

Regular Session, 2013
HOUSE BILL NO. 280
BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

ACT No. 145

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 2:319(A), relative to airport districts; to provide for the
3 governing authority of airport districts; to provide for the membership of the board
4 of commissioners of certain airport districts; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 2:319(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §319. Governing authority in district composed of land in one parish

8 A. Except as otherwise provided by law, the governing authority of an
9 airport district composed of land situated in only one parish may either be the
10 governing body of the parish in which the district is located, in which case the
11 officers of the parish governing body shall be the officers of the airport district, or
12 the governing body of the parish creating the airport district, may, in the resolution
13 creating the airport district provided for in R.S. 2:316, provide that a board of
14 commissioners composed of either five ~~or~~ seven, or nine members, so designated
15 at the option of the governing body of the parish creating the airport district, shall be
16 the governing authority of the airport district and shall be selected by the governing
17 body of the parish creating the airport district. The governing body of any parish
18 which has heretofore created an airport district prior to August 21, 1975, and is
19 serving as the governing authority of such airport district may elect to appoint a
20 board of commissioners as the governing authority of such airport district; however,
21 such election shall not have the effect of affecting or impairing in any manner any
22 obligations incurred by the airport district prior to such election, and shall not relieve
23 the governing body of the parish of any liability with respect to any outstanding
24 obligations incurred for airport purposes prior to such election, nor shall the newly

