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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 79

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

INSURANCE/GROUP-STATE: Requests the division of administration to study the costs and benefits of insurance coverage for fire protection officers through the office of group benefits

A RESOLUTION

2 To urge and request the division of administration to study the costs and benefits for fire 3 protection officers to participate in life, health, or other insurance programs 4 sponsored by the office of group benefits. 5 WHEREAS, group benefits may provide parish or municipal governing authorities 6 with an opportunity to cost-effectively retain and recruit employees by providing meaningful 7 benefits that help to protect the financial independence and strength of fire protection 8 officers and their families. 9 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the 10 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the division of administration to study 11 the costs and benefits for fire protection officers to participate in life, health, or other 12 insurance programs sponsored by the office of group benefits and to submit a report of its 13 findings and recommendations from the study called for in this Resolution to the House 14 Committee on Appropriations, the Senate Committee on Finance, and the David R. Poynter 15 Legislative Research Library no later than February 1, 2023. 16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, in carrying out the purposes of this Resolution, 17 the division of administration may engage and solicit input, recommendations, and advice 18 from the Department of Insurance, the Professional Fire Fighters Association of Louisiana, 19 and the Group Benefits Policy and Planning Board within the office of group benefits.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the

commissioner of administration.

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Requests the division of administration to study the costs and benefits for fire protection officers to participate in life, health, or other insurance programs sponsored by the office of group benefits. Requests the division to report its findings and recommendations from the study on or before Feb. 1, 2023.