

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 568

BY REPRESENTATIVE NANCY LANDRY

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

STUDENTS: Provides relative to the collection and sharing of certain student information

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3914(C)(2)(b), relative to student information; to provide for
3 the authority of the Department of Education; to provide for the release of
4 information to entities located out-of-state; to provide for the use of information for
5 academic research; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:3914(C)(2)(b) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as
8 follows:

9 §3914. Student information; privacy; legislative intent; definitions; prohibitions;
10 parental access; penalties

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14 (2) Beginning August 1, 2015, no official or employee of a city, parish, or
15 other local public school system shall provide personally identifiable student
16 information to any member of the school board or to any other person or public or
17 private entity, except such an official or employee may, in accordance with
18 applicable state and federal law:

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Proposed law further authorizes officials and employees of DOE to share such information with a person or public or private entity outside of La. for purposes of research at any postsecondary education institution accredited by a regional or national accrediting organization recognized by the U.S. Dept. of Education.

(Amends R.S. 17:3914(C)(2)(b))