

ACT No. 3

2022 First Extraordinary Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 3

BY REPRESENTATIVES THOMAS AND GADBERRY

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AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:2.2 and to repeal R.S. 17:2.1, relative to redistricting; to provide for election districts for the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; to provide for election of members; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 17:2.2 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2.2. Districts for election of members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education

Louisiana shall be divided into eight districts for the election of eight of the members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education. One member shall be elected from each of the following districts:

- (1) District 1 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 105, 106, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125A, 125B, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 170, 1-H, 2-H, 3-H, 4-H, 5-H, 6-H, 7-H, 8-H, 9-H, 1-K, 2-K, 3-K, 4-K, 5-K, 6-KA, 6-KB, 7-KA, 7-KB, 8-K, 9-K, 10-K, 11-K, 12-K, 13-KA, 14-K, 16-K, 17-K, 18-K, 19-K, 20-K, 25-K, 27-K, 28-K, 29-K, 34-K, and 35-K of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 3-20, 4-7, 4-8, 4-9, 4-11, 4-14, 4-15, 4-17, 4-17A, 4-18, 4-20, 4-21, 4-22, 4-23, 5-15, 5-16, 5-17, 5-18, 7-41, 7-42, 13-4, 13-6, 13-7, 13-8, 13-9, 13-10, 14-1,

1 14-2, 14-3, 14-4, 14-5, 14-6, 14-7, 14-8, 14-9, 14-10, 14-11, 14-12, 14-13A, 14-14,
 2 14-15, 14-16, 14-17, 14-18A, 14-19, 14-20, 14-21, 16-1, 16-1A, 16-2, 17-1, 17-17,
 3 17-18, 17-18A, 17-19, and 17-20 of Orleans Parish; St. Tammany Parish; and
 4 Precincts 122, 122A, 122B, 124, 124A, 143, 143A, 145, 147, and 151 of Tangipahoa
 5 Parish.

6 (2) District 2 is composed of Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 2-1, 2-2, 2-5, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3,
 7 5-1, 5-5, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, and 7-1 of Assumption Parish; Precincts 57, 104, 108, 115,
 8 131, 133, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157A, 157B, 171, 179B, 180, 181,
 9 185B, 187, 188, 191, 195, 196, 197A, 197B, 200, 201, 205, 210, 211, 212, 213A,
 10 213B, 213C, 214A, 214B, 215, 216A, 216B, 216C, 217, 225, 232A, 232B, 1-G, 2-G,
 11 6-G, 7-G, 13-KB, 15-K, 21-K, 22-K, 23-K, 24-K, 26-K, 30-K, 31-K, 33-K, 1-W, and
 12 2-W of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-5, 1-6, 2-1, 2-2, 2-4, 2-6, 2-7, 3-1, 3-8,
 13 3-9, 3-12, 3-14, 3-15, 3-18, 3-19, 4-2, 4-3, 4-5, 4-6, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-5, 5-7, 5-8, 5-9,
 14 5-10, 5-11, 5-12, 5-13, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, 6-6, 6-7, 6-8, 6-9, 7-1, 7-2, 7-4, 7-5, 7-6, 7-7,
 15 7-8, 7-9A, 7-10, 7-11, 7-12, 7-13, 7-14, 7-15, 7-16, 7-17, 7-18, 7-19, 7-20, 7-21,
 16 7-23, 7-24, 7-25, 7-25A, 7-26, 7-27, 7-27B, 7-28, 7-28A, 7-29, 7-30, 7-32, 7-33,
 17 7-35, 7-37, 7-37A, 7-40, 8-1, 8-2, 8-4, 8-6, 8-7, 8-8, 8-9, 8-12, 8-13, 8-14, 8-15,
 18 8-19, 8-20, 8-21, 8-22, 8-23, 8-24, 8-25, 8-26, 8-27, 8-28, 8-30, 9-1, 9-3, 9-4, 9-5,
 19 9-6, 9-7, 9-8, 9-9, 9-10, 9-11, 9-12, 9-13, 9-14, 9-15, 9-16, 9-17, 9-19, 9-21, 9-23,
 20 9-25, 9-26, 9-28, 9-28C, 9-29, 9-30, 9-30A, 9-31, 9-31A, 9-31B, 9-31D, 9-32, 9-33,
 21 9-34A, 9-35, 9-35A, 9-36, 9-36B, 9-37, 9-38, 9-38A, 9-39, 9-39B, 9-40, 9-40A,
 22 9-40C, 9-41, 9-41A, 9-41B, 9-41C, 9-41D, 9-42, 9-42C, 9-43A, 9-43B, 9-43C,
 23 9-43E, 9-43F, 9-43G, 9-43H, 9-43I, 9-43J, 9-43K, 9-43L, 9-43M, 9-43N, 9-44,
 24 9-44A, 9-44B, 9-44D, 9-44E, 9-44F, 9-44G, 9-44I, 9-44J, 9-44L, 9-44M, 9-44N,
 25 9-44O, 9-44P, 9-44Q, 9-45, 9-45A, 10-3, 10-6, 10-7, 10-8, 10-9, 10-11, 10-12,
 26 10-13, 10-14, 11-2, 11-3, 11-4, 11-5, 11-8, 11-9, 11-10, 11-11, 11-12, 11-13, 11-14,
 27 11-17, 12-1, 12-2, 12-3, 12-4, 12-5, 12-6, 12-7, 12-8, 12-9, 12-10, 12-11, 12-12,
 28 12-13, 12-14, 12-16, 12-17, 12-19, 13-1, 13-2, 13-3, 13-5, 13-11, 13-12, 13-13,
 29 13-14, 13-15, 13-16, 14-23, 14-24A, 14-25, 14-26, 15-1, 15-2, 15-3, 15-5, 15-6,
 30 15-8, 15-9, 15-10, 15-11, 15-12, 15-12A, 15-13, 15-13A, 15-13B, 15-14, 15-14A,

