

ADVISORY GROUP ON Civil Service and Employee Benefits **PROPOSAL #:** AGCS # 42
SUBJECT: Leave accrual and accumulation **DATE ADOPTED BY ADVISORY GROUP:** November 23, 2009
COMMISSION ACTION: ADOPTED **DATE:** December 1, 2009 **RECOMMENDATION #:** 179

RECOMMENDATION: The legislative committees on governmental affairs should meet jointly to study the current Civil Service rules and state laws governing leave accrual and accumulation and to determine whether the current structure supports the overall employment and compensation policies of the state of Louisiana. Particular emphasis should be given to a determination of whether disability insurance may be used as a substitute for or as a supplement to sick leave accrual and accumulation, and the cost, if any, of the current law and rules allowing leave balances to be converted to retirement credit.

Summary Description/Nature of Change	Key/Implementation Responsibilities	Need	Action Needed	Benefit/Saving	Done/ Study
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