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House Legislative Services

Selected Acquisitions – July 2015

New Titles

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS

[Counting regulations : an overview of rulemaking, types of federal regulations, and pages in the Federal Register](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

[Implementing EPA's Clean Power Plan : a menu of options](#) / National Association of Clean Air Agencies, 2015.

[The legislative role in potential interstate collaboration on the Clean Power Plan](#) / NCSL, 2015.

ANNUAL REPORT

Louisiana MediFund annual report to the members of the House and Senate Committees on Education, House and Senate Committees on Commerce, and Louisiana Innovation Council / Louisiana Board of Regents. MediFund Board, 2015.

CEMETERIES

[Display of the Confederate flag at federal cemeteries](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

CHILD HEALTH

[2014 maternal and child health update : states are using Medicaid and CHIP to improve health outcomes for mothers and children](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

COLLEGE TUITION

[Tuition benefits for immigrants](#) / NCSL, 2015.

COMPUTER SECURITY

[Enhancing the role of fusion centers in cybersecurity](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

CONTRACEPTIVES

[Private insurance coverage of contraception](#) / Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation, 2015.

CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES

[Reckless indifference : deadly heat in Texas prisons](#) / University of Texas School of Law. Human Rights Clinic, 2015.

DRIVER LICENSES

[Older drivers : license renewal procedures](#) / Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, 2015.

ELECTION STATISTICS

[Who votes? Congressional elections and the American electorate : 1978-2014](#) / U.S. Bureau of the Census, 2015.

EMINENT DOMAIN

[Takings decisions of the U.S. Supreme Court : a chronology](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

ENERGY EFFICIENCY

[Governors' roadmap for improving the energy efficiency of multifamily buildings](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

GOVERNMENT REGULATION

[Delivering results : creating and refining results-oriented regulations](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

GOVERNMENTAL FINANCE

[Ranking the states by fiscal condition](#) / Mercatus Center at George Mason University, 2015.

HIGHWAYS

[Bumpy roads ahead : America's roughest rides and strategies to make our roads smoother](#) / TRIP, 2015.

HOUSING

[The state of the nation's housing 2015](#) / Harvard University. Joint Center for Housing Studies, 2015.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING

[Sex trafficking : an overview of federal criminal law](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

HYDRAULIC FRACTURING

[State practices to protect drinking water while developing shale energy](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

MOTORCYCLES

[Motorcycle lane-splitting and safety in California](#) / University of California, Berkeley. Safe Transportation Research and Education Center, 2015.

PAYDAY LENDING

[Understanding the CFPB \[Consumer Financial Protection Bureau\] proposal for payday and other small loans](#) / Pew Charitable Trusts, 2015.

PERFORMANCE BASED BUDGETING

[Performance-based budgeting in the SLC states](#) / CSG. Southern Legislative Conference. -- Pew Charitable Trusts; John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, 2015.

POVERTY

[Breaking down barriers : three ways state and local governments can improve the lives of the poor](#) / Mercatus Center at George Mason University, 2015.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

[A primer on WIC : the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

[State general assistance programs are weakening despite increased need](#) / Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, 2015.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

[Can a research and development tax credit be properly designed for economic efficiency?](#) / Mercatus Center at George Mason University, 2015.

SENTENCING

[Making sense of sentencing : state systems and policies](#) / NCSL, 2015.

SOCIAL SECURITY

[Social Security : the windfall elimination provision \(WEP\)](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

STATE GOVERNMENT

[Delivering results : core principles](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

[Delivering results : data-driven approaches to delivering better outcomes](#) / NGA Center for Best Practices, 2015.

VETERANS

[Who is a "veteran"? -- basic eligibility for veterans' benefits](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

VOTING RIGHTS

[The voting rights act of 1965 : background and overview](#) / U.S. Congressional Research Service, 2015.

New Serial editions

ANNUAL REPORT

GRAD Act annual report : progress towards meeting Louisiana's higher education goals / Louisiana Board of Regents, 2015.

[Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council annual report](#) / Louisiana Developmental Disabilities Council, 2015.

CHILDREN

[America's children : key national indicators of well-being](#) / Federal Interagency Forum on Child and Family Statistics, 2015.

[Kids count data book : state trends in child well-being](#) / Annie E. Casey Foundation, 2015.

CONGRESS

[Constitution, Jefferson's manual, and rules of the House of Representatives of the United States](#) / U.S. House of Representatives. -- U.S. G.P.O., 2015.

DIRECTORY

CSG state directory : directory II, legislative leadership, committees & staff / CSG, 2015.

EDUCATION

[Postsecondary institutions and cost of attendance in 2014-15; degrees and other awards conferred, 2013-14; and 12-month enrollment, 2013-14 : first look \(preliminary data\)](#) / National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), 2015.

Report to the House and Senate Committees on Education of the Louisiana Legislature from the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 204 of the 2009 regular session of the Louisiana Legislature / Louisiana Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, 2015.

This report represents the findings of the sixth year of a ten-year study comparing graduation rates in Louisiana public schools.

FEDERAL BUDGETS

[The long-term budget outlook](#) / U.S. Congressional Budget Office, 2015.

GOVERNMENTAL FINANCE

[The fiscal survey of states](#) / National Governors Association; National Association of State Budget Officers (NASBO), 2015.

HIGHWAY PLANNING

[Comparative data report on state transportation programs](#) / North Carolina. General Assembly. Fiscal Research Division. -- CSG. Southern Legislative Conference, 2015.

MEDICAL PERSONNEL

Senate Bill 93 (Act 50) of the 2011 regular session / Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals, 2015.

Senate Bill 93 (Act 50) of the 2011 regular session requires the Department of Health and Hospitals (DHH) to submit annual reports ... regarding the utilization of medication attendants certified to assist licensed nursing staff in the administration of certain medications in nursing facilities

SALES TAX

[State and local sales tax rates](#) / Tax Foundation, 2015.

SCHOOL SECURITY

[Indicators of school crime and safety](#) / U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics; National Center for Education Statistics. -- U.S. Department of Education. Office of Educational Research and Improvement, 2015.

STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, Louisiana Brokerage Program report / Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System, 2015.

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana (TRSL) Louisiana Incorporated Brokerage Program [by fiscal yr.] / Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana, 2015.