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## HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Representative Fontenot to Engrossed House Bill No. 739 by Representative Fontenot

## 1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "reenact" and before "2492(2) and (11)," delete "R.S. 3 33:2491(introductory paragraph) and (I)," and insert "R.S. 33:2481.4(C)(1), 4 2491(introductory paragraph) and (I),"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "2496(1)(a)(i) and (iii)," and before "2551(introductory paragraph)
and (9)," insert "2541.1(C)(1)(b)(i),"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, line 13, after "Section 1." and before "2492(2) and (11)," delete "R.S. 10 33:2491(introductory paragraph) and (I)," and insert "R.S. 33:2481.4(C)(1),

- 11 2491(introductory paragraph) and (I),"
- 12 AMENDMENT NO. 4

13 On page 1, line 14, after "2496(1)(a)(i) and (iii)," and before "2551(introductory paragraph) 14 and (9)," insert "2541.1(C)(1)(b)(i),"

15 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 5</u>

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- 16 On page 2, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:
  - "§2481.4. Deputy chief of police; competitive appointment

C.(1)(a) Any person who is appointed from a position in the classified police service to serve as deputy chief of police shall not forfeit his departmental or promotional seniority accumulated to the date of his appointment, and he shall continue to accumulate departmental or promotional seniority in accordance with the provisions of this Part during the time he holds the position of deputy chief of police.

24 (b) The deputy chief of police shall serve indefinitely in the classified 25 competitive position and shall be evaluated every three years by the chief of police. 26 After each evaluation by the chief of police, the chief may reconfirm the deputy chief 27 for another three year period, or may, at his discretion, demote the deputy chief to his former class of positions. The deputy chief of police shall serve indefinitely in 28 the classified competitive position and shall be evaluated three years from the date 29 30 of his initial appointment by the chief of police. Thereafter, the deputy chief of 31 police shall be evaluated every year by the chief of police. After each and every 32 evaluation by the chief of police, the chief may reconfirm the deputy chief for 33 another one-year period, or may at his discretion, demote the deputy chief to his former class of position. The demotion described in this Subparagraph shall not 34 35 constitute corrective or disciplinary action and the classified employee shall not have 36 appeal rights in regards to such action. 37 \*"

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CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.

## 1 AMENDMENT NO. 6

- On page 3, line 17, after "may prescribe." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines
  18 and 19 in their entirety
- 4 AMENDMENT NO. 7
- 5 On page 7, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

6	"§2541.1. Deputy chief of police; competitive appointment
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8	C.(1)
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10	(b)(i) The deputy chief of police shall serve indefinitely in the classified
11	competitive position and shall be evaluated every three years by the chief of police.
12	After each evaluation by the chief of police, the chief may reconfirm the deputy chief
13	for another three-year period, or may, at his discretion, demote the deputy chief to
14	his former class of positions. The deputy chief of police shall serve indefinitely in
15	the classified competitive position and shall be evaluated three years from the date
16	of his initial appointment by the chief of police. Thereafter, the deputy chief of
17	police shall be evaluated every year by the chief of police. After each and every
18	evaluation by the chief of police, the chief may reconfirm the deputy chief for
19	another one-year period, or may at his discretion, demote the deputy chief to his
20	former class of position. The demotion described in this Item shall not constitute
21	corrective or disciplinary action and the classified employee shall not have appeal
22	rights in regards to such action.
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24 AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 9, line 16, after "may prescribe." delete the remainder of the line and delete lines
17 and 18 in their entirety