

Second Extraordinary Session, 2001

HOUSE BILL NO. 2

BY REPRESENTATIVES BRUNEAU AND LANCASTER

REAPPORTIONMENT/CONGRESS: Provides for redistricting of Louisiana's congressional districts

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 18:1276 and to repeal R.S. 18:1276.1, relative to congressional
3 districts; to provide for the redistricting of Louisiana's congressional
4 districts; to provide for the terms of members serving on the effective
5 date of the Act; to provide for filling of vacancies; to provide with
6 respect to positions and offices, other than congressional, which are
7 based upon congressional districts; to provide for the effectiveness of
8 the Act; and to provide for related matters.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 18:1276 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

11 §1276. Congressional districts

12 A. Louisiana is divided into seven congressional districts, and
13 the qualified electors of each district shall elect one representative to
14 the United States House of Representatives.

15 (1) District No. 1 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9,
16 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28,
17 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 51,

1 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70,
2 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89,
3 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 105, 106,
4 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129,
5 130, 132, 134, 136, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 210, 211, 225, 226, 227,
6 228, 229, 230, 3-G, 5-G, 9-G, 10-G, 1-H, 2-H, 3-H, 4-H, 5-H, 6-H, 7-
7 H, 8-H, 9-H, 1-K, 2-K, 3-K, 4-K, 5-K, 6-K, 7-K, 8-K, 9-K, 10-K, 11-
8 K, 12-K, 13-KA, 15-K, 16-K, 17-K, 18-K, 19-K, 20-K, 25-K, 27-K,
9 28-K, 34-K, and 35-K of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 3-20, 4-8, 4-9, 4-
10 10, 4-10A, 4-11, 4-14, 4-14A, 4-15, 4-16, 4-16A, 4-17, 4-17A, 4-18,
11 4-18A, 4-19, 4-20, 4-20A, 4-21, 4-21A, 4-22, 4-23, 5-12, 5-13, 5-14,
12 5-15, 5-16, 5-17, 5-18, 7-32, 7-40, 7-41, 7-42, 12-4, 13-1, 14-1, 14-2,
13 14-3, 14-4, 14-8, 14-9, 14-10, 14-11, 16-2, 17-1, 17-17, 17-18, 17-18A,
14 17-18B, 17-19, 17-19A, 17-20, and 17-21 of Orleans Parish; St.
15 Tammany Parish; Tangipahoa Parish; and Washington Parish.

16 (2) District No. 2 is composed of Precincts 104, 107, 108, 115,
17 131, 133, 138, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 170, 171, 172,
18 173, 179A, 179B, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 187, 188, 189, 190,
19 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 212,
20 213A, 213B, 213C, 214, 215, 216, 217, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236,
21 237, 238, 1-G, 2-G, 4-G, 6-G, 7-G, 8-G, 11-G, 13-KB, 14-K, 21-K, 22-
22 K, 23-K, 24-K, 26-K, 29-K, 30-K, 31-K, 33-K, 1-W, 2-W, 3-W, 4-W,
23 5-W, 6-W, and 7-W of Jefferson Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-5, 1-6, 1-
24 7, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-6, 2-6A, 2-7, 3-1, 3-3, 3-5, 3-8, 3-9, 3-10, 3-12,
25 3-14, 3-15, 3-16, 3-18, 3-19, 4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5, 4-6, 4-7, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3,
26 5-4, 5-5, 5-6, 5-7, 5-8, 5-9, 5-10, 5-11, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4, 6-5, 6-6, 6-7, 6-8,
27 6-9, 7-1, 7-2, 7-4, 7-4A, 7-5, 7-6, 7-7, 7-8, 7-9, 7-9A, 7-10, 7-11, 7-12,

