

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 40 by Senator Allain

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 40:5.5.3" insert "and to enact R.S. 36:204(A)(10) and
3 209(D)(4)"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, insert "transfer of the Seafood Safety Task Force to
6 the Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; to provide for powers and duties of the
7 lieutenant governor; to provide for"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, line 4, after "enhanced" insert "responsibilities and "

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 1, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

12 "Section 1. R.S. 36:204(A)(10) and 209(D)(4) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

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14 §204. Powers and duties of secretary of culture, recreation and tourism

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16 A. In addition to the functions, powers, and duties otherwise vested in the
17 secretary by law, he shall:

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20 **(10) Administer a seafood program that includes the promotion and**
21 **marketing of Louisiana seafood as recommended by the Louisiana Seafood**
22 **Promotion and Marketing Board and regulating imported seafood to ensure**
23 **health and safety as recommended by the Seafood Safety Task Force, including**
24 **the administration of any funds allocated or appropriated for the specific**
25 **purposes of the program.**

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26 §209. Transfer of boards, commissions, departments, and agencies to Department of
27 Culture, Recreation and Tourism

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30 D. The following agencies are hereby placed within the Department of
31 Culture, Recreation and Tourism and shall exercise and perform their powers, duties,
32 functions, and responsibilities in accordance with the provisions of R.S. 36:802:

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33 **(4) The Seafood Safety Task Force (R.S. 40:5.5.3).**

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35 AMENDMENT NO. 5

36 On page 1, line 9, change "Section 1." to "Section 2."

37 AMENDMENT NO. 6

38 On page 1, delete line 11 and insert in lieu thereof "A. Within the ~~Louisiana Department of~~
39 ~~Health~~ **Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism** there is hereby created"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 7

2 On page 1, line 15, change "~~dangers of~~" to "health risks associated with"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 8

4 On page 1, delete line 16, and insert in lieu thereof "as making recommendations on the
5 utilization of monies in the Imported Seafood Safety Fund to test imported seafood."

6 AMENDMENT NO. 9

7 On page 1, line 17, change "~~studying~~" to "making recommendations on"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 10

9 On page 2, line 14, after "~~methods of~~" delete the remainder of the line, delete line 15, and
10 on line 16, delete "~~heritage of Louisiana seafood and~~"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 11

12 On page 2, delete lines 18 through 22 and insert the following:

13 "(8) The cost of permits and the amount of fines and penalties imposed
14 by the agencies that regulate seafood in this state and whether the cost of the
15 permits are sufficient to effectively enforce state mandated seafood programs
16 and whether the fines and penalties imposed are functioning as a successful
17 deterrent or if they need to be increased."

18 AMENDMENT NO. 12

19 On page 2, line 27, after "~~governor,~~" insert "lieutenant governor,"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 13

21 On page 3, line 7, change "~~sixteen~~" to "fourteen"

22 AMENDMENT NO. 14

23 On page 3, delete lines 27 and 28

24 AMENDMENT NO. 15

25 On page 3, line 29, change "~~(15)~~" to "(13)"

26 AMENDMENT NO. 16

27 On page 4, line 2, change "~~(16)~~" to "(14)"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 17

29 On page 4, delete lines 25 through 28 and insert the following:

30 "H. The Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism shall
31 promulgate any rules necessary, in accordance with the Administrative
32 Procedure Act, for implementation of the provisions of this Section."