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

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1730.42(2) and (6) and 1730.45(A) and (B), relative to the Commercial Building Energy Conservation Code; to provide for the latest editions of the ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1 and the International Energy Conservation Code with regards to the Commercial Building Energy Conservation Code; to provide for the scope of the code; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 40:1730.42(2) and (6) and 1730.45(A) and (B) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1730.42. Definitions

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(6) "International Energy Conservation Code, 2000 2006 edition" or the latest edition adopted by the state fire marshal, pursuant to the provisions of the Louisiana Administrative Procedure Act, means the document developed by the
International Code Council, Inc., entitled "International Energy Conservation Code", also referred to as "IECC".

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§1730.45. Adoption of Commercial Building Energy Conservation Code; enforcement; rules

A. ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1-2001 2004, or latest edition promulgated by the state fire marshal, with state amendments, is hereby adopted as the Commercial Building Energy Conservation Code for applicable buildings.

B. The International Energy Conservation Code, 2006 2006 edition, or latest edition promulgated by the state fire marshal, with state amendments, is hereby adopted as the Commercial Building Energy Conservation Code for applicable buildings not covered by the preceding part.

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Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: __________________________

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