

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 855

BY REPRESENTATIVE MIGUEZ

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 323 of the 2013 Regular Session of the
3 Legislature, as amended by Act No. 427 of the 2015 Regular Session of the
4 Legislature, and R.S. 30:2418(H)(10) and to enact R.S. 30:2412(40), relative to
5 waste tires; to provide for end-market uses of waste tires and waste tire material; to
6 provide for definitions; to provide for the Waste Tire Program Task Force; and to
7 provide for related matters.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 30:2418(H)(10) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.
10 30:2412(40) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

11 §2412. Definitions

12 As used in this Chapter, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the
13 term:

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15 (40) "Customary end-market use" means any use in a project that conforms
16 to generally accepted standard industry practices, including but not limited to those
17 recognized by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Tire
18 Manufacturers Association, and those previously approved by the department
19 including bulkheads, tire-derived fuel, and crumb rubber applications, or other uses
20 approved by the department.

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1 Environment and the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality ~~annually~~
 2 until February 15, 2020. ~~Additionally, recommendations for any changes to~~
 3 ~~the fee structure of the program shall be submitted to the committees on or~~
 4 ~~before February 15, 2016, and thereafter, such recommendations shall be~~
 5 ~~submitted with the annual report.~~

6 B. The Waste Tire Program Task Force shall be composed of the
 7 following members:

8 (1) The secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality, or her
 9 designee.

10 (2) The secretary of the Department of Transportation and
 11 Development, or his designee.

12 ~~(2)~~(3) The chairman of the House Committee on Natural Resources
 13 and Environment, or his designee.

14 ~~(3)~~(4) The chairman of the Senate Committee on Environmental
 15 Quality, or his designee.

16 ~~(4)~~(5) A representative appointed by the governor.

17 ~~(5)~~(6) A representative appointed by the Louisiana Motor Transport
 18 Association.

19 ~~(6)~~(7) A representative appointed by the Louisiana Independent Tire
 20 Dealers Association.

21 ~~(7)~~(8) A representative appointed by each of the active waste tire
 22 processors permitted as of May 1, 2013.

23 ~~(8)~~(9) A representative appointed by the Louisiana Marine and
 24 Motorcycle Dealers Association.

25 ~~(9)~~(10) A representative appointed by the Louisiana Farm Bureau.

26 (11) A representative appointed by the Louisiana Automobile Dealers
 27 Association.

28 C. Task force members shall serve without compensation, except per
 29 diem or expense reimbursement to which they may be individually entitled
 30 as members of their constituent organizations. The secretary of the

1 Department of Environmental Quality, or her designee, shall serve as
2 chairman of the task force and at the first meeting, the task force shall elect
3 a vice chairman. The task force shall meet as necessary to complete its
4 responsibilities: , and shall disband on February 15, 2020.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____