

2019 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 590

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4574.12(B)(6), (C)(1), and (D)(1)(a), relative to the River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors District; to provide relative to meetings and powers of the district's governing commission; to provide relative to hotel occupancy taxes levied by the commission; and to provide for related matters.

Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 33:4574.12(B)(6), (C)(1), and (D)(1)(a) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§4574.12. River Parishes Convention, Tourist, and Visitors District; commission

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(6) The commission shall meet at least once per quarter ~~but not more than once per month.~~

C.(1) The commission shall have the power to sue and be sued, to accept grants or donations of every type, to spend money on capital improvements if necessary to receive matching federal or state funds, to do all things necessary for the attraction of conventions, tourists, and visitors, including the management and promotion of convention facilities, tourist attractions, film studios and activities, docking facilities, and other points of interest within the three-parish area. Such promotion may include the advertisement and publication of information relating

