

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Reengrossed House Bill No. 195 by Representative Chaney

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "5554(R)" insert "and to enact R.S. 13:5554(G)(3) and (4)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 3, change "the Richland Parish Sheriff's Office" to "certain sheriffs' offices"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 1, line 5, after "Office" insert ", the Acadia Parish Sheriff's Office, and the St.
7 Bernard Parish Sheriff's Office"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 4

9 On page 1, line 8, after "reenacted" insert "and R.S. 13:5554(G)(3) and (4) are hereby
10 enacted"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 5

12 On page 1, between lines 10 and 11, insert:

13 "G.(1) * * *

14 (3) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the
15 sheriff of Acadia Parish shall pay out of the sheriff's general fund the premium costs
16 of group insurance for any sheriff or deputy sheriff who is eligible to receive benefits
17 from the Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund, as follows:

18 (a) Fifty percent of the premium costs of group hospital, surgical, and
19 medical expense insurance contracted for under the provisions of this Section and the
20 first ten thousand dollars of life insurance contracted for under the provisions of this
21 Section if the sheriff or deputy sheriff has attained the age of fifty-five years with
22 twenty or more years of full-time continuous service with the Acadia Parish Sheriff's
23 Office.

24 (b) One hundred percent of the premium costs of group hospital, surgical,
25 and medical expense insurance contracted for under the provisions of this Section
26 and the first ten thousand dollars of life insurance contracted for under the provisions
27 of this Section if the sheriff or deputy sheriff has completed thirty years or more of
28 full-time creditable service with twenty years of continuous service with the Acadia
29 Parish Sheriff's Office, regardless of age.

30 (c) The provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, as applicable to the
31 Acadia Parish Sheriff's Office, shall apply to sheriffs and deputy sheriffs retired on
32 or before June 30, 2013. The provisions of Subparagraphs (a) and (b) of this
33 Paragraph shall apply to sheriffs and deputy sheriffs who retire on or after July 1,
34 2013; however, any sheriff or deputy sheriff who has met the eligibility requirements
35 pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, on or before June 30, 2013, may retire
36 at any time with benefits as provided in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection.

37 (4) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, the
38 sheriff of St. Bernard Parish shall pay out of the sheriff's general fund the premium
39 costs of group insurance for any sheriff or deputy sheriff who is eligible to receive
40 benefits from the Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund, as follows:

41 (a) Fifty percent of the premium costs of group hospital, surgical, and
42 medical expense insurance contracted for under the provisions of this Section and the
43 first ten thousand dollars of life insurance contracted for under the provisions of this
44 Section if the sheriff or deputy sheriff has attained the age of fifty-five years with

1 twenty or more years of full-time creditable service with the St. Bernard Parish
2 Sheriff's Office.

3 (b) Seventy-five percent of the premium costs of group hospital, surgical, and
4 medical expense insurance contracted for under the provisions of this Section and the
5 first ten thousand dollars of life insurance contracted for under the provisions of this
6 Section if the sheriff or deputy sheriff has attained the age of fifty-five years with
7 twenty-five or more years of full-time creditable service with the St. Bernard Parish
8 Sheriff's Office.

9 (c) One hundred percent of the premium costs of group hospital, surgical,
10 and medical expense insurance contracted for under the provisions of this Section
11 and the first ten thousand dollars of life insurance contracted for under the provisions
12 of this Section if the sheriff or deputy sheriff has completed thirty years of full-time
13 creditable service with the St. Bernard Parish Sheriff's Office, regardless of age.

14 (d) The provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, as applicable to the
15 St. Bernard Parish Sheriff's Office, shall apply to sheriffs and deputy sheriffs who
16 first become eligible to retire and who retire on or before June 30, 2013. The
17 provisions of Subparagraphs (a), (b), or (c) of this Paragraph shall apply to sheriffs
18 and deputy sheriffs who first become eligible to retire and subsequently retire after
19 on or after July 1, 2013; however, any sheriff or deputy sheriff who has met the
20 eligibility requirements pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection, on or before
21 June 30, 2013, may retire at any time with benefits as provided in Paragraph (1) of
22 this Subsection.

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