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 2 ~~7-24, 7-25, 7-25A, 7-26, 7-26A, 7-27, 7-27A, 7-27B, 7-28, 7-28A, 7-~~
 3 ~~29, 7-30, 7-31, 7-33, 7-33A, 7-34, 7-35, 7-36, 7-36A, 7-37, 7-37A, 7-~~
 4 ~~38A, 7-39, 8-1, 8-2, 8-4, 8-6, 8-7, 8-8, 8-9, 8-10, 8-11, 8-12, 8-13, 8-~~
 5 ~~14, 8-15, 8-16, 8-17, 8-18, 8-19, 8-20, 8-21, 8-22, 8-23, 8-24, 8-25, 8-~~
 6 ~~25A, 8-26, 8-26A, 8-27, 8-27A, 8-28, 8-29, 8-30, 9-1, 9-2, 9-3A, 9-3B,~~
 7 ~~9-3, 9-4, 9-5, 9-5A, 9-6B, 9-6C, 9-6D, 9-6E, 9-6F, 9-7, 9-8, 9-8A, 9-~~
 8 ~~8B, 9-9, 9-10, 9-11, 9-12, 9-13, 9-14, 9-15, 9-16, 9-17, 9-18, 9-19, 9-~~
 9 ~~21, 9-22, 9-23, 9-24, 9-25, 9-25A, 9-26, 9-26A, 9-27, 9-28, 9-28A, 9-~~
 10 ~~28C, 9-28D, 9-28E, 9-28F, 9-29, 9-29A, 9-30, 9-30A, 9-31, 9-31A, 9-~~
 11 ~~31B, 9-31C, 9-31D, 9-31E, 9-32, 9-33, 9-33A, 9-34, 9-34A, 9-35, 9-~~
 12 ~~35A, 9-36, 9-36A, 9-36B, 9-36C, 9-37, 9-37A, 9-38, 9-38A, 9-38B, 9-~~
 13 ~~39, 9-39A, 9-39B, 9-40, 9-40A, 9-40B, 9-40C, 9-41, 9-41A, 9-41B, 9-~~
 14 ~~41C, 9-41D, 9-42, 9-42A, 9-42B, 9-42C, 9-42D, 9-42E, 9-43A, 9-43B,~~
 15 ~~9-43C, 9-43D, 9-43E, 9-43F, 9-43G, 9-43H, 9-43I, 9-43J, 9-43K, 9-~~
 16 ~~43L, 9-43M, 9-43N, 9-44, 9-44A, 9-44B, 9-44D, 9-44E, 9-44F, 9-44G,~~
 17 ~~9-44I, 9-44J, 9-44L, 9-44M, 9-44N, 9-44O, 9-44P, 9-44Q, 9-45, 9-~~
 18 ~~45A, 10-3, 10-5, 10-6, 10-7, 10-8, 10-9, 10-11, 10-12, 10-13, 10-14,~~
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 23 ~~13-12, 13-13, 13-14, 13-14A, 13-15, 13-16, 14-5, 14-6, 14-7, 14-12,~~
 24 ~~14-13A, 14-14, 14-15, 14-16, 14-17, 14-18A, 14-19, 14-20, 14-21, 14-~~
 25 ~~22, 14-23, 14-24A, 14-25, 14-26, 15-1, 15-2, 15-3, 15-5, 15-6, 15-8,~~
 26 ~~15-9, 15-10, 15-11, 15-12, 15-12A, 15-13, 15-13A, 15-13B, 15-14, 15-~~
 27 ~~14A, 15-14B, 15-14C, 15-14D, 15-14E, 15-14F, 15-14G, 15-15, 15-~~

1 15A, 15-15B, 15-16, 15-17, 15-17A, 15-17B, 15-18, 15-18A, 15-18B,
 2 15-18C, 15-18D, 15-18E, 15-18F, 15-19, 15-19A, 15-19B, 15-19C, 16-
 3 1, 16-1A, 16-3, 16-4, 16-5, 16-6, 16-7, 16-8, 16-9, 17-2, 17-3, 17-4,
 4 17-5, 17-6, 17-7, 17-8, 17-9, 17-10, 17-11, 17-12, 17-13, 17-13A, 17-
 5 14, 17-15, and 17-16 of Orleans Parish; and Precincts 1-5, 2-1, 2-4, 2-
 6 7, 2-8, 4-4, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4, and 7-4 of St. Charles Parish.

7 (3) District No. 3 is composed of Precincts 15, 22, 25, 26, 27,
 8 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49,
 9 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, and 55 of Ascension Parish; Assumption Parish;
 10 Iberia Parish; Precincts 198, 199, 246, 247, 248, 249, 1-GI, and 1-L of
 11 Jefferson Parish; Lafourche Parish; Plaquemines Parish; St. Bernard
 12 Parish; Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-6, 2-2, 2-3, 2-5, 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 4-
 13 1, 4-2, 4-3, 5-5, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, 6-5, 6-6, 6-7, 7-1, 7-2, and 7-3 of St.
 14 Charles Parish; St. James Parish; St. John the Baptist Parish; St. Martin
 15 Parish; St. Mary Parish; and Terrebonne Parish.

16 (4) District No. 4 is composed of Precincts 1-3, 1-6, 1-7, 2-2,
 17 2-3, 2-5, 2-6, 3-1, 3-2, 4-1, 4-2, 4-3, 5-2, 5-5, 5-9, 5-10, and 5-11 of
 18 Allen Parish; Beauregard Parish; Bienville Parish; Bossier Parish;
 19 Caddo Parish; Claiborne Parish; De Soto Parish; Grant Parish;
 20 Natchitoches Parish; Red River Parish; Sabine Parish; Vernon Parish;
 21 and Webster Parish.

