

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senator Peterson to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 9 by Senator Peterson

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, delete "R.S. 48:1655(N) and 1656(2)", and insert "R.S. 48:1653(18), (19),
3 (20), (21), and (22), 1655(N) and 1656(2) and to enact R.S. 48:1653(23)"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 9, after "Section 1." delete the entire line and insert "R.S. 48:1653(18), (19),
6 (20), (21), and (22), 1655(N) and 1656(2) are hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.
7 48:1653(23) is hereby enacted to read"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

10 "§1653. Definitions; terms defined

11 For purposes of this Chapter, the following words have the meanings ascribed to
12 them by this Section, except where the context clearly indicates otherwise:

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14 (18) **"Management class" or "class of position" means a definitely recognized**
15 **kind of employment designated to embrace positions that are so nearly alike in the**
16 **essential character of their duties, responsibilities, and consequent qualification**
17 **requirements that they can fairly and equitable be treated alike under like conditions**
18 **for all personnel purposes in which the primary duty or responsibility of policy,**
19 **planning, accounting, administration, clerical, grants management compliance,**
20 **engineering, finance, security, and technology.**

21 (19) "Civil service" means the state civil service system.

22 (19) (20) "Private transit and operator" means any privately owned and operated
23 transit operation that operates as a private enterprise within the authority's geographic area.

24 (20) (21) "Transportation related taxes" may include, but not necessarily be limited
25 to gasoline tax, parking tax, licensed vehicle tax based upon vehicle weight or horsepower,
26 or both, airport head tax, and taxicabs tax.

27 (21) (22) "Parish eligible to participate" shall include the parishes of Orleans,
28 Jefferson, St. Tammany, St. Bernard, and any other parish adjacent to a member parish
29 whose local governing body has authorized application for membership in the authority.

30 (22) (23) "Public transit revenue operating miles" means the miles which a public
31 transit vehicle travels when in revenue service. A public transit vehicle is in revenue service
32 only when the vehicle is available to the public and there is a reasonable expectation of
33 carrying passengers that either directly pay fares, are subsidized through public policy, or
34 provide payment through some contract arrangement.

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36 AMENDMENT NO. 4

37 On page 1, line 15, after "**employee**" insert "**that falls under the management class**"