



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

(Amends R.S. 42:4(A) and (B); adds R.S. 42:4(C) and (D))

### Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

#### Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to the original bill

1. Require the governor to provide notice of his intent to appoint a chairman or any other officer to the board or commission within 180 days of taking office.
2. Remove a requirement of the governor to make an appointment no later than the first day of the first regular session of the legislature during the first year of his term.
3. Make technical changes.

#### Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

1. Make technical changes.
2. Provide that officers of any Louisiana public retirement or pension system, plan, or fund are not subject to serving at the pleasure of the governor.
3. Provide that the terms of the members of all boards and commissions, except for higher education boards and boards and commissions provided for in the state constitution, shall be concurrent with the governor, notwithstanding any law to the contrary.
4. Provide that the governor may choose to appoint the chairman or presiding member of boards and commissions to which he appoints the majority of the members and is not otherwise prohibited from doing so by the state constitution.
5. Require the governor to select a member of a board or commission to the position of chairman or presiding officer of that board or commission for which he chooses to exercise his appointment authority.
6. Provide that the governor is not authorized to appoint any officer of any board or commission created in Article VIII (Education) of the state constitution, except as provided by law.
7. Provide that limitations on terms of members and gubernatorial appointment of a chairman or presiding officer do not apply to post-secondary education governing boards.

8. Delete provisions providing the governor 180 days to provide notice to board or commission of his intention to appoint chair.