

Regular Session, 2009

HOUSE BILL NO. 411

BY REPRESENTATIVE PUGH

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL: Provides relative to meetings conducted by the board of commissioners of certain economic development districts

1 AN ACT

2 To enact Subpart B-42 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes
3 of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:130.791, relative to certain economic
4 development districts; to provide relative to the board of commissioners of any such
5 district; to provide relative to the schedule of regular and special meetings held by
6 any such board; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. Subpart B-42 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised
9 Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:130.791, is hereby enacted to read as follows:

10 SUBPART B-42. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

11 LOCATED IN CERTAIN PARISHES

12 §130.791. Economic development districts; certain parishes; meetings

13 Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the board of
14 commissioners of any economic development district that is composed of at least
15 thirteen voting members and is located in any parish with a population of not more
16 than one hundred four thousand and not less than ninety-eight thousand persons
17 according to the latest federal decennial census and whose boundaries are
18 coterminous with the boundaries of the parish shall meet in regular session quarterly
19 and shall also meet in special session as often as the president of the board convenes
20 them or on the written request of five members.

1 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
2 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
3 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
4 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
5 effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides relative to the schedule of regular and special meetings conducted by the board of commissioners of certain economic development districts.

Proposed law provides (notwithstanding any other law to the contrary) that the board of commissioners of any economic development district composed of at least 13 voting members, located in any parish with a population of not more than 104,000 and not less than 98,000 persons, and whose boundaries are coterminous with the boundaries of the parish shall meet in regular session quarterly and shall also meet in special session as often as the president of the board convenes them or on the written request of five members.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 33:130.791)