
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill No. 591 by Representative Simon

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" and before "R.S. 46:2633(D)" insert "R.S. 36:259(T),
3 802(introductory paragraph), and 901(A),"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 8, after "Advisory Board;" and before "and to provide" insert "to provide for
6 the advisory capacity of the Traumatic Head and Spinal Cord Injury Trust Fund Advisory
7 Board within the Department of Health and Hospitals;"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

10 "Section 1. R.S. 36:259(T), 802(introductory paragraph), and 901(A)
11 are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

12 §259. Transfer of agencies and functions to Department of Health
13 and Hospitals

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15 T. The Traumatic Head and Spinal Cord Injury Trust Fund
16 Advisory Board (R.S. 46:2631 through 2635) is hereby placed within
17 the Department of Health and Hospitals and shall exercise and
18 perform its powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities in the
19 manner provided for agencies transferred in accordance with the
20 provisions of ~~R.S. 36:802~~ R.S. 36:901 et seq.

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22 §802. Transfer; retention of policymaking and rulemaking functions

23 The agencies transferred by the provisions of R.S. 36:209(Q),
24 239(E), 259(B), ~~259(T)~~, 309(B), 359(B), 409(C), 459(B), 509(B),
25 610(B), 629(I), and 769(C) shall continue to be composed and
26 selected as provided by law, and each shall continue to exercise all
27 of the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities provided or
28 authorized for each by the constitution or laws which are in the nature
29 of policymaking, rulemaking, licensing, regulation, enforcement, or
30 adjudication and also shall continue to exercise all advisory powers,
31 duties, functions, and responsibilities provided by law. Such powers,
32 duties, functions, and responsibilities shall be exercised
33 independently of the secretary and any assistant secretary, except
34 that:

35 * * *

36 §901. Transfer; merger and consolidation of functions; advisory
37 agency

38 A. The functions, powers, duties, responsibilities, programs,
39 and operations of each of the agencies transferred by the provisions
40 of R.S. 36:109(D), R.S. 36:209(C), R.S. 36:209(M)(2), R.S.
41 36:259(D), R.S. 36:259(T), R.S. 36:309(C), R.S. 36:359(C), R.S.
42 36:409(E), R.S. 36:509(E) and (N), R.S. 36:559(D), R.S. 36:629(Q),
43 R.S. 36:651(G), and R.S. 36:744(D) on the date of each such transfer
44 shall vest in and thereafter be the responsibility of the secretary of the
45 department to which the transfer is made and shall be administered
46 by the secretary in accordance with the powers vested in him by this

1 Title and the applicable laws pertaining to each agency, except for
2 those functions of each which are required to be performed and
3 administered by the undersecretary of the department as heretofore
4 provided for each by this Title. Each agency thus transferred shall
5 continue in existence, the members thereof shall continue in office
6 and hereafter shall be selected in the manner provided by law for
7 each, and each agency hereafter shall serve solely in an advisory
8 capacity to the secretary with respect to policies concerning matters
9 within the purview of each as originally created.
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11 AMENDMENT NO. 4

12 On page 1, at the beginning of line 10, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

13 AMENDMENT NO. 5

14 On page 2, line 2, after "department" and before "take into" change "may" to "shall"

15 AMENDMENT NO. 6

16 On page 2, line 9, after "that" and before "money" insert "sufficient"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 7

18 On page 2, at the end of line 25, change "annually." to "quarterly."

19 AMENDMENT NO. 8

20 On page 3, line 10, after "(2)" delete "The"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 9

22 On page 3, line 11, delete the remainder of the line and insert in lieu thereof the following:

23 "A representative of an organization recognized for its work in
24 advocacy programs for persons with traumatic head injury appointed
25 by the governor from a list of names submitted by such
26 organization."

27 AMENDMENT NO. 10

28 On page 3, line 12, after "(3)" delete "The"

29 AMENDMENT NO. 11

30 On page 3, line 13, delete the remainder of the line and delete line 14 in its entirety and
31 insert in lieu thereof the following:

32 "A representative of an organization recognized for its work in
33 advocacy programs for persons with spinal cord injury appointed by
34 the governor from a list of names submitted by such organization."

35 AMENDMENT NO. 12

36 On page 3, line 24, after "determinations." delete the remainder of the line

1 AMENDMENT NO. 13

2 On page 3, at the beginning of line 25, delete "shall constitute a quorum."

3 AMENDMENT NO. 14

4 On page 4, line 21, after "costs" and before the period "." insert "attributable to services
5 provided by the trust fund program"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 15

7 On page 5, at the beginning of line 4, change "Section 2." to "Section 3."