One Hundred Third Legislature - Second Session - 2014

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LR393CA

Chairperson: Senator Bill Avery

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 21, 2014

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LR 393 CA reduces the number of signatures required to place statutory changes and Constitutional Amendments on the ballot.

- The <u>constitutional amendment threshold</u> drops from 10% of registered voters to 5% of registered voters.
- The <u>statutory change threshold</u> drops from 7% of registered voters to 3% of registered voters.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Murante