

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 403

BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 15:1199.4(C), (D)(introductory paragraph), (E)(introductory
3 paragraph) and (6), and (G) and to enact R.S. 15:1199.4(D)(8), (9), and (10) and
4 (E)(7) through (12), relative to the reentry advisory council; to provide for additional
5 members to the council; to provide for the nominating criteria for the additional
6 members; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 15:1199.4(C), (D)(introductory paragraph), (E)(introductory
9 paragraph) and (6), and (G) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 15:1199.4(D)(8),
10 (9), and (10) and (E)(7) through (12) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

11 §1199.4. Reentry Advisory Council; creation; members; powers and duties

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13 C. The council shall be comprised of ~~thirteen~~ twenty-two members.

14 D. ~~Seven~~ Ten members of the council shall be comprised as follows:

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16 (8) The executive director for the Louisiana Housing Corporation, or his
17 designee.

18 (9) The chief justice of the Louisiana State Supreme Court, or his designee.

19 (10) The secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall
20 appoint one member from the Department of Public Safety and Corrections medical
21 staff.

E. The governor shall appoint ~~six~~ twelve members in accordance with the following provisions:

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(6) One member shall be appointed from a list of three members nominated by the Louisiana Chaplains' Association or the Louisiana Interchurch Conference.

(7) One member shall be appointed from a list of three nominations from the Louisiana District Attorneys' Association.

(8) One member shall be appointed from a list of three nominations from the
Louisiana Public Defender Board.

(9) One member shall be appointed from a list of three nominations from the
Louisiana District Judges' Association.

(10) One member shall be appointed from a list of three nominations from
the committee on parole.

(11) One member shall be appointed from a list of three nominations from
a victim's advocacy group.

(12) One member shall be appointed from a list of three nominations of ex-
offenders.

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G. ~~Seven~~ Twelve members shall constitute a quorum, and all actions of the council shall require the affirmative vote of the majority of the members present.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____