

## DIGEST

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SB No. 77

Present law provides that the Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development or his designee is chairman of the board of directors of the Louisiana Transportation Authority.

Proposed law changes present law to provide that the Chairman of the House and Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works, or their designees, shall serve as chairman of the board of directors of the Louisiana Transportation Authority on a two-year rotating basis.

Provides that the chairman of the Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works shall begin to serve as chairman on January 1, 2011, and ending December 31, 2012.

Further provides that the chairman of the House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works shall serve as chairman beginning on January 1, 2013, and ending on December 31, 2014. This two-year rotation shall continue unless otherwise provided by law.

(Amends R.S. 48:2074 (D)(2),(6), and (7))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to the engrossed bill.

1. Adds the chairman of House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to serve as a co-chair on a rotating basis prescribed under proposed law.
2. Sets specific years of rotation for chairmen by designated years up to 2014.
3. Requires the two-year rotation to continue unless otherwise provided by law.