

Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 146

BY REPRESENTATIVE GARY SMITH

APPROPRIATIONS/JUDGMENT: Appropriates funds for payment of judgment against DOTD in the matter of "Edward Farrell, et al v. Frank Bedell, et al" consolidated with "Leila Marie Tassin, et al v. Frank Bedell, 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 "Edward Farrell, et al v.
4 Frank Bedell, Custom Bus Charters, Inc., represented by its president, Donna
5 BeGovich, and their insurance company, Reliance Insurance Company, Casino
6 Magic Corporation and the insurers of Custom Bus Charters, Inc., and Casino Magic
7 Corporation" consolidated with "Leila Marie Tassin, wife of/and Irving C. Tassin,
8 Jr. v. Frank Bedell, Custom Bus Charters, Inc. represented by its president, Donna
9 BeGovich, Casino Magic and the insurers of Frank Bedell, Custom Bus Charters,
10 Inc. and Casino Magic"; to provide for interest; to provide for court costs; and to
11 provide for related matters.

12 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

13 Section 1. The sum of Seventy-Five Thousand and No/100 (\$75,000.00) Dollars to
14 plaintiff, Edith F. LaGrange, as the Administrator of the Estate of Edward Louis Farrell,
15 plus legal interest from May 5, 2000, until paid, plus court costs in the amount of Four
16 Hundred Twenty and 75/100 (\$420.75) Dollars, is hereby appropriated out of the General
17 Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2011-2012 to be used to pay the judgment in
18 the suit entitled "Edward Farrell, et al v. Frank Bedell, Custom Bus Charters, Inc.,
19 represented by its president, Donna BeGovich, and their insurance company, Reliance
20 Insurance Company, Casino Magic Corporation and the insurers of Custom Bus Charters,
21 Inc., and Casino Magic Corporation" consolidated with "Leila Marie Tassin, wife of/and

1 Irving C. Tassin, Jr. v. Frank Bedell, Custom Bus Charters, Inc. represented by its president,
2 Donna BeGovich, Casino Magic and the insurers of Frank Bedell, Custom Bus Charters, Inc.
3 and Casino Magic", bearing Numbers 2000-07026, Division M, Section 8, and 1999-07665,
4 Division B, Section 15, respectively, on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of
5 Orleans, state of Louisiana.

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

8 Section 3. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2011; if vetoed by the governor
9 and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1,
10 2011, 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 2011-2012 the sum of \$75,000, plus interest and costs, to pay the judgment in "Edward Farrell, et al v. Frank Bedell, et al" c/w "Leila Marie Tassin, et al v. Frank Bedell, et al", bearing Nos. 2000-07026, Div. M, Sec. 8, and 1999-07665, Div. B, Sec. 15, on the docket of the Civil District Court, parish of Orleans.

Effective July 1, 2011.