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3 By Senator Orr
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill makes a supplemental appropriation
9 from the Education Trust Fund to the Department of
10 Veterans' Affairs in the amount of \$5,041,468 for
11 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017; amends
12 Act 2016-199, the Education Trust Fund
13 Appropriations Act, regarding the appropriation to
14 the Alabama Historical Commission; and provides for
15 unexpended funds of certain agencies remaining on
16 September 30, 2017 to be reappropriated for the
17 fiscal year beginning October 1, 2018.

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A BILL

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TO BE ENTITLED

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AN ACT

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To make a supplemental appropriation from the
24 Education Trust Fund to the Department of Veterans' Affairs in
25 the amount of \$5,041,468 for the fiscal year ending September
26 30, 2017; to amend Section 3B(21) of Act 2016-199, regarding
27 the appropriation to the Alabama Historical Commission; and to



1 provide that any unexpended funds of certain agencies
2 remaining on September 30, 2017 shall be reappropriated for
3 the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2018.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

5 Section 1. In addition to all other appropriations
6 heretofore or hereafter made, there is hereby appropriated
7 \$5,041,468 from the Education Trust Fund to the Department of
8 Veterans' Affairs for the fiscal year ending September 30,
9 2017. This appropriation shall be expended for the Student
10 Financial Aid Program.

11 Section 2. Section 3B(21) of Act 2016-199, the Edu-
12 cation Trust Fund Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2017, is
13 hereby amended as follows:

14 "21. Historical Commission, Alabama:

15 (a) Historical Resources
16 Management

17 Program.....

18 ... 900,000 900,000

19 Of the above appropriation
20 to the Alabama Historical
21 Commission, \$300,000 shall
22 be distributed as operat-
23 ing grants to
24 state-affiliated cultural
25 heritage parks, sites,



1 commissions, boards,
2 agencies, and authorities
3 that are not owned,
4 operated, or otherwise
5 under the control of the
6 Alabama Historical
7 Commission. Grants will be
8 awarded to entities that
9 reflect an education-based
10 mission and concentrate on
11 educational programing and
12 preference shall be given
13 to entities that have been
14 given statutory authority
15 under Alabama law. Grant
16 amounts shall not exceed
17 \$100,000 for any one
18 entity. The first grant
19 shall be for the Alabama
20 Constitution Village in
21 Huntsville. Of the above
22 appropriation to the
23 Alabama Historical
24 Commission, \$300,000 shall
25 be distributed as a grant
26 to the Alabama
27 Bicentennial Commission



1 Foundation to support,
 2 create and execute events
 3 and activities that
 4 commemorate the stories of
 5 our people, place, and
 6 path to statehood.

7 SOURCE OF FUNDS:

8 ETF.

9	900,000	
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10 Total Historical
 11 Commission,

12	Alabama.....	900,000	900,000"
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13 Section 3. Notwithstanding any other provisions of
 14 law, any funds appropriated for the fiscal year ending
 15 September 30, 2017 to the Alabama Department of Archives and
 16 History, the Alabama Historical Commission, the Alabama Public
 17 Television Commission, and the Alabama Council on the Arts,
 18 which are unexpended on September 30, 2017 shall not revert to
 19 the Education Trust Fund, but shall be reappropriated in the
 20 fiscal year beginning October 1, 2018 to be expended for
 21 bicentennial programs and events.

22 Section 4. Notwithstanding any other provisions of
 23 law, any funds appropriated for the fiscal year ending
 24 September 30, 2017 to the Alabama Legislature Fiscal Office
 25 for performance and efficiency evaluations of state agencies,



1 which are unexpended on September 30, 2017 shall not revert to
2 the Education Trust Fund, but shall be reappropriated in the
3 fiscal year beginning October 1, 2018 to be expended to
4 further performance and efficiency evaluations of state
5 agencies.

6 Section 5. This act shall become effective
7 immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or
8 upon its otherwise becoming law.