

2019 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 134

BY SENATOR BISHOP

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

ROADS/HIGHWAYS. Provides for addition of "Home of the Who Dat Nation Highway" signs on Interstate 10 in Louisiana. (8/1/19)

1 AN ACT

2 To provide relative to state highways; to provide for the addition and erection of certain

3 signs on the Louisiana welcome signs on Interstate 10 at the Texas and Mississippi

4 State Lines; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. The department shall add "Home of the Who Dat Nation" signs to the

7 Louisiana welcome signs on Interstate 10 in Louisiana at the Texas and Mississippi State

8 Lines and in downtown New Orleans at the exit to the Superdome.

9 Section 2. The Department of Transportation and Development is hereby directed

10 to erect and maintain appropriate signs provided local or private monies are received by the

11 department equal to the department's actual costs for material, fabrication, mounting posts,

12 and installation of each sign, not to exceed the sum of one thousand one hundred dollars per

13 sign.

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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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## DIGEST

SB 134 Engrossed

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Requires DOTD to add "Home of the Who Dat Nation" signs to Louisiana welcome signs on Interstate 10 in Louisiana at the Texas and Mississippi State Lines and in downtown New Orleans at the exit to the Superdome.

Directs DOTD to erect and maintain signs provided local or private monies are received by the department equal to the department's actual costs for material, fabrication, mounting posts, and installation of each sign, not to exceed \$1,100 per sign.

Effective August 1, 2019.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by SenateCommittee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to the original bill

1. Removes designation of I-10 in Louisiana from the Mississippi State Line to the Texas State Line as the "Who Dat Nation Highway".
2. Requires DOTD to add "Home of the Who Dat Nation" signs to Louisiana welcome signs on Interstate 10 in Louisiana at the Texas and Mississippi State Lines and in downtown New Orleans at the exit to the Superdome.