## 2017 Regular Session

## HOUSE BILL NO. 40

# BY REPRESENTATIVE HOWARD

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

# HIGHWAYS: Designates a portion of Louisiana Highway 118 in Sabine Parish as the "Joe Kirk Memorial Highway"

| 1  | AN ACT   |
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| 2  | To redesignate a portion of Louisiana Highway 118, in the Peason Community in Sabine         |
| 3  | Parish, as the "Joe Kirk Memorial Highway"; to provide relative to a potential route         |
| 4  | designation conflict; and to provide for related matters.                                    |
| 5  | Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:   |
| 6  | Section 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the portion of              |
| 7  | Louisiana Highway 118 that originates at U.S. Highway 171 and continues for 9.92 miles,      |
| 8  | in the Peason Community in Sabine Parish, shall be known and redesignated as the "Joe Kirk   |
| 9  | Memorial Highway".   |
| 10 | Section 2. To the extent that this designation is in conflict with Act No. 256 of the        |
| 11 | 2011 Regular Session, which included this portion of United States Highway 118 in the route  |
| 12 | designated the "Louisiana Maneuvers and Purple Heart Memorial Highway", this                 |
| 13 | designation shall control and supersede that set forth in Act No. 256 of the 2011 Regular    |
| 14 | Session.   |
| 15 | Section 3. The Department of Transportation and Development and its contractors              |
| 16 | are hereby directed to erect and maintain appropriate signage reflecting this redesignation. |

#### DIGEST

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#### HB 40 Engrossed

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Designates a portion of La. Hwy. 118 that originates at U.S. Hwy. 171 and continues for 9.92 miles, in the Peason Community in Sabine Parish, as the "Joe Kirk Memorial Highway".

Provides that the designation made in <u>proposed law</u>, which designates a portion of U.S. Hwy. 118 as the "Joe Kirk Memorial Highway", will control and supersede <u>present law</u>, which designates a portion of U.S. Hwy. 118 as the "Louisiana Maneuvers and Purple Heart Memorial Highway".

Directs the Dept. of Transportation and Development to erect and maintain appropriate signage reflecting this highway designation.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

- The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Transportation</u>, <u>Highways and Public Works</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:
- 1. Clarify that if this designation is in conflict with <u>present law</u>, which designates a portion of U.S. Hwy. 118 as the "Louisiana Maneuvers and Purple Heart Memorial Highway" then <u>proposed law</u> will control and supersede.
- 2. Make technical changes.