

Regular Session, 2010

# ACT No. 588

HOUSE BILL NO. 585

BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:231(B)(1), relative to the highway priority construction program; to provide for scheduling of public hearings; to provide for notice requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 48:231(B)(1) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:  
§231. Final construction program for current fiscal year; public hearings; Joint Highway Priority Construction Committee; reports; review by legislature; restrictions on legislature

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B.(1) The Joint Highway Priority Construction Committee shall be comprised of the entire membership of the House and Senate transportation, highways and public works committees and shall include legislators representing the parishes within the respective highway district for the purposes of attending the public hearings in each district as required in Subsection A of this Section. Notwithstanding any unforeseen circumstances, the chairman shall provide notice, via electronic transmission, to each member of the Joint Highway Priority Construction Committee and legislators representing the parishes within the respective highway district, fifteen calendar days prior to each public hearing in each highway district as required in Subsection A of this Section. Beginning in 2004, the chairman of the House ~~transportation, highways and public works committee~~ Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committee shall serve as chairman of the Joint Highway Priority Construction Committee. Thereafter, chairmanship of the Joint Highway Priority Construction Committee shall rotate between the chairman of the

1 House and Senate ~~transportation, highways and public works committees~~

2 Transportation, Highways and Public Works Committees on a two-year basis.

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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

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