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2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 198

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BY REPRESENTATIVES PYLANT AND MACK

LEGISLATIVE AGCY/LAW INST: Adds two ex officio members affiliated with the La. District Attorneys Association to the council of the Louisiana State Law Institute

AN ACT

2	To enact R.S. 24:202(A)(24) and (25), relative to the council of the Louisiana State Law
3	Institute; to provide for the ex officio membership of the council; and to provide for
4	related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 24:202(A)(24) and (25) are hereby enacted to read as follows:
7	§202. Council; membership; terms; vacancies
8	A. The governing body of the Louisiana State Law Institute shall be a
9	council composed of ex officio members and elected members. The ex officio
0	members shall be:
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12	(24) The executive director of the Louisiana District Attorneys Association.
13	(25) The president of the Louisiana District Attorneys Association or a
4	district attorney designated by the president.
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DIGEST

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Abstract: Adds two ex officio members affiliated with the La. District Attorneys Association to the council of the La. State Law Institute.

<u>Present law</u> provides for the La. State Law Institute as an official advisory law revision commission, law reform agency, and legal research agency of the state of La. Provides that the governing body of the La. State Law Institute is a council composed of elected members and members who hold certain offices and members who are appointed by certain persons. Proposed law retains present law.

<u>Proposed law</u> adds the executive director of the La. District Attorneys Assoc. (LDAA) and the president of the LDAA or a district attorney designated by the president of the LDAA as ex officio members to the council of the La. State Law Institute.

(Adds R.S. 24:202(A)(24) and (25))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on House and</u> Governmental Affairs to the original bill:

- 1. Remove the proposed addition of two district attorneys appointed by the president of the La. District Attorneys Assoc. as ex officio members of the law institute.
- 2. Add authorization for the president of the La. District Attorneys Assoc. to designate a district attorney to serve in his stead.