

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 812

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 56:578.2(A)(1) and (C), relative to the Louisiana Seafood
3 Promotion and Marketing Board; to add new members to that board; to provide for
4 what constitutes a quorum; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 56:578.2(A)(1) and (C) are hereby amended and reenacted to read
7 as follows:

8 §578.2. Louisiana Seafood Promotion and Marketing Board; creation and
9 organization

10 A.(1)(a) There is hereby created in the Department of Culture, Recreation
11 and Tourism the Louisiana Seafood Promotion and Marketing Board. The agency
12 shall have its domicile in Baton Rouge and shall be governed by a board of trustees
13 composed of ~~fourteen~~ eighteen members; ~~thirteen~~ Thirteen members shall be
14 appointed by the lieutenant governor from persons engaged in the commercial
15 seafood, crawfish, and alligator industry in Louisiana as provided in Paragraph (2)
16 of this Subsection.

17 (b) ~~and the fourteenth member to~~ There shall be the five members who shall
18 serve as ex officio nonvoting members as follows:

19 (i) The secretary of the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism or
20 his designated representative, who shall serve as an ex officio nonvoting member.

21 (ii) The secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries or his
22 designated representative from the department staff.

