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SENATE BILL NO. 103

BY SENATOR RISER

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

WATER/WATERWAYS. Provides for approval of rules and regulations of a game and fish commission. (8/1/17)

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 56:722(A)(2), relative to game and fish commissions; to provide
3	for the adoption of rules and regulations; to provide for terms and conditions; and to
4	provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 56:722(A)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§722. Game and fish commission; rules and regulations
8	A.(1) * * * *
9	(2) The commission may make rules and regulations for the government,
10	regulation, and control of the preserve and for the conservation, protection, and
11	propagation of game and fish in the preserve, provided that such rules and
12	regulations shall be finally approved, adopted, and promulgated by the Louisiana
13	Wildlife and Fisheries Commission. If the Louisiana Wildlife and Fisheries
14	Commission fails to take action on the proposed rules and regulations within
15	one hundred eighty days after submission by the commission, the proposed
16	rules and regulations shall be deemed to be adopted.
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<u>Present law</u> requires that if a game and fish commission makes rules and regulations for the government, regulation, and control of the preserve and for the conservation, protection, and propagation of game and fish in the preserve, such rules and regulations shall be finally approved, adopted, and promulgated by the La. Wildlife and Fisheries Commission.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that if the La. Wildlife and Fisheries Commission fails to take action on the proposed rules and regulations within 180 days after submission by the commission, then the proposed rules and regulations shall be deemed to be adopted.

Effective August 1, 2017.

(Amends R.S. 56:722(A)(2))