

Regular Session, 2010

SENATE BILL NO. 309

BY SENATOR LAFLEUR

STUDENTS. Provides relative to habitual absence or tardiness of students. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 17:233(B)(1)(c), relative to compulsory school attendance; to
3 provide relative to habitual student absence or tardiness; to provide relative to
4 notification to the parent or legal guardian of a student who is at-risk of being
5 considered habitually absent or tardy; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:233(B)(1)(c) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §233. Cases of habitual absence or tardiness referred to juvenile or family court;
9 denial or suspension of driving privileges

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11 B.(1)

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13 (c) The principal of the school, or his designee, shall notify the parent or
14 legal guardian in writing ~~upon~~ **on or before** a student's third unexcused absence or
15 unexcused occurrence of being tardy, ~~and shall hold a conference with such student's~~
16 ~~parent or legal guardian.~~ **This notification shall include information relative to the**
17 **parent or legal guardian's legal responsibility to enforce the student's**

