

**ACT No. 742**

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 861

BY REPRESENTATIVE FONTENOT

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 39:1482(4), relative to the Louisiana Competes Regional  
3 Economic Development Program; to change the definition of regional economic  
4 development organization; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 39:1482(4) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §1482. Definitions

8 For purposes of this Chapter, the following words have the following  
9 meanings:

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11 (4) "Regional economic development organization" means any of the  
12 following: the Baton Rouge Area Chamber, or its successor; the Central Louisiana  
13 Economic Development Alliance, or its successor; Greater New Orleans, Inc., or its  
14 successor; the Northeast Louisiana Economic Alliance, or its successor; the North  
15 Louisiana Economic Partnership, or its successor; One Acadiana, or its successor;  
16 the ~~South Central Planning and Development Commission~~, South Louisiana

