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HOUSE BILL NO. 628

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

APPROPRIATIONS/JUDGMENT: Appropriates funds for payment of judgment in the matter of "Rickey Johnson v. State of La."

1 AN ACT 2 To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2012-3 2013 to be used to pay the judgment for additional benefits for wrongful 4 incarceration in the suit entitled "Rickey Johnson v. State of Louisiana"; and to 5 provide for related matters. 6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 7 Section 1. The sum of Sixty-Five Thousand and No/100 (\$65,000.00) Dollars is 8 hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2012-9 2013 to be used to pay the judgment for additional benefits for wrongful incarceration in the 10 suit entitled "Rickey Johnson v. State of Louisiana", bearing Number 60,648 on the docket 11 of the Eleventh Judicial District Court, parish of Sabine, state of Louisiana. 12 Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2012; if vetoed by the governor 13 and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 14 2012, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later.

## **DIGEST**

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Appropriates from the state general fund for FY 2012-2013 the sum of \$65,000 to pay the judgment in "Rickey Johnson v. St. of La.", bearing No. 60,648 on the docket of the 11th JDC, parish of Sabine.

Effective July 1, 2012.