

SENATE BILL NO. 288

BY SENATOR MARTINY

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 49:191(7)(a) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(l), relative to certain agencies  
3 within the office of the governor, including provisions to provide for the re-creation  
4 of such agencies; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory  
5 authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related  
6 matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. Pursuant to R.S. 49:193, the agencies transferred to the office of the  
9 governor pursuant to R.S. 36:4.1, to wit: the Louisiana Board of Cosmetology, the Office  
10 of Financial Institutions, the Louisiana State Racing Commission, the Louisiana Cemetery  
11 Board, the State Board of Certified Public Accountants of Louisiana, the State Board of  
12 Architectural Examiners, the Louisiana Real Estate Commission, the Louisiana State Board  
13 of Home Inspectors, the State Licensing Board for Contractors, the Board of Examiners of  
14 Certified Shorthand Reporters, the Louisiana Auctioneers Licensing Board, the State Board  
15 of Examiners of Interior Designers, the Louisiana Real Estate Appraisers Board, the State  
16 Boxing and Wrestling Commission, the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission, the  
17 Louisiana Used Motor Vehicle Commission, and the Louisiana State Polygraph Board shall  
18 be re-created effective June 30, 2014, and all statutory authority therefor is continued in  
19 accordance with the provisions of Part XII of Chapter 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised  
20 Statutes of 1950.

21 Section 2. All statutory authority for the existence of the aforementioned agencies  
22 and the statutory entities made a part of them as re-created by Section 1 of this Act shall  
23 cease as of July 1, 2019, pursuant to R.S. 49:191. However, the aforementioned agencies  
24 may be re-created prior to such date in accordance with the provisions of Part XII of Chapter  
25 1 of Title 49 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950.

26 Section 3. The provisions of R.S. 49:193 are hereby superseded to the extent that  
27 those provisions are in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

1 Section 4. R.S. 49:191(7)(a) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

2 §191. Termination of legislative authority for existence of statutory entities; phase-  
3 out period for statutory entities; table of dates

4 Notwithstanding any termination dates set by any previous Act of the  
5 legislature, the statutory entities set forth in this Section shall begin to terminate their  
6 operations on July first of each of the following years, and all legislative authority  
7 for the existence of any statutory entity, as defined in R.S. 49:190, shall cease as of  
8 July first of the following year, which shall be the termination date:

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10 (7) July 1, 2018:

11 (a) Those entities transferred to or placed within the office of the  
12 governor pursuant to R.S. 36:4.1.

13 Section 5. R.S. 49:191(5)(l) is hereby repealed in its entirety.

14 Section 6. This Act shall become effective on June 30, 2014; if vetoed by the  
15 governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on  
16 June 30, 2014, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_