

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 228

BY REPRESENTATIVE STAGNI

SUNSET LAW: Re-creates the Department of State Civil Service and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 49:191(4) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(d), relative to the
3 Department of State Civil Service, including provisions to provide for the re-creation
4 of the Department of State Civil Service and the statutory entities made a part of the
5 department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory
6 authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related
7 matters.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. Pursuant to R.S. 49:193, the Department of State Civil Service and the
10 statutory entities made a part of the department by law shall be re-created effective June 30,
11 2026, and all statutory authority therefor is continued in accordance with the provisions of
12 Part XII of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

13 Section 2. All statutory authority for the existence of the Department of State Civil
14 Service and the statutory entities made a part of the department as re-created by Section 1
15 of this Act shall cease as of July 1, 2033, pursuant to R.S. 49:191. However, the Department
16 of State Civil Service may be re-created prior to such date in accordance with the provisions
17 of Part XII of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

18 Section 3. The provisions of R.S. 49:193 are hereby superseded to the extent that
19 those provisions are in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

20 Section 4. R.S. 49:191(4) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

21 §191. Termination of legislative authority for existence of statutory entities; phase-
22 out period for statutory entities; table of dates

