

2026 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 113

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

HEALTH CARE. Provides relative to the Local Healthcare Provider Participation Program.
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1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 40:1248.3(C), relative to the Local Healthcare Provider Participation Program;
3 to provide for the authorization of assessment payments in Calcasieu Parish; to
4 provide for applicability of parish compliance provisions; to provide for an effective
5 date; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 40:1248.3(C) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §1248.3. Applicability; multi-parish funding district

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10 **C.(1) If, by June 1, 2026, Calcasieu Parish fails to authorize a local**
11 **hospital assessment payment pursuant to the provisions of this Subpart, the**
12 **governing body of any municipality within the parish with a population of**
13 **greater than sixty thousand shall have the authority to authorize a local hospital**
14 **assessment payment. Institutional providers included in the assessment**
15 **payment shall be limited to providers within the jurisdictional boundaries of the**
16 **municipality.**

17 **(2) Solely for the purposes of compliance with this Subpart, any such**

