

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 156

BY REPRESENTATIVE LARVADAIN

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the advisability and feasibility of requiring metal detection devices in public schools.

WHEREAS, the Louisiana House of Representatives recognizes and acknowledges that school safety is of the highest importance; and

WHEREAS, efforts to reduce incidents of school violence can include a variety of strategies; it is important that the option of requiring metal detection devices in public schools be explored; and

WHEREAS, school safety is a top priority, and such devices have the potential to provide a higher level of security.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to study the advisability and feasibility of requiring metal detection devices in public schools and to report its findings and recommendations to the House Committee on Education not later than thirty days prior to the beginning of the 2025 Regular Session of the Legislature.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the president of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES