SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
2022 Regular Session
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to Original Senate Bill No. 167 by Senator Talbot

AMENDMENT NO. 1
On page 1, line 2, change "R.S. 40:2009.25(A) through (E) and (I)" to "R.S. 40:2009.25(A), (C) through (E), and (I) and to enact R.S. 40:1563(N)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2
On page 1, line 3, after "provide for" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 4, and on line 5, delete "preparedness;" and insert "the duties of the state fire marshal;

AMENDMENT NO. 3
On page 1, line 8, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and insert "R.S. 40:2009.25(A), (C) through (E), and (I) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 40:1563(N) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 4
On page 1, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:

"§1563. Powers and duties generally; use of deputies; responsibilities of local governing authorities with fire prevention bureaus; open structures and process structures; fees

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"N. The fire marshal shall take all steps necessary and proper to perform inspections as required by R.S. 40:2009.25."

AMENDMENT NO. 5
On page 2, delete lines 1 through 14 and insert the following:

"plan which shall be submitted to the Louisiana Department of Health, bureau of health services financing, emergency preparedness manager, by August 1, 2006."

AMENDMENT NO. 6
On page 2, delete lines 27 through 29 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 6 and insert the following:

"D.(1)(a) Upon receipt of an emergency preparedness plan or summary of an updated plan submitted by a nursing home pursuant to this Section, the Louisiana Department of Health shall confirm that the plan contains the minimum requirements as provided in Subsection C of this Section.

(b) Each nursing home's primary sheltering host site and any other alternative sheltering host sites as provided in the nursing home's emergency preparedness plan shall be inspected and approved by the office of state fire marshal in accordance with the rules and regulations established pursuant to Paragraph (2) of this Subsection."
(c) If the state fire marshal fails to inspect a sheltering host site within fifteen business days after the Louisiana Department of Health receives a nursing home's emergency preparedness plan or summary of an updated plan, the sheltering host site shall be considered conditionally approved until the completion of the federal survey of the nursing home by the department as required by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services."

AMENDMENT NO. 7
On page 3, line 7, change "(2)" to "(2)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 8
On page 3, line 8, after "criteria" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 9 and insert "for evaluation of all"

AMENDMENT NO. 9
On page 3, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

"(b) The secretary of the Louisiana Department of Health and the state fire marshal shall, in collaboration, promulgate rules and regulations, in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, for the inspection and approval of a nursing home's primary sheltering host site and any other alternative sheltering host sites as provided in the nursing home's emergency preparedness plan."

AMENDMENT NO. 10
On page 3, line 16, after "the" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 17 and insert the following:

"state fire marshal has approved a nursing home's primary sheltering host site and any other alternative sheltering host sites as provided in the nursing home's emergency preparedness plan"