

Regular Session, 2010  
HOUSE BILL NO. 764  
BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

# ACT No. 45

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 48:256.2, relative to construction signage; to remove the  
3 requirement that contractors post certain signs near projects; and to provide for  
4 related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 48:256.2 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §256.2. ~~Signs to be posted by contractor~~ Reduce speed limit signs; removal

8 ~~A. Any contractor who is under contract for the construction of or~~  
9 ~~improvements to highways and bridges under the control of the Department of~~  
10 ~~Transportation and Development shall erect at the site of the project a sign which~~  
11 ~~shall be clearly legible from a distance of not less than two hundred feet and which~~  
12 ~~shall display the name of the contractor to whom the project contract has been~~  
13 ~~awarded and the scheduled project completion date and may include any additional~~  
14 ~~information regarding delays or extensions. The sign shall be erected prior to the~~  
15 ~~first day of work on the project and shall not be removed until the project has been~~  
16 ~~completed and final inspection has been approved by the department. This signage~~  
17 ~~requirement shall not apply to any project that has a cost of less than one million~~  
18 ~~dollars. The provisions of this Section shall in no way conflict with any federal~~  
19 ~~regulations, rules, or standards.~~

20 ~~B. Any contractor who is under contract for the construction, maintenance,~~  
21 ~~or improvements to highways, bridges, or other public works under the control of the~~  
22 ~~Department of Transportation and Development shall remove signs which indicate~~  
23 ~~a reduced speed limit in construction areas not later than thirty days after final~~  
24 ~~acceptance of the project by the department. In the event that the project work is~~

1 performed by the Department of Transportation and Development personnel, then  
2 the reduced speed limit signs shall be removed not later than thirty days after the  
3 work activity on the project ceases.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

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