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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 60

BY REPRESENTATIVE DESHOTEL

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES: Requests a joint subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee and Senate Finance Committee to research, evaluate, and make recommendations relative to the office of technology services

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

2	To authorize and request the chairmen of the House Committee on Appropriations and the
3	Senate Committee on Finance, acting jointly, to appoint a joint subcommittee
4	composed of members from each committee to research, evaluate, and make
5	recommendations for proposed legislation and policy changes relative to the office
6	of technology services within the division of administration.
7	WHEREAS, the office of technology services is responsible for establishing and
8	coordinating all information technology systems and information technology services
9	affecting the management and operations of the executive branch of state government; and
10	WHEREAS, the proposed budget for the office for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 is
11	approximately six hundred seventy million, comprised entirely of current and anticipated
12	payments from user agencies; and
13	WHEREAS, the legislative budget hearing process does not allow for the in-depth
14	review that is necessary to ascertain information on the various rates charged to user
15	agencies and services provided; and
16	WHEREAS, as the sole provider of technology services to executive branch
17	agencies, it is imperative that the office provides competitive rates and quality services to
18	agencies.
19	THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby
20	authorize and request the chairmen of the House Committee on Appropriations and the

1	Senate Committee on Finance, acting jointly, to appoint a joint subcommittee composed of
2	members from each committee to research, evaluate, and make recommendations for
3	proposed legislation and policy changes relative to the office of technology services within
4	the division of administration.
5	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the joint subcommittee shall be composed of six
6	members with equal representation from each standing committee, and the members of the
7	joint subcommittee shall elect a chairman by majority vote at the subcommittee's first
8	meeting.
9	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the joint subcommittee shall do all of the
10	following:
11	(1) Assess the office's delivery of services and management of information
12	technology to state agencies.
13	(2) Assess the current rates charged to user agencies and contracts with third party
14	vendors for services provided by the office of technology services.
15	(3) Assess time lines for new and ongoing projects and anticipated completion dates.
16	(4) Recommend legislation and policy changes for the 2023 Regular Session of the
17	Legislature.
18	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in undertaking the study, the joint subcommittee
19	shall conduct public hearings and may request research, documents, or data from the office
20	of technology services and any agencies receiving services from the office and take any
21	other actions it deems necessary to carry out its functions.
22	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the committee shall report its findings and
23	recommendations to the House Committee on Appropriations and the Senate Committee on
24	Finance no later than February 1, 2023.
25	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the
26	chief information officer of the office of technology services.

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