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**Rep. Foil announces filing of Constitutional Amendment changing requirements for
changing postsecondary education fees**

State Representative Franklin Foil, R-Baton Rouge, has drafted a Constitutional Amendment for the upcoming 2015 Legislative Session, he plans to file this week. The Amendment will make adjustments to current law, which requires a two-thirds vote of the members elected to each house in relation to the imposition of or increase in postsecondary education fees and civil fines. Rep. Foil's amendment will remove this requirement for a two-thirds vote.

Rep. Foil said, "I look forward to bringing this constitutional amendment to my colleagues in the House, and hope for favorable passage in order to simplify the process and allow for us to more easily make adjustments in the areas of education and funding where our state needs it most."

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