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2015 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 93

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BY REPRESENTATIVE HAVARD

PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS: Provides for meetings of the West Feliciana Port Commission

AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 34:3283(A)(introductory paragraph), relative to the West 3 Feliciana Port Commission; to provide for the frequency of commission meetings; 4 and to provide for related matters. 5 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of 6 7 Louisiana. 8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 9 Section 1. R.S. 34:3283(A)(introductory paragraph) is hereby amended and 10 reenacted to read as follows: 11 §3283. Officers; meetings; quorum; report 12 A. The commission shall elect annually from among the commissioners a 13 president, a vice president, a secretary, and a treasurer whose respective duties shall 14 be prescribed by the commission. At the option of the commission, the offices of 15 secretary and treasurer may be held by the same person. The commission shall meet 16 in regular session once each month yearly and shall also meet in special session at 17 the call of the president of the commission or on the written request of three 18 commissioners. The commission shall prescribe rules to govern its meetings and 19 shall fix the place at which meetings shall be held. A majority of the commissioners, not including vacancies, shall constitute a quorum. All actions of the commission 20

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shall be approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the commissioners present and voting. However, no action of the commission shall be authorized on the following matters unless approved by a majority of the total commissioners:

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## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Changes the frequency of meetings of the West Feliciana Parish Port Commission <u>from</u> monthly <u>to</u> yearly.

<u>Present law</u> creates the West Feliciana Parish Port Commission and requires the commission to hold regular monthly meetings.

Proposed law changes the regular meetings from monthly to yearly.

<u>Present law</u> provides for special meetings, the election of the commission's officers, the location of meetings, quorum, and the vote necessary for action by the commission. Proposed law retains present law.

(Amends R.S. 34:3283(A)(intro. para.))