

SENATE RESOLUTION 22 MISCLASSIFICATION OF EMPLOYEES TASK FORCE

Minutes of November 13, 2020 Meeting

The Misclassification of Employees Task Force was established by Senate Resolution of the 2020 Second Extraordinary Legislative Session, within the Louisiana Department of Revenue (LDR), to study and make recommendations for changes to state laws in an effort to provide the necessary investigatory and enforcement tools to detect, investigate, and minimize employee misclassification in Louisiana.

- I. **Call to Order/Roll Call** - The first meeting of the Misclassification of Employees Task Force was called to order at 2:05 PM by Secretary, Kimberly Robinson of the Louisiana Department of Revenue. A quorum was established with eleven of the thirteen members in attendance. Members present were:
 1. Kimberly Robinson (LDR)
 2. Luke Morris (LDR)
 3. Robert Wooley (LWC)
 4. Darrick Lee (LWC); designee for Sheral Kellar
 5. Daryl Purpera (LLA)
 6. Brandon Lagarde (LCPA)
 7. Caroline Lafourcade (LSBA)
 8. Dawn Starns (NFIB)
 9. Martha Pennington (APA)
 10. Tom Crowley (NPRC)
 11. Jim Patterson (LABI)

- II. **Business**
 - a. **Elect a Chairman** – A nomination was made by member Daryl Purpera to elect Luke Morris chairman of the Commission. With no other nominations submitted and no opposition, Mr. Morris was named Chairman.
 - b. **Elect a Vice-Chairman** – A nomination was made by Chairman Morris to elect Brandon Lagarde as Vice Chair of the Commission. With no other nominations submitted, Mr. Purpera made a motion to accept the nomination and was seconded by .
 - c. **Elect other Officers** – No other officers will be elected at this time. Krissy Thomas of LDR would be responsible for recording the meeting minutes of the Commission and administrative matters as far as scheduling of meetings.
 - d. **Preliminary Meeting Schedule** – Members will be polled for future meeting dates at this time.

III. Discussion of Senate Resolution 22 and Implications

- Chairman Morris gave a brief overview of the Senate Resolution to the meeting attendees and shared his vision for future meeting topics of the Commission. Industry stakeholders, unions, policy organizations, and states will have an opportunity to present and speak to the task force.

IV. Other Business - Tasks

1. A webpage will be developed for the task force and will be available on the LDR website. All meeting materials will be posted for public viewing before and after meetings.

V. Public Comment

VI. Adjournment

- A motion to adjourn the meeting made by Jim Patterson and seconded by Daryl Purpera. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 2:30 PM.