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Mr. Alfred W. Speer
Clerk of the House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804

Mr. Glenn Koepp
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804

RE: House Bill No. 76 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature by Representative Fannin provides for ancillary expenses of state government

Dear Gentlemen:

As authorized by Article III, Section 18(B), and more particularly, Article IV, Section 5(G)(1) of the Constitution of Louisiana, I have exercised my right to veto 32 items of the Ancillary Expenses of Government bill. I respectfully request that you deliver on my behalf the following message to the members of the Legislature:

By working together, we passed a responsible budget that makes targeted reductions while protecting critical services for our state, and helping to prepare us for future budget challenges. Some wanted to see more reductions to higher education and healthcare. Others wanted to restore funding for some of the reductions. No one got everything they wanted, but we have passed a good budget.

While protecting critical services and streamlining government operations, the FY 11 Budget includes more than \$1 billion less in General Fund direct funding. This means that the FY 11 Budget reflects a decrease of more than \$4 billion compared to the FY 10 total budget.

The FY 11 Budget also reduces the number of full-time, appropriated positions in the executive branch by 2,945. Following prior reductions of 3,326 full-time appropriated positions through budgetary actions in FY 09 and FY 10, approval of this FY 11 recommendation would mean a total of 6,271 fulltime, appropriated positions reduced since 2008.

I appreciate your support and the work we have done together to streamline and reform government, as reflected in this budget, and in our future work together on behalf of the people of Louisiana.

This letter is to communicate that I have vetoed items in House Bill No. 76, as follows:

Veto Message No. 1
Page 17, lines 38-41:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 2
Page 17, lines 42-46:

This item did not meet our NGO criteria. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 3
Page 18, lines 29-32:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 4
Page 18, lines 33-36:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 5
Page 19, lines 17-20:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 6
Page 19, lines 21-25:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 7
Page 21, lines 7-11:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 8
Page 21, lines 43-46:

Corrections services recently renegotiated the contract with the private operator in order to lower the per diem and achieve savings. Providing an inflation adjustment would negate the savings achieved as a result of these negotiations. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 9
Page 22, lines 2-5:

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Veto Message No. 10
Page 22, lines 7-10:

The Table of Organization (TO) positions and funding contained in Act 11 of the 2010 Regular Session of the Legislature (HB 1 of 2010) provide sufficient positions for this facility. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 11
Page 24, lines 22-25:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 12
Page 38, lines 30-33:

This item is duplicative. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 13
Page 39, lines 11-14:

This item is duplicative. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 14
Page 39, lines 24-28:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 15

Page 39, lines 41-43:

This item is duplicative. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 16

Page 39, lines 44-46:

This item is duplicative. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 17

Page 40, lines 16-18:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 18

Page 40, lines 22-24:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 19

Page 40, lines 29-32:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 20

Page 41, lines 34-36:

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Veto Message No. 21

Page 42, lines 40-42:

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Veto Message No. 22

Page 44, lines 16-18:

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Veto Message No. 23

Page 44, lines 31-34:

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Veto Message No. 24

Page 44, lines 35-38:

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Veto Message No. 25

Page 44, lines 39-41:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 26

Page 44, lines 42-44:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 27

Page 44, lines 45-47:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 28

Page 54, lines 20-23:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 29

Page 55, lines 36-39:

This item should be funded from other sources. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 30

Page 55, lines 43-46:

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Veto Message No. 31

Page 58, lines 42-44:

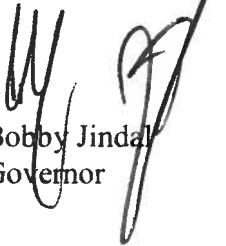
This item did not meet our NGO criteria. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Veto Message No. 32

Page 59, lines 7-9:

This item did not meet our NGO criteria. Therefore, I am vetoing this item.

Sincerely,



Bobby Jindal
Governor