

2018 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 177

BY SENATOR WALSWORTH

LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR. Authorizes the legislative auditor to obtain certain information about employees with access to federal tax records of auditees. (8/1/18)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 15:587.5(A)(7) and 24:513.1(E), relative to the legislative auditor; to
3 authorize the legislative auditor to have access to federal tax information relative to
4 auditees; to authorize the legislative auditor to perform criminal background checks
5 on the auditor's employees having access to federal tax information; and to provide
6 for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 15:587.5(A)(7) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §587.5. Agencies with access to federal tax information; criminal history
10 information

11 A. For purposes of this Section, "agency" means any agency that has an
12 agreement with the Internal Revenue Service to access federal tax information **or is**
13 **authorized by law to audit the records of these agencies.** "Agency" shall include
14 all of the following:

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16 **(7) Louisiana Legislative Auditor, employees designated by legislative**
17 **auditor to have access to federal tax information in the records of auditees.**

