The original instrument was prepared by Tyler McCloud. The following digest, which does not constitute a part of the legislative instrument, was prepared by Jacob Wilson.

DIGEST

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Authorizes the lease of certain state property in Jefferson Parish from the Dept. of Transportation and Development to the governing authority of Jefferson Parish. Provides for the reservation of mineral rights to the state and other terms and conditions.

Provides that property agreements between DOTD and Jefferson Parish may provide for construction and maintenance of improvements on the property.

Provides that Jefferson Parish may remove obstacles and hazards from property under an agreement in accordance with applicable state laws and regulations.

Prohibits proposed law from effecting appropriations from the Regional Maintenance and Improvement Fund to Jefferson Parish or the permitted uses of such appropriated funds.

Provides that DOTD is authorized to secure, amend, or alter agreements with the federal or parish government or to assist the parish government in securing, amending, or altering agreements for use of property in accordance with existing agreements between DOTD and the federal government.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Natural Resources to the original bill

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2. Provides that the parish government may remove obstacles and hazards from property in accordance with applicable state laws and regulations.

3. Provides that DOTD is authorized to secure, amend, or alter agreements with the federal or parish government or to assist the parish government in securing, amending, or altering agreements for use of property in accordance with existing agreements.