
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2020 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Local and Municipal Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 416 by Senator Carter

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 3, line 23, following "to" and before "permit" delete "a"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 3, line 26, change "filed" to "filled"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 5, line 3, after "operation by" delete the remainder of the line and on line 4, delete
7 "public belt"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 4

9 On page 6, line 5, following "Orleans" insert "rail"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 5

11 On page 6, line 16, delete "and the public belt railroad system"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 6

13 On page 7, line 13, change "board of commissioners of the port" to "Board of
14 Commissioners of the Port"

15 AMENDMENT NO. 7

16 On page 8, line 1, delete "said" and insert "the"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 8

18 On page 8, line 7, delete "Said" and insert "The"

19 AMENDMENT NO. 9

20 On page 8, line 12, delete "said" and insert "the"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 10

22 On page 8, line 14, delete "said" and insert "the"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 11

24 On page 8, line 29, following "subdivision" and before "undertake" insert "or state agency"
25 and change "~~(i)~~" to "(i)"

26 AMENDMENT NO. 12

27 On page 9, line 8, delete "said" and insert "the"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 13

29 On page 12, line 8, following "D." and before "The" add ":",

1 "The railroad commission, and any of its successors and assigns that operate, manage
2 and develop the public belt railroad system, shall be subject to the provisions of all
3 federal railroad laws to the extent applicable by their terms to the public belt railroad
4 system, including the Railway Labor Act, the Federal Employers Liability Act, the
5 Railroad Retirement Act, the Railroad Retirement Tax Act, the Railroad
6 Unemployment Insurance Act, the Federal Railroad Safety Act, and the Interstate
7 Commerce Act."

8 AMENDMENT NO. 14

9 On page 13, between 11 and 12, insert:

10 "F. The railroad commission and the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New
11 Orleans may make agreements between themselves to engage jointly in the
12 construction, finance, acquisition or improvement of any public port or rail project or
13 improvement, the promotion and maintenance of any undertaking, or the exercise of
14 any power, provided that at least one of those political subdivisions is authorized under
15 a provision of general or special law to perform such activity to exercise such power as
16 may be necessary for completion of the undertaking. Such arrangements may provide
17 for the joint use of funds, facilities, or property or any combination thereof necessary
18 to accomplish the purposes of the agreement, and such agreements may include but are
19 not limited to activities concerning the construction, finance, acquisition or
20 improvement, or repair and maintenance, of public port or rail projects or
21 improvements."

22 AMENDMENT NO. 15

23 On page 13, line 12, change "F." to "G."

24 AMENDMENT NO. 16

25 On page 13, line 16, change "G." to "H."

26 AMENDMENT NO. 17

27 On page 13, line 24, change "H." to "I."

28 AMENDMENT NO. 18

29 On page 14, delete lines 1 through 14, and insert the following:

30 "A. The employees of the public belt railroad system, which were transferred from the
31 Public Belt Railroad Commission of the city of New Orleans to the New Orleans Public
32 Belt Railroad Corporation and pursuant to this Part are further transferred to the
33 railroad commission, may continue with the railroad commission, their existing
34 employment arrangements upon such transfer, including but not limited to existing
35 labor contracts. These employees are to be included in the unclassified service of state
36 civil service pursuant to Article X, Section 2 of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974. The
37 railroad commission shall recognize and maintain the rights of these employees under
38 existing labor contracts and applicable law. This Subsection shall not be interpreted
39 to prohibit future changes as may be permitted by law, contract, or negotiated
40 agreement with employees."

41 AMENDMENT NO. 19

42 On page 14, line 23, change "officer" to "officers"

43 AMENDMENT NO. 20

44 On page 16, line 6, change "interest" to "interests"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 21

2 On page 16, delete lines 16 through 28

3 AMENDMENT NO. 22

4 On page 16, line 29, after "Section" change "9." to "8."

5 AMENDMENT NO. 23

6 On page 16, line 29, change "2,4,7, 8, and 10" to "1, 2, 4, and "8"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 24

8 On page 17, line 6, after "Section" change "10." to "9."