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SENATE BILL NO. 61

BY SENATOR BUFFINGTON

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

HEALTH SERVICES. Provides relative to hospital service districts. (gov sig)

1	AN ACT
2	To enact R.S. 46:1069.1, relative to hospital service districts; to provide for leasing and
3	operating a licensed nursing home; to provide for an effective date; and to provide
4	for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 46:1069.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:
7	§1069.1. Hospital service districts; leasing and operating a licensed nursing
8	home
9	Nothing in this Chapter shall be construed to prevent or prohibit a
10	hospital service district created pursuant to this Chapter from leasing and
11	operating a licensed nursing home, as defined in R.S. 40:2009.2, that is located
12	within or outside the boundaries of the hospital service district but within the
13	boundaries of the state of Louisiana.
14	Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
15	signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
16	by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
17	vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become

Page 1 of 2 Coding: Words which are struck through are deletions from existing law; words in **boldface type and underscored** are additions.

1 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Christopher D. Adams.

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<u>Proposed law</u> provides a hospital service district created pursuant to <u>present law</u> may lease and operate a licensed nursing home as defined in <u>present law</u> that is located within or outside the boundaries of the hospital service district but within the boundaries of the state of Louisiana.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 46:1069.1)