22 (5) District No. 5 is composed of Precincts 1-1, 1-2, 1-4, 1-5,
 23 2-1, 2-4-C, 2-4-O, 5-1, 5-3, 5-4-C, 5-4-O, 5-7, 5-8, 5-12, and 5-13 of
 24 Allen Parish; Avoyelles Parish; Caldwell Parish; Catahoula Parish;
 25 Concordia Parish; East Carroll Parish; Precincts 1-2, 1-6, 1-13-0, 1-13-
 26 1, 1-14, 3-1, 3-4, 3-7, 4-1-0R, 4-1-1R, 4-1-2R, 4-1C, 4-2-0, 4-2-1, 4-3,
 27 4-4, 5-1, 5-2, 5-3, 5-4C, 5-4-R, and 5-5 of Evangeline Parish; Franklin

1 Parish; Precincts 13A, 13B, 14, 14A, 14B, 15, 16, 19, 19A, 20, 21, 22,
 2 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of Iberville Parish; Jackson Parish; La
 3 Salle Parish; Lincoln Parish; Madison Parish; Morehouse Parish;
 4 Ouachita Parish; Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18,
 5 and 19 of Pointe Coupee Parish; Rapides Parish; Richland Parish;
 6 Tensas Parish; Union Parish; West Carroll Parish; and Winn Parish.

7 (6) District No. 6 is composed of Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8,
 8 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, and 24 of Ascension
 9 Parish; East Baton Rouge Parish; East Feliciana Parish; Precincts 1, 2,
 10 3, 4, 5, 6, 6A, 7, 8, 10, 10A, 11, 12, 13, 15A, 15B, 17, 17A, 18, 24, 25,
 11 25A, 25B, and 26A of Iberville Parish; Livingston Parish; Precincts 10,
 12 11, 12, 15, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 of Pointe Coupee Parish; St. Helena
 13 Parish; West Baton Rouge Parish; and West Feliciana Parish.

14 (7) District No. 7 is composed of Acadia Parish; Calcasieu
 15 Parish; Cameron Parish; Precincts 1-1-0, 1-1-1, 1-3, 1-4C, 1-4R, 1-5,
 16 1-7, 1-8-0, 1-8-1, 1-8-2, 1-9-0C, 1-9R, 1-10-0, 1-10-1, 1-11, 1-12, 1-
 17 15, 1-16-1R, 1-16-OR, 1-17-C, 1-17-R, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-5, 3-2, 3-3,
 18 3-5, and 3-6 of Evangeline Parish; Jefferson Davis Parish; Lafayette
 19 Parish; St. Landry Parish; and Vermilion Parish.

20 B. The precincts to which reference is made in this Section are
 21 those adopted by the respective parish governing authorities under the
 22 provisions of R.S. 18:532 and made effective not later than January 1,
 23 2000, for the purpose of establishing block boundaries for the 2000
 24 federal decennial census and for reapportionment purposes. However,
 25 for those precincts subsequently changed by or pursuant to a court
 26 order or by ordinance of the respective parish governing authority as
 27 provided in R.S. 18:532.1(G) and validated by the Legislature of

1 Louisiana prior to June 23, 2001, reference is to precincts so changed
2 and validated.

3 C. When a precinct enumerated in this Section has been
4 subdivided by action of the parish registrar of voters or governing
5 authority on a nongeographic basis (for purposes of polling), or
6 subdivided by action of the parish governing authority on a geographic
7 basis under the provisions of R.S. 18:532.1(G), the enumeration in this
8 Section of the general precinct designation shall include all polling
9 subdivisions thereof and all geographic subdivisions thereof, however
10 such subdivisions may be designated. The territorial limits of the
11 congressional districts as provided in Subsection A of this Section and
12 subject to the provisions of Subsection B of this Section shall continue
13 in effect without change regardless of any changes made to the
14 precincts by the parish registrar of voters or the parish governing
15 authority.

16 D. This Section shall not reduce the term of office of any
17 member of congress who was elected at the 2000 congressional election
18 or who was elected to fill a vacancy for the remainder of a term which
19 began on January 3 , 2001.

20 E. A vacancy in the representation of any congressional district
21 which is filled after January 3, 2003, shall be filled as provided by law
22 from that district as it is described in this Section.

23 F. This Section shall not reduce the term of office of any person
24 holding any position or office on January 3, 2003, for which the
25 appointment or election is based upon a congressional district. Any
26 position or office filled after January 3, 2003, for which the

1 appointment or election is based on a congressional district shall be
 2 appointed or elected from that district as it is described in this Section.

