

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 441 by Senator Fesi

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 3, and on line
3 4, delete "elections;" and insert the following:

4 "enact R.S. 18:586, relative to filling a vacancy in an elected office; to provide for
5 prohibitions; to provide relative to the retirement or resignation of an elected official;
6 to provide relative to appointments and elections to fill such a vacancy; to provide
7 for an effective date;"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 2

9 On page 1, line 6, after "Section 1." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 7
10 through 17 and on page 2, delete line 1 through 5 and insert the following:

11 "R.S. 18:586 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

12 §586. Vacancies caused by retirement or resignation; prohibitions
13 A. No elected official who has retired or resigned from state or local elective
14 office shall be appointed to succeed himself in the office from which he retired or
15 resigned.

16 B. No elected official who has retired or resigned from state or local elective
17 office shall be eligible as a candidate at an election called to fill the vacancy created
18 by the retirement or resignation of the elected official.

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