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DIGEST

Proposed constitutional amendment provides that no law, unless enacted by 2/3 of the elected members of each house of the legislature, requiring increased expenditures for any purpose shall be applicable to any city, parish, or other local public school board:

- (1) Until approved by resolution adopted by the school board affected;
- (2) Until and only as long as the legislature appropriates funds for the purpose to the affected school board and only to the extent and amount that such funds are provided; or
- (3) Until a law provides for a local source of revenue to the school board for the purpose and the affected school board is authorized by resolution to levy and collect such revenue and only to the extent and amount of such revenue.

Provides that proposed constitutional amendment shall not apply to:

- (1) A law applicable to a city, parish, or other local public school board which was enacted and effective prior to the effective date of proposed constitutional amendment.
- (2) The contribution by every city, parish, or other local public school system provided for in the formula for the Minimum Foundation Program of education as required by the constitution, nor to any instrument adopted or enacted by the legislature approving such formula.
- (3) Any law relative to the implementation of the state school and district accountability system.

Specifies submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Sept. 30, 2006.

(Adds Const. Art. VI, §14.1)