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HB No. 426

Abstract: Adds to the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission three members from North La.

Present constitution establishes the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission with seven members. Specifies the representation for the membership and the length of the term of office.

Proposed constitutional amendment would retain the present constitutional provision and add three members to the commission. Would provide that the new members be residents of parishes located in the northern portion of the state. Increases the term of office from six years to nine years and retains the overlapping nature of the terms.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Nov. 4, 2014.

(Amends Const Art. IX, §7(A))