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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 16

BY REPRESENTATIVE HUNTER

HOUSE/RULES: Requires the number of yea and nay votes to be displayed in the House Chamber after the voting machine is closed

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To adopt House Rule 10.10 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to require
3 the total vote to be visible to each member in the chamber.

4 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana
5 that House Rule 10.10 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives is hereby
6 adopted to read as follows:

7 Rule 10.10. Voting Display

8 The actual numerical total of yea votes and nay votes shall be displayed to
9 each member of the House of Representatives in the House Chamber immediately
10 after the voting machine is closed.

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Legislature
12 of Louisiana that the provisions of this Resolution shall become effective on the twenty-first
13 day after its adoption.

DIGEST

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HR No. 16

Abstract: Requires the actual numerical total of yea votes and nay votes to be displayed to each member of the House in the House Chamber immediately after the voting machine is closed.

Proposed House Rule requires the actual numerical total of yea votes and nay votes to be displayed to each member of the House in the House Chamber immediately after the voting machine is closed.

Proposed House Rule provides that it becomes effective on the 21st day after its adoption.

(Adds House Rule 10.10)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to the original resolution.

1. Removes provisions requiring an actual running tally to be displayed and provides instead for the numerical total to be displayed when the voting machine is closed.