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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 185

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HOUSE/RULES: Requires a chairman to disclose certain information to the Speaker of the House when scheduling interim meetings under specified circumstances

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To adopt House Rule 4.10 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to provide  
3 for certain disclosures to the Speaker of the House regarding interim meetings.

4 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana  
5 that House Rule 4.10 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives is hereby  
6 adopted to read as follows:

7 Rule 4.10. Chairmen; interim meetings; legislative continuance or extension; notice  
8 to the Speaker

9 A. A chairman of any committee or task force, including any subcommittee  
10 thereof, shall disclose in writing to the Speaker, no later than twenty-four hours after  
11 calling a meeting during the interim between sessions, if the chairman knows or  
12 reasonably should know the meeting will cause or has caused the chairman to file a  
13 motion for legislative continuance or extension pursuant to R.S. 13:4163 on a  
14 previously scheduled court proceeding, hearing, or deadline.

15 B. In the disclosure required by Paragraph A of this Rule, the chairman shall  
16 include the reasons why the meeting could not have been scheduled on a different  
17 date.

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DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Requires a chairman to disclose to the Speaker within 24 hours of calling an interim meeting that causes a conflict requiring the filing of a legislative continuance or extension by the chairman.

Proposed House Rule requires a chairman of any committee or task force, including any subcommittee thereof, to disclose to the Speaker, no later than 24 hours after calling a meeting during the interim, if the chairman knows or reasonably should know the meeting will cause a conflict that will cause or has caused the chairman to file a motion for a legislative continuance or extension of time pursuant to present law (R.S. 13:4163) on a previously scheduled court matter or deadline. Further requires that the disclosure include the reasons why the meeting could not have been scheduled on a different date.

(Adds House Rule 4.10)