## SLS 15RS-213

## ENGROSSED

2015 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 26

BY SENATOR JOHN SMITH

PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS. Provides for a per diem for members of the Board of Commissioners of the West Calcasieu Port. (8/1/15)

| 1  | AN ACT   |
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| 2  | To amend and reenact R.S. 34:2102(B), relative to the compensation of members of the |
| 3  | board of the commissioners of the West Calcasieu Port; to provide for a maximum      |
| 4  | per diem for attending meetings by members; and to provide for related matters.      |
| 5  | Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.                        |
| 6  | Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:                                       |
| 7  | Section 1. R.S. 34:2102(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:       |
| 8  | §2102. Officers of the commission; meetings; per diem                                |
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| 10 | B. The governing authority of the West Calcasieu Port may pay and its                |
| 11 | members may receive a per diem, not to exceed one hundred dollars, for each day      |
| 12 | the member is in attendance at a regular or special meeting of the board of          |
| 13 | commissioners, not to exceed two meetings per month three hundred dollars, for       |
| 14 | each day the member is in attendance at a regular meeting and a per diem not         |
| 15 | to exceed two hundred dollars, for each day the member is in attendance at a         |
| 16 | special meeting, of the board of commissioners, not to exceed two meetings per       |
| 17 | month.   |

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Michael Bell.

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<u>Present law</u> provides that the governing authority of the West Calcasieu Port may pay and its members may receive a per diem, not to exceed \$100, for each day the member is in attendance at a regular or special meeting of the board of commissioners, not to exceed two meetings per month.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that governing authority of the West Calcasieu Port may pay and its members may receive a per diem, not to exceed \$300, for each day the member is in attendance at a regular meeting and a per diem not to exceed \$200, for each day the member is in attendance at a special meeting, of the board of commissioners, not to exceed two meetings per month.

Effective August 1, 2015.

(Amends R.S. 34:2102(B))