3 Section 2. R.S. 18:1276.1 is hereby repealed effective at noon on
 4 January 3, 2003.

5 Section 3. The provisions of Section 1 of this Act shall become
 6 effective solely for the purposes of the election of representatives to the United
 7 States Congress at the next regularly scheduled election for representatives to
 8 the congress in 2002, commencing on the date and at the time that the
 9 qualifying period opens for such offices. The effectiveness of Section 1 of this
 10 Act for such purposes shall not reduce the term of office of any member of the
 11 congress or change the district which any member represents pursuant to R.S.
 12 18:1276.1. For subsequent elections of representatives to the United States
 13 Congress and for all other purposes, the provisions of Section 1 of this Act
 14 shall become effective at noon on the third day of January in 2003.

DIGEST

The digest printed below was prepared by House Legislative Services. It constitutes no part of the legislative instrument.

Bruneau, Lancaster

HB No. 2

Abstract: Provides for the redistricting of the state's congressional districts and provides for the composition of each of the seven congressional districts. Effective for election purposes only for the regular congressional elections in 2002 and for all purposes on Jan. 3, 2003.

Statistical summaries of the proposed law, including district variances from the ideal population of 638,425 and the range of those variances, as well as maps illustrating proposed district boundaries accompany this digest. *(Attached to hard copies of the bill distributed during session and available as a separate document on the Internet.)*

Present U.S. Constitution (14th Amendment) provides that representatives in congress shall be apportioned among the several states according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each state. The U.S. Supreme Court has held that the population of congressional districts in the same state must be as nearly equal in population as practicable.

Present law divides the state into seven districts for election of Louisiana's representatives to the U.S. House of Representatives.

Proposed law redraws district boundaries for the seven congressional districts, effective for election purposes with the opening of the qualifying period for the 2002 primary election for members of congress.

Proposed law specifies that precincts referenced in district descriptions are those adopted by the respective parish governing authorities under R.S. 18:532 and made effective not later than January 1, 2000, for the purpose of establishing block boundaries for the 2000 federal decennial census, except that for precincts changed by court order or ordinance as provided by present law and validated by the legislature prior to June 23, 2001, reference is to precincts so changed and validated. Also specifies that if any such precinct has been subdivided on a nongeographic or geographic basis under existing law, the general precinct designation in the district description includes all nongeographic and geographic subdivisions of the precinct. Further provides that the territorial limits of the congressional districts as enacted shall continue in effect without change regardless of any changes made to the precincts by the parish registrar of voters or the parish governing authority.

Proposed law specifies that it does not reduce the term of congressmen elected at the 2000 congressional election or elected to fill a vacancy for the remainder of a term which began on January 3, 2001. Requires that a vacancy in congress filled after January 3, 2003, be filled from the new district.

Proposed law retains present districts until noon, January 3, 2003, at which time present law is repealed and proposed districts are effective for all purposes.

Effective for election purposes only for the regular congressional elections in 2002; effective for all purposes on Jan. 3, 2003.

Population counts in the summaries accompanying this digest are derived from Census 2000 Redistricting Data (P.L. 94-171), Summary File, Census of Population and Housing, Louisiana (U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, issued March 9, 2001), as validated and adjusted by staff of the Louisiana Legislature. Population data, statistical information, and maps are supplied for purposes of information and analysis and comprise no part of proposed law text.

(Adds R.S. 18:1276; Repeals R.S. 18:1276.1)

Plan Statistics

Districts:	# of Members	Actual Population	Ideal Population	Absolute Deviation	Relative Deviation
District 1	1	638,374	638,425	-51	-0.008%
District 2	1	637,995	638,425	-430	-0.067%
District 3	1	638,228	638,425	-197	-0.031%
District 4	1	638,509	638,425	84	0.013%
District 5	1	638,474	638,425	49	0.008%
District 6	1	638,966	638,425	541	0.085%
District 7	1	638,430	638,425	5	0.001%
Grand Total:	7	4,468,976	4,468,975		

Ideal Population Per Member:	638,425			<i>Ideal - Actual:</i> -1
Number of Districts for Plan Type:	7			<i>Remainder:</i> 1
Range of District Populations:	637,995	to	638,966	<i>Unassigned Population:</i> 0
Absolute Mean Deviation	139			
Absolute Range:	-430	to	541	
Absolute Overall Range:	971			
Relative Mean Deviation:	0.00%			
Relative Range:	-0.07%	to	0.08%	
Relative Overall Range:	0.15%			

