DIGEST

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Lorusso HB No. 254

Abstract: Exempts the Bucktown Marina in Jefferson Parish from laws requiring advertising and bidding on leases of public property.

<u>Present law</u> establishes procedures applicable to the lease of public property; generally requires the public entity to publicly advertise the proposed lease to solicit bidders and requires the awarding of the lease to the highest bidder who meets the requirements of law. Provides relative to terms and renewals of such leases. Provides exceptions.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides an additional exception from <u>present law</u> applicable to the boat slips at the Bucktown Marina in Jefferson Parish. Otherwise retains <u>present law</u>.

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

(Adds R.S. 41:1224.1)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Transportation</u>, <u>Highways and Public Works</u> to the <u>original</u> bill.

1. Added an exemption that is applicable to boat slips that are owned and operated by the governing authority of Jefferson Parish from general advertising and bidding requirements.