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The Honorable Glenn Koepf  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol  
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Re: Senate Bill No. 577 by Senator Peterson

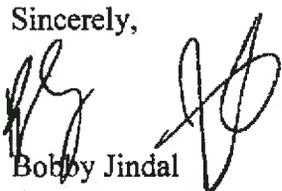
Dear Mr. Koepf:

Senate Bill No. 577 by Senator Peterson will cost the Louisiana Workforce Commission (LWC) at least \$300,000 to implement.

Funding for SB 577 was not appropriated by the Louisiana Legislature. Therefore, this legislation would force LWC to take funds away from critical services for the disabled to fund the taskforce because the agency's only available source of State funding is for the Louisiana Rehabilitative Services (LRS) program.

For this reason only, I have vetoed Senate Bill No. 577 and hereby return it to the Senate.

Sincerely,



Bobby Jindal  
Governor