

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
House Bill No. 90 By Representative Mack

May 30, 2013

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 90 by Representative Mack, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 proposed by Senator Kostelka and adopted by the Senate on May 22, 2013, be adopted.
2. That the reengrossed bill be amended as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "Association;" delete the remainder of the line

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Sherman Mack

Senator Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka

Representative Joseph P. Lopinto

Senator Jean-Paul J. Morrell

Representative Valerie Hodges

Senator Mack "Bodi" White, Jr.

DIGEST

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CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

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Keyword and oneliner of the instrument as it left the House

LAW ENFORCEMENT: Authorizes DPS&C to sell bulletproof vests to other law enforcement agencies

Report adopts Senate amendments to:

1. Delete the provision authorizing the La. Property Assistance Agency to charge a fee not in excess of \$5 per request.

Report amends the bill to:

1. Remove references to the assessment of a fee in other provisions of the bill.

Digest of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

Present law requires DPS&C to provide bulletproof vests to every peace officer in the state of La. provided that funds are appropriated for this purpose.

Proposed law further provides that to the extent that funds are not appropriated for this purpose, DPS&C may make available for purchase to law enforcement agencies bulletproof vests no longer utilized by the department for which the manufacturer warranty has expired.

Proposed law further provides that any purchase shall be conducted pursuant to rules or regulations adopted by the La. Property Assistance Agency.

Proposed law provides that the state of La., its agencies and assigns, including but not limited to DPS&C shall be immune from any liability relating to or resulting from the purchase, issuance, or failure of bulletproof vests transferred pursuant to proposed law.

(Amends R.S. 40:2405.1)