

Regular Session, 2014

SENATE BILL NO. 472

BY SENATOR MILLS

PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT. Provides with respect to the Board of Pardons. (8/1/14)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 15:572.1(A)(1)(c) and (G)(2), relative to the Board of Pardons;  
3 to provide for minimum qualifications for board members; to provide for powers of  
4 ex officio board members; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 15:572.1(A)(1)(c) and (G)(2) are hereby amended and reenacted to  
7 read as follows:

8 §572.1. Board of Pardons; membership; domicile; session; quorum

9 A.(1)(a) \* \* \*

10 (c) All members, **except for the ex officio member, shall have not less**  
11 **than a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, and** shall  
12 possess not less than five years actual experience in the field of penology,  
13 corrections, law enforcement, sociology, law, education, social work, medicine,  
14 **psychology, psychiatry,** or a combination thereof. **If a member does not have a**  
15 **bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, he shall have no less**  
16 **than seven years experience in a field listed in this Subsection.** The provisions  
17 of this Subparagraph shall not apply to any person serving as a member of the board

