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DIGEST

SB 235 Engrossed

2016 Regular Session

Carter

<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.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that contracts with private entities shall be subject to audit by the legislative auditor.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for an exception to <u>proposed law</u> for investor owned utilities regulated by the Public Service Commission or the city of New Orleans.

Effective August 1, 2016.

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

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to the original bill

- 1. Changes <u>from</u> the private entity with whom the district has a contract being subject to audit by the legislative auditor <u>to</u> the contract with the private entity being subject to audit by the legislative auditor.
- 2. Provides for an exception relative to investor owned utilities regulated by the Public Service Commission or the city of New Orleans.