District Summary

Total Population Ethnic Breakout

Name	Tot Pop	Tot White	Tot Black	Tot Asian	Tot Other	Tot Hispanic	Reg Total
District 1	638,374	524,039	87,696	11,314	15,325	30,309	366,948
	100.000%	82.090%	13.737%	1.772%	2.401%	4.748%	76.440%
District 2	637,995	191,969	414,666	18,595	12,765	23,444	335,220
	100.000%	30.089%	64.995%	2.915%	2.001%	3.675%	73.334%
District 3	638,228	456,971	155,147	7,644	18,466	13,436	369,401
	100.000%	71.600%	24.309%	1.198%	2.893%	2.105%	81.328%
District 4	638,509	403,704	214,691	5,702	14,412	13,071	342,826
	100.000%	63.226%	33.624%	0.893%	2.257%	2.047%	73.777%
District 5	638,474	407,657	219,600	3,788	7,429	8,473	370,874
	100.000%	63.849%	34.395%	0.593%	1.164%	1.327%	79.527%
District 6	638,966	407,096	214,857	10,024	6,989	10,386	359,179
	100.000%	63.712%	33.626%	1.569%	1.094%	1.625%	76.752%
District 7	638,430	464,725	161,660	5,337	6,708	8,619	379,787
	100.000%	72.792%	25.321%	0.836%	1.051%	1.350%	82.779%
Grand Total:	4,468,976	2,856,161	1,468,317	62,404	82,094	107,738	2,524,235
	100.000%	63.911%	32.856%	1.396%	1.837%	2.411%	77.688%

District Summary

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Name	Reg Total	Reg White	Reg Black	Reg Other	Reg Dem Total	Reg Rep Total	Reg Oth Total
District 1	366,948	313,194	36,994	16,760	168,824	127,751	70,373
	76.440%	85.351%	10.082%	4.567%	46.008%	34.814%	19.178%
District 2	335,220	111,928	204,146	19,146	230,704	41,760	62,756
	73.334%	33.389%	60.899%	5.711%	68.822%	12.457%	18.721%
District 3	369,401	276,886	83,275	9,240	243,653	67,226	58,522
	81.328%	74.955%	22.543%	2.501%	65.959%	18.199%	15.842%
District 4	342,826	233,707	100,157	8,962	204,153	78,589	60,084
	73.777%	68.171%	29.215%	2.614%	59.550%	22.924%	17.526%
District 5	370,874	252,371	113,171	5,332	235,742	79,220	55,912
	79.527%	68.048%	30.515%	1.438%	63.564%	21.360%	15.076%
District 6	359,179	247,654	100,972	10,553	203,415	91,805	63,959
	76.752%	68.950%	28.112%	2.938%	56.633%	25.560%	17.807%
District 7	379,787	285,222	86,535	8,030	239,895	75,856	64,036
	82.779%	75.101%	22.785%	2.114%	63.166%	19.973%	16.861%
Grand Total:	2,524,235	1,720,962	725,250	78,023	1,526,386	562,207	435,642
	77.688%	68.178%	28.731%	3.091%	60.469%	22.272%	17.258%

