

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 100 (HB 177)

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Existing law creates the La. Naval War Memorial Commission in the Dept. of Culture, Recreation and Tourism. Existing law provides for a 17-member commission.

Prior law required the commission to hold at least three regular meetings each year; existing law authorizes other meetings upon call of the chairman or a majority of the members. New law requires only one annual meeting.

Prior law required a quorum of nine members for the transaction of business. New law changes quorum requirement to a majority of serving members.

Existing law requires that a vacancy in the membership of the commission be filled by the governor by appointment for the unexpired term. Further provides that members may be removed by the governor for cause.

New law authorizes the commission to remove members for cause. Further authorizes the commission to remove a member who misses two consecutive meetings if the absences have not been approved by the commission. Requires the commission to notify the governor in writing prior to removal of a member for missing meetings and authorizes the commission to remove the member if the governor does not object to the removal within 30 days.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 25:1001(B) and (C); Adds R.S. 25:1001(E))