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HOUSE BILL NO. 561

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## BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

AGRICULTURE: Provides relative to the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center

AN ACT

2	To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3215(8), relative to the Louisiana State University
3	Agricultural Center; to provide for the responsibilities of the Louisiana State
4	University Agricultural Center; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 17:3215(8) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§3215. Louisiana State University system
8	The Louisiana State University system is composed of the institutions under
9	the supervision and management of the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State
10	University and Agricultural and Mechanical College as follows:
11	* * *
12	(8) The Center for Agricultural Sciences and Rural Development, generally
13	known as the Louisiana State University Agricultural Center, which administers the
14	agricultural extension and research programs of the board throughout the state. The
15	center shall also be responsible for conducting river water research and agricultural
16	youth development and education programs, including FFA and 4-H.
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## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Provides relative to the responsibilities of the LSU Ag Center.

<u>Present law</u> establishes the Center for Agricultural Sciences and Rural Development as an institution of the LSU system and provides for responsibilities of the center.

<u>Proposed law</u> adds agricultural youth development and education programs, including FFA and 4-H, as responsibilities of the center.

(Amends R.S. 17:3215(8))