

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 69

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAAY

DISTRICTS/INDUSTRIAL: Repeals the provisions of the Sulphur Industrial Development District

1 AN ACT

2 To repeal Subpart B-12 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes
3 of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:130.311 through 130.319, relative to the Sulphur
4 Industrial Development District; to repeal provisions relative to the creation, powers,
5 and governance of the district; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for
6 related matters.

7 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
8 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of
9 Louisiana.

10 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

11 Section 1. Subpart B-12 of Part IV of Chapter 1 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised
12 Statutes of 1950, comprised of R.S. 33:130.311 through 130.319, is hereby repealed in its
13 entirety.

14 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
15 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
16 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
17 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
18 effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Abolishes the Sulphur Industrial Development District.

Present law creates the Sulphur Industrial Development District as a political subdivision of the state. Provides that the district is established for the primary object and purpose of promoting and encouraging industrial development to stimulate the economy.

Present law provides that the district is governed by a six-member board of commissioners selected by the city council of Sulphur.

Present law authorizes the district to issue revenue and general obligation bonds.

Present law authorizes the board to exercise all powers necessary or convenient for the carrying out of its objects and purposes, including but not limited to the following:

- (1) To sue and be sued.
- (2) To acquire, hold, maintain, and use property.
- (3) To convey property.
- (4) To regulate the imposition of fees and rental charges for the use of the district's property and for services rendered by the district.
- (5) To enter into contracts.

Present law authorizes the district, subject to voter approval, to levy and collect an ad valorem tax, not to exceed five mills.

Proposed law repeals present law.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Repeals R.S. 33:130.311-130.319)