

SENATE BILL NO. 143

BY SENATOR HENSGENS

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(K)(1) and (L)(1), relative to hospital service districts;  
3 to provide relative to the Vermilion Parish Hospital Service Districts No. 1 and No.  
4 2; to provide relative to the terms of office for certain members of the board of  
5 commissioners; and to provide for related matters.

6 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 46:1053(K)(1) and (L)(1) are hereby amended and reenacted to read  
9 as follows:

10 §1053. Commission; qualification of members; appointment; vacancies;  
11 compensation; removal of commissioners; certain powers

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13 K.(1) In the parish of Vermilion, Hospital Service District No. 1 shall be  
14 governed by a commission composed of eight members. Each chief of the medical  
15 staff at the Abrom Kaplan Memorial Hospital shall be a member of the commission  
16 during his term in office. The other additional members provided for by this  
17 Paragraph shall be appointed for initial terms of six years each by the police jury of  
18 the parish of Vermilion and thereafter shall serve ~~six~~ **four**-year terms.

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20 L.(1) The Vermilion Parish Hospital Service District No. 2 shall be governed  
21 by a board of commissioners composed of seven members. One member shall be  
22 appointed by the parish governing authority from among the physicians who are  
23 residents of the district. If no physician is willing to serve, then the parish governing  
24 authority may appoint any person who is otherwise eligible to fill the office.  
25 Members appointed from among the physicians of the district and members

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_