

2021 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 79

BY SENATOR WARD

SPECIAL DISTRICTS. Provides relative to the governance of fire protection districts created by Pointe Coupee Parish. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 40:1504, relative to fire protection districts; to authorize the governing

3 authority of Pointe Coupee Parish to provide, by ordinance, for the governance of

4 districts created by the parish; and to provide for related matters.

5 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 40:1504 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 **§1504. Fire protection districts within Pointe Coupee Parish; governance**

9 **The governing authority of Pointe Coupee Parish may provide, by**

10 **ordinance, for the governance of fire protection districts created by the parish.**

11 **Any such ordinance may provide for the creation of one or more supervising**

12 **boards to govern such districts. Any ordinance that creates a supervising board**

13 **shall provide for the appointment and compensation of board members.**

14 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not

15 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature

16 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

17 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become