Assigned Districts Splits

ALL POP & REG

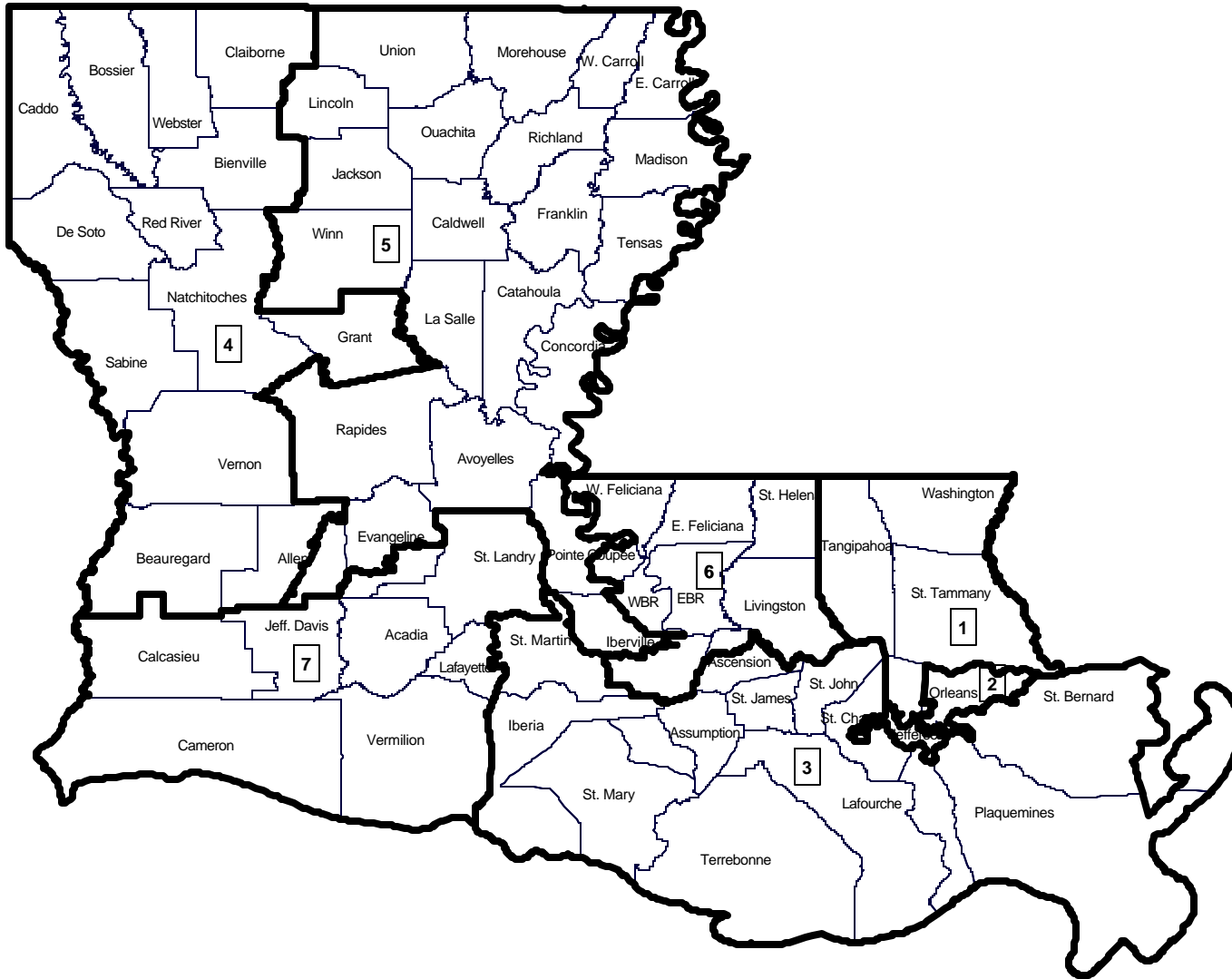
	Tot Pop	Tot White	Tot Black	Tot Asian	Tot Other	Reg Total	Reg White	Reg Black	Reg Other
District 1									
* Jefferson	262,880	222,575	22,299	8,182	9,824	147,529	132,718	6,009	8,802
* Orleans	39,712	35,217	3,097	648	750	25,591	22,842	1,426	1,323
St. Tammany	191,268	166,458	19,620	1,865	3,325	114,700	100,089	9,451	5,160
Tangipahoa	100,588	70,175	28,737	519	1,157	54,002	39,459	13,261	1,282
Washington	43,926	29,614	13,943	100	269	25,126	18,086	6,847	193
District 1	638,374	524,039	87,696	11,314	15,325	366,948	313,194	36,994	16,760
	100.000%	82.090%	13.737%	1.772%	2.401%	76.440%	85.351%	10.082%	4.567%
District 2									
* Jefferson	182,024	86,100	82,919	7,367	5,638	95,046	49,150	38,933	6,963
* Orleans	444,962	100,739	326,074	11,173	6,976	234,275	59,661	162,575	12,039
* St. Charles	11,009	5,130	5,673	55	151	5,899	3,117	2,638	144
District 2	637,995	191,969	414,666	18,595	12,765	335,220	111,928	204,146	19,146
	100.000%	30.089%	64.995%	2.915%	2.001%	73.334%	33.389%	60.899%	5.711%
District 3									
* Ascension	39,143	25,740	12,617	149	637	22,910	15,657	6,839	414
Assumption	23,388	15,710	7,403	75	200	14,746	10,098	4,602	46
Iberia	73,266	47,682	22,926	1,586	1,072	43,094	30,039	12,341	714
* Jefferson	10,562	9,327	658	147	430	6,244	5,582	367	295
Lafourche	89,974	74,544	11,548	684	3,198	49,342	43,666	4,851	825
Plaquemines	26,757	18,668	6,328	788	973	15,839	11,497	3,215	1,127
St. Bernard	67,229	59,356	5,286	1,185	1,402	40,997	37,736	2,263	998
* St. Charles	37,063	29,673	6,582	290	518	21,778	17,757	3,423	598
St. James	21,216	10,606	10,512	15	83	13,819	7,165	6,584	70
St. John the Baptist	43,044	22,633	19,416	295	700	25,188	13,843	10,719	626
St. Martin	48,583	32,040	15,707	479	357	30,052	20,474	9,248	330
St. Mary	53,500	33,591	17,197	931	1,781	31,475	20,681	10,083	711
Terrebonne	104,503	77,401	18,967	1,020	7,115	53,917	42,691	8,740	2,486
District 3	638,228	456,971	155,147	7,644	18,466	369,401	276,886	83,275	9,240
	100.000%	71.600%	24.309%	1.198%	2.893%	81.328%	74.955%	22.543%	2.501%
District 4									
* Allen	11,734	10,120	1,333	62	219	6,379	5,661	613	105
Beauregard	32,986	27,790	4,375	256	565	17,979	15,506	2,010	463
Bienville	15,752	8,651	6,937	31	133	9,369	5,379	3,951	39
Bossier	98,310	73,403	20,947	1,602	2,358	51,136	40,470	8,714	1,952
Caddo	252,161	133,424	113,456	2,030	3,251	135,819	79,928	52,284	3,607
Claiborne	16,851	8,728	8,018	36	69	8,631	5,062	3,543	26
De Soto	25,494	14,269	10,814	37	374	15,120	9,024	5,642	454
Grant	18,698	15,973	2,264	54	407	11,251	9,751	1,372	128
Natchitoches	39,080	22,608	15,205	198	1,069	22,128	13,360	8,164	604
Red River	9,622	5,568	3,963	21	70	6,209	3,803	2,390	16
Sabine	23,459	17,048	4,020	66	2,325	13,641	11,107	2,102	432
Vernon	52,531	38,717	9,518	1,187	3,109	21,060	17,973	2,180	907
Webster	41,831	27,405	13,841	122	463	24,104	16,683	7,192	229
District 4	638,509	403,704	214,691	5,702	14,412	342,826	233,707	100,157	8,962
	100.000%	63.226%	33.624%	0.893%	2.257%	73.777%	68.171%	29.215%	2.614%
District 5									
* Allen	13,706	8,171	4,998	107	430	5,519	3,819	1,518	182
Avoyelles	41,481	28,402	12,362	93	624	23,201	17,249	5,787	165
Caldwell	10,560	8,493	1,901	21	145	6,513	5,527	951	35
Catahoula	10,920	7,838	2,982	16	84	7,633	5,640	1,964	29
Concordia	20,247	12,300	7,702	56	189	11,970	7,745	4,132	93
East Carroll	9,421	2,977	6,353	40	51	5,694	1,974	3,678	42
* Evangeline	12,878	11,349	1,379	36	114	7,669	6,970	666	33
Franklin	21,263	14,281	6,762	53	167	13,072	9,297	3,737	38
* Iberville	14,932	6,323	8,480	53	76	9,637	4,358	5,238	41
Jackson	15,397	10,934	4,312	43	108	9,804	6,933	2,781	90
La Salle	14,282	12,301	1,754	35	192	8,895	8,094	700	101

