

2023 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 88

BY REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

MUNICIPAL/LAWRASON ACT: Provides for the appointment of the chief of police of Slaughter

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 33:381(C)(35), relative to the town of Slaughter; to provide for the filling of
3 the office of police chief by appointment; to provide for the time and method of
4 appointment and for the salary, term, duties, qualifications, and supervision of an
5 appointed police chief; and to provide for related matters.

6 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
7 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of
8 Louisiana.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 33:381(C)(35) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

11 §381. Municipal Officers

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13 C.

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15 (35) Notwithstanding Subsection B of this Section, the office of police chief
16 in the town of Slaughter shall be an appointive and not an elective office. The
17 mayor, with the approval of the board of aldermen, shall appoint the police chief.
18 If there is an elected chief in office on August 1, 2023, the mayor shall make the first
19 such appointment upon the expiration of the then current term or a vacancy in the
20 office for other reason; otherwise, he shall make the first appointment immediately.

