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HOUSE BILL NO. 698

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BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT: Provides with respect to the ability to file quarterly reports by magnetic media

AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 23:1531.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (D), relative to the 3 electronic filing of contribution and wage reports; to remove the ability to file by 4 magnetic media; to provide with respect to the Administrative Procedure Act; and 5 to provide for related matters. 6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 7 Section 1. R.S. 23:1531.1(A)(introductory paragraph) and (D) are hereby amended 8 and reenacted to read as follows: 9 §1531.1. Electronic filing of contribution and wage reports; employer registrations 10 A. The executive director may require the following employers to file both 11 their contribution and wage reports on magnetic media or by other any electronic 12 means at the following times: 13 14 D. The electronic filing requirement shall be implemented by rule adopted 15 and promulgated with legislative oversight in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, R.S. 49:950 et seq. 16 17

DIGEST

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Abstract: Deletes magnetic media from the options for the electronic filing of contribution and wage reports.

<u>Present law</u> provides that employers accrue and must pay contributions with respect to wages for employment.

<u>Present law</u> provides for deadlines and time frames for the submission of reports and contributions.

<u>Present law</u> provides that contribution and wage reports may be filed by magnetic media or other electronic means.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes the ability to file by magnetic media and provides that contribution and wage reports be filed by any electronic means.

(Amends R.S. 23:1531.1(A)(intro. para.) and (D))