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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2015 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Representative Ivey to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 239 by Senator LaFleur

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "24:513(A)(3)" delete the comma "," and insert "and 554(B),"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, delete line 4 and insert the following:

5 "provide for supplemental reports; to provide relative to a local auditee that fails to
6 comply with recommendations or to correct findings contained in an audit report; to
7 authorize the Legislative Audit Advisory Council to conduct a hearing under certain
8 circumstances; to authorize the council to direct the treasurer to withhold funds
9 under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters."

10 AMENDMENT NO. 3

11 On page 1, line 6, after "24:513(A)(3)" delete "is" and insert "and 554(B) are"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 4

13 On page 2, after line 19, insert the following:

14 "§554. Powers * * *

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16 B.(1) If the council determines based upon its review and investigation that,
17 without appropriate cause, an auditee has not complied with the recommendations
18 contained in an audit report of such auditee, the council shall forward its
19 determination of noncompliance to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget
20 and the appropriate oversight committees of the House of Representatives and the
21 Senate.

22 **(2) If the council determines based upon its review and investigation**
23 **that, without appropriate cause, a local auditee as defined in R.S. 24:513 has**
24 **failed for three consecutive years to sufficiently resolve the findings contained**
25 **in an audit report of such local auditee, the council may, after notice to and a**
26 **public hearing with the local auditee, make a determination that the local**
27 **auditee has failed or refused to comply with the provisions of R.S. 24:513, and**
28 **upon two-thirds vote of the entire membership of the council, may direct the**
29 **treasurer to withhold funds in accordance with R.S. 39:72.1."**