1 15-14B, 15-14C, 15-14D, 15-14E, 15-14F, 15-14G, 15-15, 15-15A, 15-15B, 15-16,
 2 15-17, 15-17A, 15-17B, 15-18, 15-18A, 15-18B, 15-18C, 15-18D, 15-18E, 15-18F,
 3 15-19, 15-19A, 15-19B, 15-19C, 16-3, 16-4, 16-5, 16-6, 16-7, 16-8, 16-9, 17-2, 17-3,
 4 17-4, 17-5, 17-6, 17-7, 17-8, 17-9, 17-10, 17-11, 17-12, 17-13, 17-13A, 17-14,
 5 17-15, and 17-16 of Orleans Parish; St. Charles Parish; St. James Parish; and St. John
 6 the Baptist Parish.

7 (3) District 3 is composed of Precincts 2-3, 2-4, 3-1, 3-2, 5-2, 5-3, 7-2, 7-3,
 8 8-1, and 9-1 of Assumption Parish; Iberia Parish; Precincts 4, 5, 25, 26, and 27 of
 9 Iberville Parish; Precincts 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179A, 182, 183, 184,
 10 185A, 189, 190, 192, 193A, 193B, 194A, 194B, 198, 199, 202, 203, 204, 226, 227,
 11 228, 229, 230, 231, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238A, 238B, 246, 247, 248, 3-G, 4-G, 5-G,
 12 8-G, 9-G, 10-G, 11-G, 12-G, 13-G, 1-GI, 1-L, 3-W, 4-W, 5-W, 6-W, and 7-W of
 13 Jefferson Parish; Lafourche Parish; Plaquemines Parish; St. Bernard Parish; Precincts
 14 7, 7A, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 29, 30, 31, 39, and 40 of St. Landry Parish; Precincts 1, 2,
 15 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 27, 28, and 29 of St.
 16 Martin Parish; St. Mary Parish; and Terrebonne Parish.

17 (4) District 4 is composed of Allen Parish; Bienville Parish; Bossier Parish;
 18 Caddo Parish; DeSoto Parish; Natchitoches Parish; Red River Parish; Sabine Parish;
 19 Vernon Parish; Webster Parish; and Winn Parish.

20 (5) District 5 is composed of Avoyelles Parish; Caldwell Parish; Catahoula
 21 Parish; Claiborne Parish; Concordia Parish; East Carroll Parish; Franklin Parish;
 22 Grant Parish; Jackson Parish; LaSalle Parish; Lincoln Parish; Madison Parish;
 23 Morehouse Parish; Ouachita Parish; Rapides Parish; Richland Parish; Tensas Parish;
 24 Union Parish; and West Carroll Parish.

25 (6) District 6 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13,
 26 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 40, 41, 43, 58, 61,
 27 62, 63, 64, 66, 71, 72, 73, 76, 77, and 78 of Ascension Parish; Precincts 1-7, 1-8, 1-9,
 28 1-12, 1-33, 1-34, 1-35, 1-39, 1-40, 1-41, 1-42, 1-43, 1-44, 1-46, 1-47, 1-48, 1-49,
 29 1-52, 1-53, 1-55, 1-56, 1-57, 1-60, 1-64, 1-65, 1-69, 1-72, 1-74, 1-75, 1-76, 1-79,
 30 1-80, 1-89, 1-90, 1-98, 1-99, 1-103, 1-105, 2-5, 2-6, 2-7, 2-8, 2-14, 2-18, 2-21, 2-26,

1 2-28, 2-29, 2-32, 2-33, 2-34, 2-35, 2-36, 2-37, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-6, 3-7, 3-9, 3-10,
 2 3-11, 3-13, 3-14, 3-15, 3-16, 3-17, 3-18, 3-19, 3-21, 3-22, 3-25, 3-26, 3-27, 3-28,
 3 3-29, 3-30, 3-31, 3-32, 3-33, 3-34, 3-35, 3-36, 3-37, 3-38, 3-39, 3-40, 3-41, 3-43,
 4 3-45, 3-46, 3-47, 3-48, 3-49, 3-51, 3-52, 3-53, 3-56, 3-58, 3-59, 3-60, 3-61, 3-62,
 5 3-63, 3-64, 3-66, 3-67, 3-68, 3-70, 3-71, and 3-72 of East Baton Rouge Parish;
 6 Livingston Parish; and Precincts 27, 28, 33, 40, 40A, 41, 42, 42A, 43, 44, 45, 45A,
 7 46, 47, 48, 49, 70, 70A, 71, 72, 72A, 73, 74, 112, 114, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120,
 8 120A, 120B, 121, 121A, 123, 125, 127, 127A, 129, 129A, 133, 133A, 137, 137A,
 9 137B, 137C, 137D, 139, 141, 141A, 149, and 149A of Tangipahoa Parish.

