State of Louisiana Department of Revenue

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Via e-mail (return receipt requested) to:

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Re: Proposed Amended Regulation LAC 61:I.4919 – Installment Agreement for Payment of Tax

Chairman Bishop and Chairman Allain:

On April 10, 2021, a copy of the *Notice of Intent* issued by the Department of Revenue ("Department") for promulgation of the proposed amendment to regulation LAC 61:I.4919 – *Installment Agreement for Payment of Tax* was sent to your committee for review. The purpose of the *Notice of Intent* is extend the payment period allowable for informal installment agreements from 24 months to 36 months.

The Notice of Intent was published in the April 2021 issue of the Louisiana Register. A public hearing was held in the LaSalle Building on Wednesday, May 26, 2021. No written or oral comments were received. No changes will be made to the text of the amended rule before it is finalized.

This report is being made in accordance with R.S. 47:968(D)(1)(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act. Unless otherwise directed, the proposed amendment will be submitted for publication as a final rule in the July 2021 edition of the *Louisiana Register*.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (225) 219-2700.

Sincerely,

Kimberly J. Lewis Secretary