2023 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 415

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1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S.10:9-102(a)(29) and to enact R.S. 10:9-102(a)(82), relative to
3	central bank digital currency; to provide an exception to a deposit account; to define
4	a central bank currency; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 10:9-102(a)(29) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.
7	10:9-102(a)(82) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
8	§9-102. Definitions and index of definitions
9	(a) Chapter 9 definitions. In this Chapter:
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11	(29) "Deposit account" means a demand, time, savings, passbook, or similar
12	account maintained with a bank. The term does not include investment property, a
13	central bank digital currency, or accounts evidenced by an instrument.
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CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.

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1	(82) "Central bank digital currency" means a digital currency, a digital
2	medium of exchange, or a digital monetary unit of account issued by the Board of
3	Governors of the United States Federal Reserve System, or a federal agency of the
4	United States, that is processed, validated, or made directly available to a consumer.
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