10 (7) District 7 is composed of Acadia Parish; Beauregard Parish; Calcasieu
 11 Parish; Cameron Parish; Jefferson Davis Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 12, 26, 27, 28,
 12 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 65, 66,
 13 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90,
 14 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109,
 15 110, 111, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, and
 16 128 of Lafayette Parish; Precincts 41, 42, and 43 of St. Landry Parish; and Vermilion
 17 Parish.

18 (8) District 8 is composed of Precincts 28, 30, 36, 37, 39, 42, 44, 45, 47, 48,
 19 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, and 65 of Ascension Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4,
 20 1-5, 1-6, 1-10, 1-11, 1-13, 1-14, 1-15, 1-16, 1-17, 1-18, 1-19, 1-20, 1-21, 1-22, 1-23,
 21 1-24, 1-25, 1-26, 1-27, 1-28, 1-29, 1-30, 1-31, 1-32, 1-36, 1-37, 1-38, 1-45, 1-50,
 22 1-51, 1-54, 1-58, 1-59, 1-61, 1-62, 1-63, 1-66, 1-67, 1-68, 1-70, 1-71, 1-73, 1-77,
 23 1-78, 1-81, 1-82, 1-83, 1-84, 1-85, 1-86, 1-87, 1-88, 1-91, 1-92, 1-93, 1-94, 1-95,
 24 1-97, 1-100, 1-101, 1-102, 1-104, 1-107, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-9, 2-10, 2-11, 2-12,
 25 2-13, 2-15, 2-16, 2-17, 2-19, 2-20, 2-22, 2-23, 2-24, 2-25, 2-27, 2-30, 2-31, 3-5, 3-8,
 26 3-12, 3-20, 3-23, 3-24, 3-44, 3-50, 3-54, 3-55, 3-57, 3-65, and 3-69 of East Baton
 27 Rouge Parish; East Feliciana Parish; Evangeline Parish; Precincts 1, 3, 6, 7, 9, 10,
 28 11, 12, 13, 13C, 14, 14A, 15, 15B, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 28, 29, 31, and
 29 32 of Iberville Parish; Precincts 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21,
 30 22, 23, 24, 25, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 68, 112, and 113

1 of Lafayette Parish; Pointe Coupee Parish; St. Helena Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5,
 2 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38,
 3 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, and 52 of St. Landry Parish; Precincts 17, 18, 19, 23,
 4 and 26 of St. Martin Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 6, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 26, 101, 102, 104,
 5 104A, 105, 106, 106A, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111A, and 115B of Tangipahoa Parish;
 6 Washington Parish; West Baton Rouge Parish; and West Feliciana Parish.

7 Section 2. R.S. 17:2.1 is hereby repealed in its entirety.

8 Section 3.(A) The precincts referenced in this Act are those precincts identified as
 9 Voting Districts (VTDs) in the 2020 Census Redistricting TIGER/Line Shapefiles for the
 10 State of Louisiana as validated through the data verification program of the Louisiana House
 11 of Representatives and the Louisiana Senate and available on the legislature's website on the
 12 effective date of this Section.

13 (B) When a precinct referenced in this Act has been subdivided by action of the
 14 parish governing authority on a nongeographic basis or subdivided by action of the parish
 15 governing authority on a geographic basis in accordance with the provisions of R.S.
 16 18:532.1, the enumeration in this Act of the general precinct designation shall include all
 17 nongeographic and all geographic subdivisions thereof, however such subdivisions may be
 18 designated.

19 (C) The territorial limits of the districts as provided in this Act shall continue in
 20 effect until changed by law regardless of any subsequent change made to the precincts by
 21 the parish governing authority.

22 Section 4.(A) Solely for the purposes of qualifying for election and the election of
 23 members of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education at the regularly
 24 scheduled elections in 2023, the provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall become effective
 25 upon signature of this Act by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration
 26 of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided in Article
 27 III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If this Act is vetoed by the governor and
 28 subsequently approved by the legislature, the provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall
 29 become effective on the day following such approval for the purposes established in this
 30 Subsection.

1 (B) The provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall be effective for all other purposes
2 at noon on January 8, 2024.

3 (C) Section 2 of this Act shall become effective at noon on January 8, 2024.

4 (D) The provisions of this Section and Section 3 of this Act shall become effective
5 upon signature of this Act by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration
6 of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided in Article
7 III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If this Act is vetoed by the governor and
8 subsequently approved by the legislature, the provisions of this Section and Section 3 of this
9 Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____