

**ACT No. 671**

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 1:55(F), relative to legal holidays; to authorize certain employees  
3 to attend Veterans' Day activities and events with compensation; and to provide for  
4 related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 1:55(F) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §55. Days of public rest, legal holidays, and half-holidays

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9 F. Each institution of higher education in the state, through a representative  
10 appointed by it, shall designate a maximum of fourteen legal holidays per calendar  
11 year to be observed by all of its employees. If the institution does not elect to  
12 designate Veterans' Day as one of the fourteen legal holidays to be observed, an  
13 employee, who is a veteran as defined in R.S. 29:251.2, shall be allowed to attend  
14 activities or events related to Veterans' Day with compensation and for no more than  
15 four hours, when the designated day for observance by the state is on a regularly  
16 scheduled workday.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

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