Regular Session, 2014



HOUSE BILL NO. 500

BY REPRESENTATIVES BERTHELOT, ANDERS, BARROW, BURFORD, COX, HILL, HOFFMANN, LEBAS, PATRICK WILLIAMS, AND WILLMOTT

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1123(26), relative to the Code of Governmental Ethics; to
3	allow the acceptance of certain gifts by certain public servants under certain
4	circumstances; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 42:1123(26) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§1123. Exceptions
8	This Part shall not preclude:
9	* * *
10	(26)(a) The acceptance by a public servant of anything of economic value
11	as a gift or gratuity from any person when the value of such gift or gratuity does not
12	exceed one hundred dollars per event, for flowers or a donation in connection with
13	the death of a member of the immediate family of a public servant.
14	(b) The acceptance by a public servant employed by a prekindergarten,
15	kindergarten, elementary, or secondary school of anything of economic value as a
16	gift from or on behalf of a student or former student when the value of the gift does
17	not exceed twenty-five dollars and the aggregate value of all gifts from or on behalf

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1	of any one person pursuant to the	his Subj	paragra	ph does not exceed seventy-f	<u>ive dollars</u>
2	in a calendar year.				
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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____