Regular Session, 2011

HOUSE BILL NO. 333

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY

FIRE PROTECT/FIRE DEPTS: Provides relative to the maximum work hours required of certain employees of the Lake Charles Fire Dept.

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:1994(B), relative to the city of Lake Charles; to provide relative to the maximum work hours required of certain employees of the city's fire department in a certain time period; and to provide for related matters.

Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 33:1994(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1994. Maximum hours

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B. ~~The~~ (1) Except as provided in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection, the maximum hours of work required by persons employed or engaged full time by municipalities or municipal fire departments or by parish or parish fire departments or fire protection districts as operators of fire alarm systems in any one calendar week shall be forty-two hours.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the maximum hours of work required by persons employed or engaged full time by the Lake

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Charles Fire Department as operators of fire alarm systems in any fourteen-day work cycle shall be eighty-four hours.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides relative to the maximum work hours required of certain employees of the Lake Charles Fire Dept. in a certain time period.

Present law provides that the maximum work hours required by persons employed or engaged full time by municipalities or municipal fire departments or by parish or parish fire departments or fire protection districts as operators of fire alarm systems in any one calendar week is 42 hours.

Proposed law provides that notwithstanding present law, the maximum work hours required by persons employed or engaged full time by the Lake Charles Fire Dept. as operators of fire alarm systems in any 14-day work cycle is 84 hours.

(Amends R.S. 33:1994(B))

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