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Fiscal Note On: **SB 482** SLS 14RS 838

Bill Text Version: **REENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action: **w/ HSE COMM AMD**

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Technical Changes to LRS		

VOCATIONAL REHAB RE1 NO IMPACT SG RV See Note
Provides relative to the Louisiana Rehabilitation Services.(gov sig)

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Proposed law makes technical changes to present law related to the LA Rehabilitation Services within the Louisiana Workforce Commission (LWC) as follows: (1) changes the administrator of the program from the LA Workforce Commission to LA Rehabilitation Services; (2) defines the criteria for a blind person to qualify for the program; (3) requires quarterly reports to the legislature; (4) LRS designated as a state budget unit; (5) disputes to be heard before a LRS hearing officer; (6) provides for definitions; (7) changes the mission of the Blind Vendors Trust Fund Advisory Board from advisory to active participant in promulgating rules and regulations; and (8) moves the Blind Vendors Trust Fund account from LWC to LRS. Proposed law exempts 24-hour residential facilities within the Department of Health and Hospitals from proposed law.

EXPENDITURES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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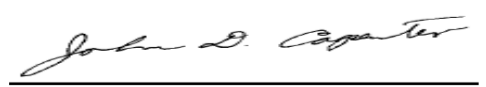
EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure. The proposed legislation makes technical changes to the existing LA Rehabilitation Program; however, it does not impact program expenditures within the LA Rehabilitation Services.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H} | | | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(F)(2) >= \$500,000 State Rev. Reduc. {H & S} |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H} | | | <input type="checkbox"/> 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S} |


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