

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 271

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUGHES

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1095(B)(1) and (C)(3) and to enact R.S. 46:1095(B)(8) and (9), relative to the parish hospital service district in Orleans Parish; to provide relative to the governing authority of the district; and to provide for related matters.

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

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 46:1095(B)(1) and (C)(3) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 46:1095(B)(8) and (9) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§1095. Board of commissioners; membership; appointment; terms; compensation; removal

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B. Each commission shall be composed as follows:

(1)(a) ~~Seven~~ Five members shall be appointed by the chief executive officer of the parish. Each member shall demonstrate expertise in one or more of the following areas: medical litigation, fundraising and philanthropy, accounting, business development, indigent care, community relations, government relations, women's health, minority health, geriatric medicine, nursing, any other medical field, or consumer advocacy.

(b) Four of the ~~seven~~ five members shall be appointed at the discretion of the chief executive officer. ~~Of the other three appointments, one~~ One member shall be appointed by the chief executive officer from ~~each of the following lists of nominees:~~

1 (~~i~~) ~~Three three nominees shall be submitted~~ by the member of the governing
2 authority of the city of New Orleans whose district encompasses all or the greater
3 portion of the area in which the district is located.

4 (~~ii~~) ~~Three nominees shall be submitted by the member of the Louisiana~~
5 ~~House of Representatives whose district encompasses all or the greater portion of the~~
6 ~~area in which the district is located.~~

7 (~~iii~~) ~~Three nominees shall be submitted by the member of the Louisiana~~
8 ~~Senate whose district encompasses all or the greater portion of the area in which the~~
9 ~~district is located.~~

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11 (8) The member of the Louisiana House of Representatives who represents
12 House District No. 100 or his designee.

13 (9) The member of the Louisiana Senate who represents Senate District No.
14 3 or his designee.

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17 (3) The members serving pursuant to Paragraphs (B)(3) through ~~(7)~~ (9) of
18 this Section shall serve during their terms of office.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____