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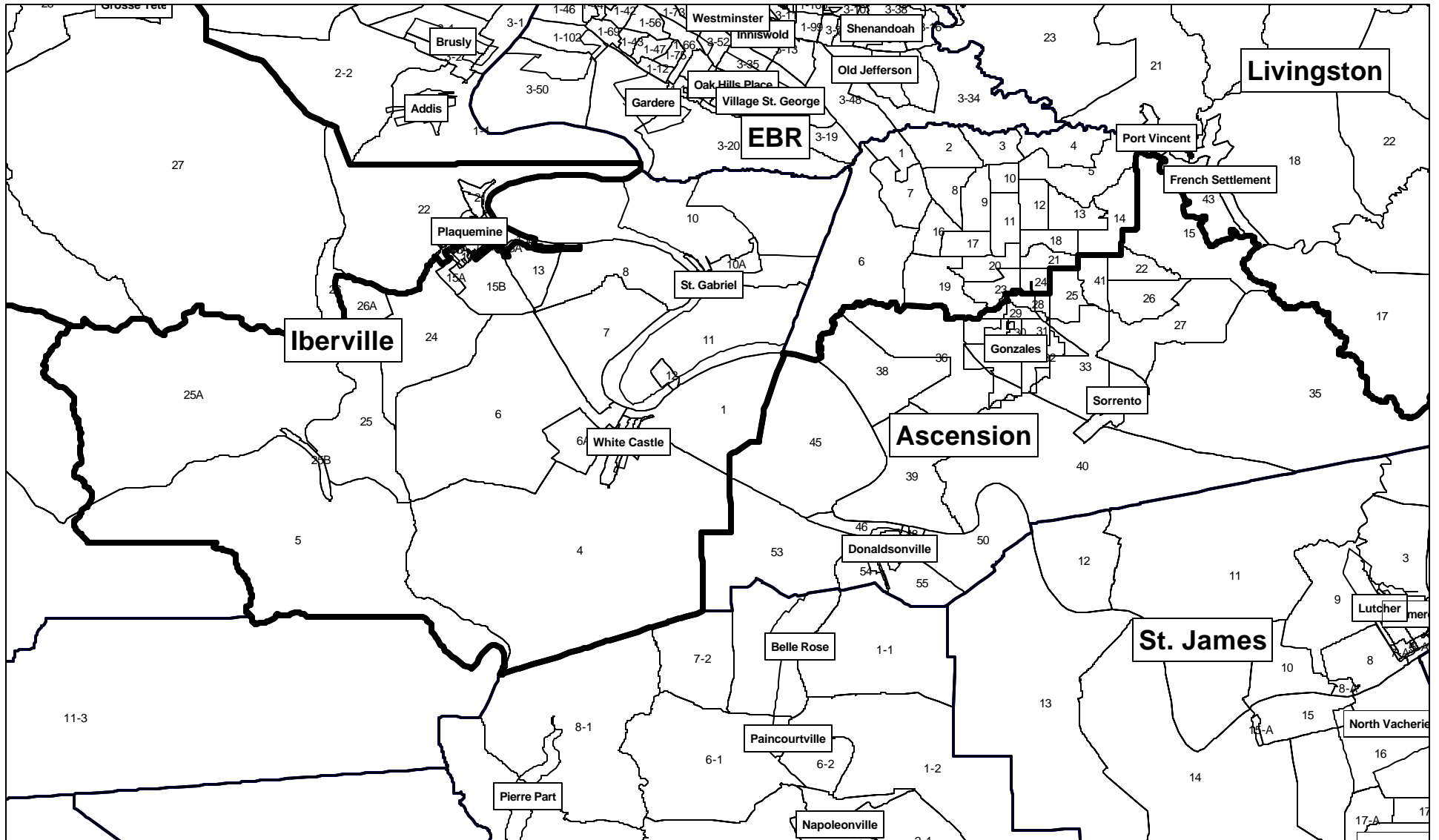
ALL POP & REG

