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HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Abramson to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 119 by Senator Perry

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 In Amendment No. 10 proposed by the House Committee on Natural Resources and
- 3 Environment and adopted by the House on June 13, 2011, on page 1, delete lines 29 through
- 4 32 and on page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the
- 5 following:

6 "A. At the end of the term of a lease which was issued on 7 property governed by the provisions of this Subpart which lease was transferred to the state through the act of donation, the property subject 8 to such lease may be offered by the department for lease. Such lease 9 10 shall be deemed a new lease and shall be offered for public bid under the provisions of Part 1 of Chapter 10 of Title 41 of the Louisiana Revised 11 Statutes of 1950. The provisions of R.S. 41:1217.1 and R.S. 56:30.3 12 13 which allow the secretary to offer the most recent lessee of record, his 14 heirs, or assignees, the option to match the highest bid in order to 15 continue to lease the state land shall apply to any bid process under the 16 provisions of this Subsection. However, such leases, renewals, or extensions shall be exempt from the provisions of R.S. 41:1216(A) which 17 18 limit the total acreage which may be leased and the number of leases 19 which may held by any one lessee."