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2018 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 484

BY SENATOR PERRY

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ETHICS. Provides relative to the enforcement of a regulation, decision, or order of the Board of Ethics. (8/1/18)

AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 42:1135, relative to the Board of Ethics; to provide relative to 3 the enforcement of a regulation, decision, or order of the board; to authorize any court of competent jurisdiction to convert a final order of the board into a court 4 5 order; and to provide for related matters. 6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: Section 1. R.S. 42:1135 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows: 8 §1135. Enforcement of regulation, decision, or order of the Board of Ethics 9 The Board of Ethics shall have the right to enforce any valid regulation, final 10 decision, or final order of the Board of Ethics or the Ethics Adjudicatory Board in 11 any court of competent jurisdiction in this state by a mandamus or injunction suit brought for that purpose. The district court for the parish wherein the Board of Ethics 12 13 is domiciled Any court of competent jurisdiction in this state shall have authority to convert a valid final decision or final order into a court order, upon receipt from 14 the Board of Ethics of a rule to show cause for that purpose. 15

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Curry Lann.

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<u>Present law</u> authorizes the Board of Ethics to enforce any valid regulation, final decision, or final order of the board or the Ethics Adjudicatory Board in any court of competent jurisdiction in this state by a mandamus or injunction suit brought for that purpose.

## <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes the district court for the parish wherein the Board of Ethics is domiciled to convert a valid final decision or final order into a court order, upon receipt from the Board of Ethics of a rule to show cause for that purpose.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes any court of competent jurisdiction to convert a valid final decision or final order into a court order, upon receipt from the Board of Ethics of a rule to show cause for that purpose.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 42:1135)