

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 88

BY SENATOR HEBERT

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Legislative Auditor to conduct a compliance audit and a performance audit of the district attorney's office in the Sixteenth Judicial District.

WHEREAS, serious concerns and issues have come to the attention of this body through several committee meetings debating bills filed this legislative session addressing the district attorney's office in the Sixteenth Judicial District; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative to the welfare of our state that all elected office holders follow the laws of this state and hold themselves to the highest ethical standard; and

WHEREAS, an unbiased, independent office should review and investigate the concerns and issues brought forward by the legislature; and

WHEREAS, compliance audits are designed to detect and deter the misappropriation of public assets and to reduce future fraud risks; and

WHEREAS, performance audits are intended to address specific objectives regarding economy, efficiency, and effectiveness of programs, functions, or activities of state agencies; and

WHEREAS, multiple questions have come forward during the legislative debates of the numerous bills focusing on the management of the district attorney's office in the Sixteenth Judicial District so that a compliance audit and a performance audit of the district attorney's office in the Sixteenth Judicial District by the Louisiana Legislative Auditor is warranted.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Louisiana Legislative Auditor to conduct a compliance audit and a performance audit of the district attorney's office in the Sixteenth Judicial District.

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**ENROLLED**

BE FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Louisiana Legislative Auditor and the district attorney of the Sixteenth Judicial District.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE