The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Sharon F. Lyles.

DIGEST

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Establishes the Bridge Lighting Task Force to study and make recommendations relative to the installation and maintenance of lighting on the Sunshine Bridge and the Veteran's Memorial Bridge near the town of Gramercy, Louisiana, and to report all such matters to the house and senate committees on transportation, highways and public works not later than Jan. 15, 2017, and to terminate not later than March 31, 2017.

The task force is comprised of:

(1) The senator for Senate District 2 or his designee.

(2) The representative for House District 58 or his designee.

(3) The representative for House District 81 or his designee.

(4) The secretary of the Dept. of Transportation and Development or his designee.

(5) The president of the Greater Baton Rouge Port Commission or his designee.

(6) The president of the South Louisiana Port Commission or his designee.

(7) The president of the parish of Ascension or his designee.

(8) The president of the parish of St. James or his designee.

(9) The president of the parish of St. John the Baptist or his designee.

Specifies that the members of the task force serve without compensation, except for reimbursement or per diem they are individually entitled to as members of the organization they represent. Names the senator for Senate District 2 or his designee as the chairman and the representative for House District 58 or his designee as the vice chairman. Provides that the names of the members shall be submitted to the chairman of the task force by Aug. 1, 2016, and that the chairman shall call the first meeting of the task force no later than Sept. 15, 2016.