

2019 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 154

BY REPRESENTATIVE ZERINGUE

POLICE/LOCAL: Provides relative to work shift cycles of dispatchers employed by the Houma police department

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 33:2213(K), relative to the city of Houma; to provide relative to
3 the city's police department; to authorize the city to establish certain work shift
4 cycles for dispatchers employed by the department; to provide relative to the
5 calculation of compensatory time and overtime pay for such employees; and to
6 provide for related matters.

7 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
8 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of
9 Louisiana.

10 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

11 Section 1. R.S. 33:2213(K) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

12 §2213. Maximum hours; overtime or compensatory time; exceptions for certain
13 cities

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15 K. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, including
16 Subsection A hereof, the city of Houma may establish and implement twelve-hour
17 work shift cycles for all paid patrolmen, patrolmen first class, sergeants, lieutenants,
18 captains, dispatchers, or any other employees of the police department except those
19 in a position, grade, or class above that of captain. Such officers and employees shall
20 be paid overtime at the rate of one and one-half times their usual salary when the

