

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 947

2016 Regular Session

Pope

STATE DEPARTMENTS: Requires certain state entities to report to the legislature information concerning administration of the entities

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Extends application of the reporting requirements provided in proposed law to the following 17 state entities:

Dept. of Economic Development; Dept. of Elderly Affairs; Dept. of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; Dept. of Environmental Quality; La. Workforce Commission; Dept. of Natural Resources; Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections; Dept. of Revenue; Dept. of Transportation and Development; Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries; Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry; Dept. of Insurance; Dept. of Justice; Dept. of Public Service; Dept. of State; Dept. of the Treasury; Dept. of Veterans Affairs.

2. Extends from 30 days prior to the convening of each regular session to 15 days prior to the convening of each regular session the time by which the state entities designated in proposed law are to report to the legislature the information concerning organization of personnel and staff salaries required by proposed law.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

Proposed law requires that on an annual basis, 21 departments, boards, and commissions of the state shall provide all of the following information to the legislature concerning their respective operations:

- (1) A full organizational chart for the department, board, or commission which is current as of the date of submission and which shows each staff position, whether filled or vacant, that comprises the organization.
- (2) The current salary of the person occupying each filled position shown on the organizational chart.

Proposed law applies to the following departments, boards, and commissions of the state:

State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education; Dept. of Economic Development; Dept. of Elderly Affairs; Dept. of Culture, Recreation and Tourism; Dept. of Environmental Quality; Dept. of Health and Hospitals; La. Workforce Commission; Dept. of Natural Resources; Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections; Dept. of Revenue; Dept. of Children and Family Services; Dept. of Transportation and Development; Dept. of Wildlife and Fisheries; Dept. of Agriculture and Forestry; Dept. of Education; Dept. of Insurance; Dept. of Justice; Dept. of Public Service; Dept. of State; Dept. of the Treasury; Dept. of Veterans Affairs.

Proposed law requires the state entities to which proposed law applies to report the required information to the legislature no later than 15 days prior to the convening of each regular session.

Proposed law authorizes the state entities to which proposed law applies to submit the required reports in electronic format, and to include the reports with submissions of other reports to the legislature required by present law.

(Amends R.S. 17:7(22); Adds R.S. 17:7(33) and R.S. 36:104(A)(15), 154(A)(9), 204(A)(9), 234(A)(14), 254(A)(15), 304(A)(9), 354(A)(18), 404(A)(10), 454(A)(9), 474(A)(13), 504(A)(10), 605(A)(9), 624(A)(9), 645(A)(9), 682(B)(8), 702(8), 722(8), 742(10), 764(A)(8), and 784(A)(9))