

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 682

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEGER

LEVEES: Provides relative to the Southeast Flood Protection Authority East and West Bank

## AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (D)(2) and to enact R.S. 38:330.2(A)(2)(c), relative to regional flood protection authorities; to provide for the powers and duties of the boards of commissioners of flood protection authorities; to provide for nominating committees and the boards of commissioners for the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East and the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-West Bank; to provide for terms; and to provide for related matters.

Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published

as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of

Louisiana.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(a)(introductory paragraph) and (D)(2) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 38:330.2(A)(2)(a) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§330.1. Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East and Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-West Bank; territorial jurisdiction; board of commissioners; appointments; terms; compensation; vacancy; officers; meetings; domicile

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(2)(a) The members of the nominating committee for each board shall serve

no more than two four-year terms and each nominating committee shall be composed

as follows:

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D.

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(2) All commissioners thereafter appointed, except a commissioner appointed to fill an unexpired term, shall be appointed as provided in Subsection C of this Section for staggered terms of four years. No member shall serve more than two consecutive four-year terms.

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### §330.2. Board of commissioners; powers and duties

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(2)

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(c) After January 1, 2018, neither the authority nor any levee district within  
the territorial jurisdiction of the authority shall function as a drainage district.

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# DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Provides relative to the terms of nominating committees and boards of commissioners for the Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority-East and West Bank.

Present law provides relative to the composition of the nominating committee for each board.

Proposed law limits the term to no more than two four-year terms for members of the nominating committee that nominates members to the board of commissioners of the regional flood protection authorities.

Present law limits the terms of commissioners of a board governing a regional flood protection authority to no more than two consecutive four-year terms. Proposed law limits such commissioners to only two four-year terms for life.

Proposed law prohibits the authority or any levee district within territorial jurisdiction of the authority from functioning as a drainage district after Jan. 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 38:330.1(C)(2)(a)(intro. para.) and (D)(2); Adds R.S. 38:330.2(A)(2)(c))