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SENATE BILL NO. 82

## BY SENATOR GARY SMITH

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

ROADS/HIGHWAYS. Provides relative to signs on an Interstate highway. (8/1/15)

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 48:280, relative to directional signs; to provide for the erection
3	of directional signs for the Nelson Coleman Correctional Center; and to provide for
4	related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 48:280 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§280. Directional signs in advance of Louisiana byways
8	A. The department shall erect signs indicating the approaches to designated
9	Louisiana byways. The points of location of such signs shall be determined by the
10	traffic engineer for the highway district in which the Louisiana byway is located.
11	The department shall erect a directional sign on Interstate 20 indicating the
12	approaches to the United Theological Seminary. The signs shall conform to a
13	standard size and design prepared by the department.
14	<b>B.</b> The department shall erect directional signs on Interstate 310 and
15	Louisiana Highway 3127 indicating the name, distance, and approaches to the
16	Nelson Coleman Correctional Center. The signs shall conform to a standard
17	size and design prepared by the department.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Sharon F. Lyles.

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<u>Present law</u> requires DOTD to erect signs indicating the approaches to designated Louisiana byways at locations determined by the traffic engineer for the highway district where the Louisiana byway is located.

<u>Present law</u> requires DOTD to erect a directional sign on Interstate 20 indicating the approaches to the United Theological Seminary and requires such signs to conform to a standard size and design prepared by DOTD.

<u>Proposed law</u> amends <u>present law</u> to require DOTD to erect directional signs on Interstate 310 and Louisiana Highway 3127 indicating the name, distance, and approaches to the Nelson Coleman Correctional Center and to require that such signs conform to a standard size and design prepared by DOTD.

Effective August 1, 2015.

(Amends R.S. 48:280)