
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 497 by Senator Miguez

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "To" and before "repeal" insert "amend and reenact R.S.
3 42:1132(B)(1) and to"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, between lines 4 and 5 insert:

6 "Section 1. R.S. 42:1132(B)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 B. Membership; terms; vacancies; qualifications. (1) The Board of Ethics
8 shall consist of eleven members to be selected as follows:

9 (a) The governor shall appoint seven members, who shall be representative
10 of the state's population as near as practicable and who shall be subject to Senate
11 confirmation. At least one member shall be appointed from each congressional
12 district **and the governor shall give due consideration to the demographics of the**
13 **population of the state, including without limitation geography, gender, and**
14 **race**. Of those seven, the governor shall appoint at least three members, each of
15 whom shall have been licensed to practice law in this state for at least eight years at
16 the time of his appointment.

17 (b) Two members shall be elected by the House of Representatives, **who**
18 **shall give due consideration to the demographics of the population of the state,**
19 **including without limitation geography, gender, and race** .

20 (c) Two members shall be elected by the Senate, **who shall give due**
21 **consideration to the demographics of the population of the state, including**
22 **without limitation geography, gender, and race** .
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24 AMENDMENT NO. 3

25 On page 1, line 5, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."