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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 96 by Senator Adley

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, change "Section 21(K)(1)" to "Section 21(K)(1) and (3)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, at the beginning of line 11, change "Section 21(K)(1)" to "Section 21(K)(1) and  
5 (3)"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

8           "(3)(a) The exemption provided for in this Paragraph shall only  
9 extend and apply in a parish if it is established through an election which  
10 shall be called by either an ordinance or a resolution from the parish  
11 governing authority. The proposition shall state that the exemption shall  
12 extend and apply in the parish and become effective only after the question  
13 of its adoption has been approved by a majority of the registered voters of the  
14 parish voting in an election held for that purpose.

15           **(b) If a parish has held an election as provided by this Subparagraph**  
16 **and the electors approved the exemption prior to November 4, 2014, the**  
17 **parish may implement the exemption as amended by the statewide electors**  
18 **on November 4, 2014, without holding an additional election.**

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20 AMENDMENT NO. 4

21 On page 2, delete lines 22 through 28 in their entirety and insert the following:

22           "Do you support an amendment to provide that the homesteads of veterans  
23 with a service-connected disability rating of one hundred percent  
24 unemployable or totally disabled by the United States Department of  
25 Veterans Affairs, and their surviving spouses, shall be exempt from ad  
26 valorem taxation for up to one hundred fifty thousand dollars, and that a  
27 parishwide vote shall not be required to implement this change in  
28 qualification for the exemption? (Amends Article VII, Section 21(K)(1) and  
29 (3))"