	Tot Pop	Tot White	Tot Black	Tot Asian	Tot Other	Reg Total	Reg White	Reg Black	Reg Other
Lincoln	42,509	24,409	17,079	581	440	21,940	13,429	7,828	683
Madison	13,728	5,197	8,313	24	194	7,700	3,290	4,361	49
Morehouse	31,021	17,297	13,521	70	133	18,881	11,218	7,490	173
Ouachita	147,250	94,947	49,842	1,105	1,356	84,241	57,222	25,082	1,937
* Pointe Coupee	12,932	5,802	7,029	17	84	8,883	4,141	4,716	26
Rapides	126,337	84,024	38,904	1,237	2,172	71,096	51,254	18,488	1,354
Richland	20,981	12,791	8,010	60	120	12,822	8,356	4,412	54
Tensas	6,618	2,874	3,699	13	32	4,563	2,172	2,379	12
Union	22,803	15,914	6,414	69	406	14,601	10,706	3,750	145
West Carroll	12,314	9,838	2,327	22	127	7,387	6,235	1,123	29
Winn	16,894	11,195	5,477	37	185	9,153	6,742	2,390	21
District 5	638,474	407,657	219,600	3,788	7,429	370,874	252,371	113,171	5,332
	100.000%	63.849%	34.395%	0.593%	1.164%	79.527%	68.048%	30.515%	1.438%
District 6									
* Ascension	37,484	33,564	3,067	181	672	20,236	18,231	1,394	611
East Baton Rouge	412,852	231,886	167,002	9,351	4,613	227,264	142,416	77,178	7,670
East Feliciana	21,360	11,063	10,107	69	121	11,840	6,816	4,216	808
* Iberville	18,388	10,089	8,151	44	104	10,060	6,468	3,546	46
Livingston	91,814	86,625	3,952	226	1,011	55,062	51,497	2,352	1,213
* Pointe Coupee	9,831	8,063	1,641	51	76	6,723	5,658	1,034	31
St. Helena	10,525	4,897	5,550	10	68	8,186	3,856	4,269	61
West Baton Rouge	21,601	13,561	7,740	53	247	13,662	8,756	4,844	62
West Feliciana	15,111	7,348	7,647	39	77	6,146	3,956	2,139	51
District 6	638,966	407,096	214,857	10,024	6,989	359,179	247,654	100,972	10,553
	100.000%	63.712%	33.626%	1.569%	1.094%	76.752%	68.950%	28.112%	2.938%
District 7									
Acadia	58,861	47,521	10,833	123	384	35,070	28,605	6,130	335
Calcasieu	183,577	135,107	44,782	1,411	2,277	112,065	84,083	24,880	3,102
Cameron	9,991	9,357	407	49	178	6,872	6,538	283	51
* Evangeline	22,556	13,602	8,820	35	99	13,618	8,642	4,935	41
Jefferson Davis	31,435	25,337	5,718	84	296	19,029	15,556	3,225	248
Lafayette	190,503	139,758	46,013	2,352	2,380	110,411	83,900	23,233	3,278
St. Landry	87,700	49,555	37,287	231	627	50,025	29,715	19,791	519
Vermilion	53,807	44,488	7,800	1,052	467	32,697	28,183	4,058	456
District 7	638,430	464,725	161,660	5,337	6,708	379,787	285,222	86,535	8,030
	100.000%	72.792%	25.321%	0.836%	1.051%	82.779%	75.101%	22.785%	2.114%

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