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June 12, 2014

The Honorable Alfred W. Speer
Clerk of the House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Re: House Bill No. 22 by Representative Kevin Pearson

Dear Mr. Speer:

House Bill No. 22 by Representative Pearson contains language that it shall become effective only if House Bill No. 1278 does not become effective.

On this date, I have signed House Bill No. 1278; however, it contains five separate sections with two different effective dates, one of which does not occur until July 1, 2015 and depends on a future action taken by the Public Retirement Systems' Actuarial Committee. Due to the length of time prior to all sections of House Bill No. 1278 becoming effective and the uncertainty this would cast over the implementation of House Bill No. 22, the author has requested a veto of House Bill No. 22.

For these reasons I have vetoed House Bill No. 22 and hereby return it to the House.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "BJ", written over a printed name and title.

Bobby Jindal
Governor

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Clerk's Office

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