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Selected Acquisitions – April 2014

New Titles

ACHIEVEMENT GAP

- Talent on the sidelines : excellence gaps and America's persistent talent underclass / University of Connecticut. Center for Education Policy Analysis. -- Storrs, CT : University of Connecticut, 2012.

AUDITS

- Bridge inspection program, Department of Transportation and Development : performance audit, issued April 2, 2014 / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Office of Legislative Auditor, 2014.
- Child welfare: intake, alternative response and child protection activities, Department of Children and Family Services : performance audit, issued April 9, 2014 / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Office of Legislative Auditor, 2014.

BRIDGES

- Load distribution and fatigue cost estimates of heavy truck loads on Louisiana state bridges / Louisiana Tech University. Civil Engineering Program; Louisiana Transportation Research Center. -- Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Transportation Research Center, 2013.

BUDGETS

- When and how states should strengthen their rainy day funds / Washington, DC : Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, 2014.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

- Financial costs of the death penalty / Idaho Legislature. -- Boise, ID : Idaho Legislature. Office of Performance Evaluations, 2014.

CHILD WELFARE

- Effective, evidence-based home visiting programs in every state at risk if Congress does not extend funding / Washington, DC : Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, 2014.

CHILDREN

- Military children and families / Future of Children. -- Washington, DC : Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs at Princeton University; Brookings Institution, 2013.

CONSUMER PROTECTION

- No fresh start : how states let debt collectors push families into poverty / Boston, MA : National Consumer Law Center, 2013.

CORPORATE INCOME TAX

- 90 reasons we need state corporate tax reform : state corporate tax avoidance in the Fortune 500, 2008 to 2012 / Washington, DC : Citizens for Tax Justice; Institute on Taxation and Economic Policy, 2014.

CORRECTIONS

- How effective is correctional education, and where do we go from here? / RAND; U.S. Bureau of Justice Assistance. -- Santa Monica, CA : RAND, 2014.
- Managing corrections costs / Denver, CO : NCSL, 2014.

DISCRIMINATION

- Racial profiling / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2013.

DRONES

- Domestic drones : are unmanned aircraft safe? / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2013.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- The coastal index : April 2014 / New Orleans, LA : The Data Center, 2014.

EDUCATION

- Teaching the movement 2014 : the state of civil rights education in the United States / Southern Poverty Law Center. Teaching Tolerance. -- Montgomery, AL : Southern Poverty Law Center, 2014.
- Trends in state implementation of the Common Core State Standards : making the shift to better tests / Washington, DC : NGA Center for Best Practices, 2014.

ELECTIONS

- Recount principles and best practices / Minneapolis, MN : Citizens for Election Integrity Minnesota, 2014.

GOVERNMENTAL FINANCE

- Where do our state tax dollars go? / Washington, DC : Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, 2014.

HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT

- Cracking the code on health care costs : a report by the State Health Care Cost Containment Commission / State Health Care Cost Containment Commission. -- Charlottesville, VA : University of Virginia. Miller Center, 2014.

HEALTH INSURANCE

- Health coverage and care in the south : a chartbook / Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured. -- Menlo Park, CA : Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation, 2014.
- Health coverage and care in the south in 2014 and beyond / Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured. -- Menlo Park, CA : Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation, 2014.
- Improving integration of dental health benefits in health insurance marketplaces / Portland, ME : National Academy for State Health Policy, 2014.

HEALTH POLICY

- Health care toolkit for state budget officers / Washington, DC : National Association of State Budget Officers (NASBO), 2014.

HOMEOWNER INSURANCE

- Homeowners insurance : multiple challenges make expanding private coverage difficult / Washington, DC : U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO), 2014.

JOBS

- Youth unemployment : will good jobs continue to elude young adults? / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2014.

JUVENILE JUSTICE

- Just learning : the imperative to transform juvenile justice systems into effective educational systems; a study of juvenile justice schools in the South and in the nation / Atlanta, GA : Southern Education Foundation, 2014.

LOANS

- Act 234 of the Louisiana 2012 regular session : deferred presentment and small loans 2013 data ("DPSLA") / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Office of Financial Institutions, 2014.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Individual state descriptions : 2012 / U.S. Bureau of the Census. -- Washington, DC : U.S. Government Printing Office, 2013.

MEDICAID

- Report to the Congress on Medicaid and CHIP / Washington, DC : Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission, 2014.

MEDICAL CARE

- Aiming higher : results from a scorecard on state health system performance, 2014 / New York, NY : Commonwealth Fund, 2014.
- Financing prevention : how states are balancing delivery system and public health roles / National Academy for State Health Policy. -- Oakland, CA : ChangeLab Solutions, 2014.

MINIMUM WAGES

- The impact of the raising the minimum wage on women and the importance of ensuring a robust tipped minimum wage / U.S. Executive Office of the President. National Economic Council; U.S. Executive Office of the President. Council of Economic Advisers; U.S. Executive Office of the President. Domestic Policy Council; U.S. Department of Labor. -- Washington, DC : U.S. Executive Office of the President, 2014.
- Minimum wage : would raising the rate be good for the economy? / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2014.

NATURAL GAS

- The state of state shale gas regulation / Washington, DC : Resources for the Future, 2013.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

- Worker safety : is OSHA falling down on the job? / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2013.

