

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to
Original House Bill No. 624 by Representative Berault

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 9, at the beginning of line 6, change "determination," to "determinations."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 14, line 2, change "moneys" to "monies"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 15, line 1, after "records" delete the semicolon ";" and delete "microfilm or
microfiche records"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 17, line 15, change "user friendly" to "user-friendly"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 23, line 4, change "(2)(a)" to "(2)(a)"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 23, delete line 5 and insert the following:

"(i) Registered ~~registered~~ for work. ~~at, and~~"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 23, line 9, after "requirements of" and before "as to" delete "this Section" and insert
"Paragraph (a) of this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 23, delete lines 13 through 16 and insert the following:

"(3)(a) All of the following apply:

(i) The individual ~~He~~ is able to work;

(ii) The individual is available for work;

(iii) The individual is actively searching ~~and is conducting an active search~~
for work."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 24, line 4, after "benefits" and before "as 'SNAP'" delete "herein referred to" and
insert "referred to in this Subsection"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 53, at the end of line 16, delete "age" and insert "the age of"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 11

2 On page 53, line 18, after "under" and before "one" delete "age" and insert "the age of"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 12

4 On page 79, at the end of line 9, delete "the"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 13

6 On page 79, at the end of line 28, delete "the"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 14

8 On page 83, line 3, after "applicant" insert a comma " , "

9 AMENDMENT NO. 15

10 On page 83, delete lines 9 through 11 and insert the following:

11 "E. For purposes of this Section, "customer" means an applicant or recipient
12 of public assistance benefits and services that fall within the purview of Louisiana
13 Works."

14 AMENDMENT NO. 16

15 On page 84, delete lines 6 through 8 and insert the following:

16 "(ii) For purposes of this Section, "customer" means a recipient of public
17 assistance administered by Louisiana Works who is under eighteen years of age and
18 all of the customer's dependents who are under eighteen years of age."

19 AMENDMENT NO. 17

20 On page 85, line 17, delete "or Louisiana Works on July 1, 2027." and insert "or Louisiana
21 Works on July 1, 2027."

22 AMENDMENT NO. 18

23 On page 88, line 27, change "Louisiana Civil Service" to "Department of State Civil
24 Service"

25 AMENDMENT NO. 19

26 On page 89, delete lines 15 through 17 and at the beginning of line 18 delete "amended and
27 reenacted" and insert "Section 19. The provisions of R.S. 23:73(E)(2) as amended and
28 reenacted in Section 6 of this Act"

29 AMENDMENT NO. 20

30 On page 89, line 18, after "R.S. 23:73(E)(2)" and before "Section 1" delete "of" and insert
31 "as amended and reenacted in"

32 AMENDMENT NO. 21

33 On page 89, line 19, after "Legislature" and before "when" delete "as amended and
34 reenacted"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 22

2 On page 89, delete lines 21 through 26 and at the beginning of line 27, delete "and
3 reenacted" and insert "Section 20. The provisions of R.S. 46:936 as amended and reenacted
4 in Section 9 of this Act"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 23

6 On page 89, line 27, after "R.S. 46:936" and before "Section 5" delete "of" and insert "as
7 amended and reenacted in"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 24

9 On page 89, line 28, after "Legislature" and before "when" delete "as amended and
10 reenacted"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 25

12 On page 90, delete lines 1 through 5 and at the beginning of line 6, change "Section 22.(A)
13 Effective" to "Section 21.(A) Beginning"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 26

15 On page 90, line 8, after "administered by" and before "The" delete "Louisiana Works." and
16 insert "the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successors."

17 AMENDMENT NO. 27

18 On page 90, at the end of line 16 delete "Louisiana" and at the beginning of line 17, delete
19 "Works" and insert "the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successors,"

20 AMENDMENT NO. 28

21 On page 90, line 19, after "and" and before "shall" delete "Louisiana Works" and insert "the
22 Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successors,"

23 AMENDMENT NO. 29

24 On page 90, line 23, after "operations." and before "shall" delete "Louisiana Works" and
25 insert "The Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successors,"

26 AMENDMENT NO. 30

27 On page 90, delete line 27 and insert "the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its
28 successors."

29 AMENDMENT NO. 31

30 On page 90, line 29, after "department, and" and before "or their" delete "Louisiana Works,"
31 and insert "the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successor,"

32 AMENDMENT NO. 32

33 On page 91, line 3, delete "Section 23.(A) Effective" and insert "Section 22.(A) Beginning"

34 AMENDMENT NO. 33

35 On page 91, at the end of line 5, delete "Louisiana Works." and insert "the Louisiana
36 Workforce Commission, or its successors."

1 AMENDMENT NO. 34

2 On page 91, line 8, after "transferred to" and before "in accordance" delete "Louisiana
3 Works" and insert "the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successors,"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 35

5 On page 91, line 10, after "transfer," and before "shall" delete "Louisiana Works" and insert
6 "the Louisiana Workforce Commission, or its successors,"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 36

8 On page 91, delete lines 12 through 24 and at the beginning of line 25, change "Section 25."
9 to "Section 23."

10 AMENDMENT NO. 37

11 On page 91, at the end of line 26, change "will" to "shall"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 38

13 On page 91, line 27, change "2024" to "2024,"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 39

15 On page 91, delete lines 29 and 30 on page 92, delete lines 1 through 3 and insert the
16 following:

- 17 "Section 24.(A) This Section, Section 21, and the provisions of R.S.
18 23:1600(2) and (3)(a) as amended and reenacted in Section 5 of this Act shall
19 become effective on July 1, 2025.
20 (B) The provisions of Sections 6, 9, 19, and 20 of this Act shall become
21 effective when Act No. 384 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature becomes
22 effective.
23 (C) Section 22 of this Act shall become effective July 1, 2026.
24 (D) Sections 1 through 4, 7, 8, 10 through 18, and 23 of this Act shall become
25 effective July 1, 2027, or when no more than one million dollars in additional
26 recurring state general funds is necessary to implement the provisions of this Act,
27 whichever occurs later."