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2016 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 235

BY SENATOR CARTER

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SPECIAL DISTRICTS. Provides relative to the status of private entities that contract with the Algiers Development District. (8/1/16)

AN ACT

2	To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2740.27(K), relative to the Algiers Development District in
3	Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the district; to provide
4	relative to the status of private entities that contract with the district; to provide
5	relative to the audit of private entities that contract with the district; and to provide
6	for related matters.
7	Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.
8	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
9	Section 1. R.S. 33:2740.27(K) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
10	§2740.27. The Algiers Development District; creation, composition, and powers;
11	levy of ad valorem taxes and issuance of bonds
12	* * *
13	K. The district may enter into contracts with any private entity for the
14	purpose of development within the boundaries of the district. No such private entity
15	shall be considered a public or quasi public entity or a public body as a result of
16	entering into a contract with the district. No such private entity shall be considered
17	a public or quasi public entity or a public body as a result of receiving or expending

funds of or on behalf of the district. Any such entity shall be subject to audit by

the legislative auditor who shall have all power and authority granted to him

pursuant to R.S. 24:513.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Ann S. Brown.

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<u>Present law</u> provides for the creation, composition and powers of the Algiers Development District in Orleans Parish.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the district may enter into contracts with private entities for the purpose of development within the district.

Proposed law retains present law.

<u>Present law</u> provides that no such private entity may be considered a public or quasi public entity or a public body as a result of: (a) entering into a contract with the district; or (b) receiving or expending funds of or on behalf of the district.

<u>Proposed law</u> removes <u>present law</u> provision relative to the status of a private entity based upon certain interactions with the district.

Proposed law provides that private entities shall be subject to audit by the legislative auditor.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 33:2740.27(K))