OIL SPILLS

- Four years into the Gulf oil disaster : still waiting for restoration / Merrifield, VA : National Wildlife Federation, 2014.

PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

- Realizing health reform's potential : implementing the Affordable Care Act; state action to establish SHOP marketplaces / Washington, DC : Commonwealth Fund, 2014.

PENSIONS

- No so modest : pension benefits for full-career state government employees / Washington, DC : American Enterprise Institute, 2014.
- Report of the Blue Ribbon Panel on Public Pension Plan Funding : an independent panel commissioned

by the society of actuaries / Schaumburg, IL : Society of Actuaries, 2014.

POLICE DEPARTMENTS

- Legitimacy and procedural justice : the New Orleans case study / Police Executive Research Forum. -- [s.l.] : U.S. Bureau of Justice Assistance, 2014.

POLITICAL PARTIES

- Polarization in America : does partisan conflict threaten democracy? / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2014.

PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

- Regulating pharmaceuticals : is government oversight strong enough? / Washington, DC : CQ Press, 2013.

SEX CRIMES

- Estimating the size and structure of the underground commercial sex economy in eight major US cities / Washington, DC : Urban Institute, 2014.

TAX HAVENS

- Picking up the tab 2014 : average citizens and small businesses pay the price for offshore tax havens / Boston, MA : U.S. PIRG, 2014.

TAX POLICY

- The state tax complexity index : a new tool for tax reform and simplification / Washington, DC : Progressive Policy Institute, 2014.

TRAFFIC SAFETY

- Enforcement of texting while driving bans / Lexington, KY : CSG, 2013.

WATER LAW

- Report in response to SCR 53 of the 2012 regular session : the use of surface water versus groundwater / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana State Law Institute, 2014.
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New editions of serial titles

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

- Alzheimer's disease : facts and figures / Alzheimer's Association. -- Chicago, IL : 2014.

ANNUAL REPORT

- Crime Victims Reparations Board : annual report / Louisiana Crime Victims Reparations Board. -- Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Division of Administration, 1993-
- Louisiana Department of State Civil Service annual report / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Department of State Civil Service, 2008-
- Louisiana Rehabilitation Council : annual report / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Rehabilitation Council, 2013.
- Louisiana State Police Insurance Fraud and Auto Theft Unit annual report / Louisiana State Police. -- Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections, 2008-

ATCHAFALAYA BASIN

- Atchafalaya Basin Program annual plan / Louisiana. Department of Natural Resources. Atchafalaya Basin Program. -- Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Department of Natural Resources, 2009-

COASTAL ENVIRONMENT

- Fiscal year 20-- annual plan : integrated ecosystem restoration and hurricane protection in coastal Louisiana / [s.l.] : Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority, 2006-

CRIMINAL STATISTICS

- Consumer Sentinel Network data book / Washington, DC : Federal Trade Commission, 2008-
- Death row U.S.A. / New York, NY : NAACP Legal Defense Fund, 2013.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- Rich states poor states : ALEC-Laffer state economic competitiveness index / Washington, DC : American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC), 2012-

EDUCATION POLICY

- Keeping pace with K-12 online and blended learning : an annual review of policy and practice / Evergreen Consulting Associates. -- Evergreen, CO : 2013.

ELECTRONIC SURVEILLANCE

- Supreme Court of Louisiana report of the Judicial Administrator to the Louisiana State Legislature concerning intercepted wire or oral communications for [yr.] / New Orleans, LA : Louisiana Supreme Court, 2012-

ENERGY

- Louisiana energy facts annual / Louisiana. Department of Natural Resources. Technology Assessment Division. -- Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Department of Natural Resources, 2002-

ENTREPRENEURSHIP

- Kauffman index of entrepreneurial activity, 1996-2013 / Kansas City, MO : Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation, 2014.

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

- Following the money : how the 50 states rate in providing online access to government spending data / Boston, MA : U.S. PIRG Education Fund, 2014.

HEALTH

- County health rankings / Madison, WI : University of Wisconsin; Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, 2010-

INSURANCE

- Insurance legislative fact book and almanac / Albany, NY : National Conference of Insurance Legislators, 2014.

JUVENILE JUSTICE

- Juvenile justice state legislation / Denver, CO : NCSL, 2011-

PUBLIC INVESTMENTS

- State of Louisiana, Department of the Treasury investment earnings summary report, fiscal year ---- /

Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana Department of the Treasury, 2006-

SCHOOL FOOD PROGRAMS

- School breakfast scorecard / Washington, DC : Food Research and Action Center, 2014.

STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

- LASERS, Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, response to Senate Resolution no. 175 (2005 regular session) [investments] / Baton Rouge, LA : Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, 2008-

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP)

- Reaching those in need : State Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program participation rates in [yr.] / Mathematica Policy Research. -- [s.l.] : U.S. Department of Agriculture. Food and Nutrition Service, 2010-

TAXATION

- Small business tax index [yr.] : best to worst state tax systems for entrepreneurship and small business / Oakland, VA : Small Business and Entrepreneurship Council, 2013.

TRANSPORTATION

- Pocket guide to transportation / Washington, DC : U.S. Bureau of Transportation Statistics, 2014.