

2020 Regular Session: Peterson was absent 20 days and missed hundreds of votes. However, pay stubs show that she was paid per diem regardless of attendance.

DATE	ATTENDANCE	#MISSED VOTES	PER DIEM
3/9/20	PRESENT	0	\$161
3/10/20	PRESENT	0	\$161
3/11/20	PRESENT	6	\$161
3/16/20	ABSENT	0	\$161
3/31/20	ABSENT	0	\$161
5/4/20	ABSENT	5	\$161
5/7/20	ABSENT	15	\$161
5/11/20	ABSENT	51	\$161
5/12/20	ABSENT	19	\$161
5/13/20	ABSENT	24	\$161
5/14/20	ABSENT	32	\$161
5/15/20	ABSENT	10	\$161
5/18/20	ABSENT	9	\$161
5/19/20	ABSENT	6	\$161
5/20/20	ABSENT	25	\$161
5/21/20	ABSENT	26	\$161
5/22/20	ABSENT	9	\$161
5/25/20	ABSENT	1	\$161
5/26/20	ABSENT	48	\$161
5/27/20	ABSENT	40	\$161
5/28/20	ABSENT	82	\$161
5/29/20	ABSENT	115	\$161
5/31/20	ABSENT	53	\$161
6/1/20	PRESENT	6	\$161

2020 pay stubs: Peterson was paid \$2,254 per diem every 14-day pay period. She received per diem regardless of whether she was present. The rate that year was \$161.

LOUISIANA STATE SENATE

Session Per Diem

Karen Carter Peterson

DEPT: 631

PAY PERIOD: 03/16/20

CHECK NUMBER: 203360

PAY DATE: 03/23/20

DESCRIPTION	UNITS	RATE	AMOUNT	DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Per Diem	0.00	0.00	2,254.00	MedicareTx	32.68
Mileage	0.00	0.00	188.60	SWTLA	71.51
GROSS PAY			2,442.60	S.S.Tax	139.75
				Fd.inc.tax	267.00
				DR	608.58
				TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	1,119.52

203360

03/23/20

Karen Carter Peterson

1,323.08

Karen Carter Peterson

MEETING DATES	PER DIEM	MILEAGE	SUBSIST	COMMITTEE NAME
03/16/20	2,254.00	188.60		REGULAR SESSION - 3/9/20-3/22/20

LOUISIANA STATE SENATE
Session Per Diem

Karen Carter Peterson

DEPT: 631

PAY PERIOD: 04/06/20

CHECK NUMBER: 203450

PAY DATE: 04/06/20

DESCRIPTION	UNITS	RATE	AMOUNT	DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Per Diem	0.00	0.00	2,254.00	MedicareTx	32.68
Mileage	0.00	0.00	188.60	SWTLA	71.51
GROSS PAY			2,442.60	S.S.Tax	139.75
				Fd.inc.tax	267.00
				DR	608.58
				TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	1,119.52

203450

04/06/20

Karen Carter Peterson

1,323.08

Karen Carter Peterson

MEETING DATES	PER DIEM	MILEAGE	SUBSIST	COMMITTEE NAME
04/06/20	2,254.00	188.60		REGULAR SESSION - 3/23/20-4/5/20

LOUISIANA STATE SENATE

Session Per Diem

Karen Carter Peterson

DEPT: 631

PAY PERIOD: 04/20/20

CHECK NUMBER: 203485

PAY DATE: 04/20/20

DESCRIPTION	UNITS	RATE	AMOUNT	DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Per Diem	0.00	0.00	2,254.00	MedicareTx	32.68
Mileage	0.00	0.00	188.60	SWTLA	71.51
GROSS PAY			2,442.60	S.S.Tax	139.75
				Fd.inc,tax	267.00
				DR	608.58
				TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	1,119.52

203485

04/20/20

Karen Carter Peterson

1,323.08

Karen Carter Peterson

MEETING DATES	PER DIEM	MILEAGE	SUBSIST	COMMITTEE NAME
04/20/20	2,254.00	188.60		REGULAR SESSION - 4/06/20-4/19/20

LOUISIANA STATE SENATE

Session Per Diem

Karen Carter Peterson

DEPT: 631

PAY PERIOD: 05/04/20

CHECK NUMBER: 203520

PAY DATE: 05/04/20

DESCRIPTION	UNITS	RATE	AMOUNT	DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Per Diem	0.00	0.00	2,254.00	MedicareTx	32.68
Mileage	0.00	0.00	188.60	SWTLA	71.51
GROSS PAY			2,442.60	S.S.Tax	139.75
				Fd.inc.tax	267.00
				DR	608.58
				TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	1,119.52

203520

05/04/20

Karen Carter Peterson

1,323.08

Karen Carter Peterson

MEETING DATES	PER DIEM	MILEAGE	SUBSIST	COMMITTEE NAME
05/04/20	2,254.00	188.60		REGULAR SESSION - 4/20/20-5/03/20

LOUISIANA STATE SENATE

Session Per Diem

Karen Carter Peterson

DEPT: 631

PAY PERIOD: 05/18/20

CHECK NUMBER: 203551

PAY DATE: 05/18/20

DESCRIPTION	UNITS	RATE	AMOUNT	DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Per Diem	0.00	0.00	2,254.00	MedicareTx	32.68
Mileage	0.00	0.00	188.60	SWTLA	71.51
GROSS PAY			2,442.60	S.S.Tax	139.75
				Fd.Inc.tax	267.00
				DR	608.58
				TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	1,119.52

203551

05/18/20

Karen Carter Peterson

1,323.08

Karen Carter Peterson

MEETING DATES	PER DIEM	MILEAGE	SUBSIST	COMMITTEE NAME
05/18/20	2,254.00	188.60		REGULAR SESSION - 5/04/20-5/17/20

LOUISIANA STATE SENATE

Session Per Diem

Karen Carter Peterson

DEPT: 631

PAY PERIOD: 06/03/20

CHECK NUMBER: 203599

PAY DATE: 06/03/20

DESCRIPTION	UNITS	RATE	AMOUNT	DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Per Diem	0.00	0.00	2,415.00	MedicareTx	35.02
Mileage	0.00	0.00	282.90	SWTLA	78.03
GROSS PAY			2,697.90	S.S.Tax	149.73
				Fd.inc.tax	294.00
				DR	652.05
				TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	1,208.83

203599

06/03/20

Karen Carter Peterson

1,489.07

Karen Carter Peterson

MEETING DATES	PER DIEM	MILEAGE	SUBSIST	COMMITTEE NAME
06/03/20	2,415.00	282.90		REGULAR SESSION - 5/18/20-6/1/20