux, et al"

1 AN ACT

2 To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2011-  
3 2012 to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled "Debra A. Warden v. Amy  
4 LeBlanc Richoux, et al"; to provide for interest; to provide for court costs; to provide  
5 for future medical expenses; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1.A. The sum of One Million Four Hundred Ninety-One Thousand Nine  
8 Hundred and No/100 (\$1,491,900.00) Dollars, plus legal interest from March 6, 2002 until  
9 paid, plus court costs in the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-Eight  
10 and 61/100 (\$25,948.61) Dollars, is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state  
11 of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2011-2012 to be used to pay the judgment in the suit entitled  
12 "Debra A. Warden v. Amy LeBlanc Richoux, et al", bearing Number 578-136, Division M,  
13 on the docket of the Twenty-Fourth Judicial District Court, parish of Jefferson, state of  
14 Louisiana.

15 B. Monies awarded in this judgment to Debra A. Warden in the amount of Fifty-  
16 Three Thousand Nine Hundred Nine and No/100 (\$53,909.00) Dollars shall be payable as  
17 incurred from the Future Medical Care Fund pursuant to R.S. 39:1533.2.

18 Section 2. The judgment provided for in Section 1 hereof shall be deemed to have  
19 been paid on the effective date of this Act and legal interest shall cease to run as of that date.

1           Section 3. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2011; if vetoed by the governor  
2 and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1,  
3 2011, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later.

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DIGEST

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Appropriates from the state general fund for FY 2011-2012 the sum of \$1,491,900, plus interest and costs, to pay the judgment in "Debra A. Warden v. Amy LeBlanc Richoux, et al", bearing No. 578-136, Div. M, on the docket of the 24th JDC, parish of Jefferson. Monies awarded for future medical expenses shall be paid from the Future Medical Care Fund.

Effective July 1, 2011.