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<u>Present law</u> provides for a State Uniform Construction Code ("code") and requires the La. State Uniform Construction Code Council ("council") to review and update the code no later than five years from the date of publication of the appropriate code.

<u>Present law</u> requires the council to submit the updated code to the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs for oversight and approval and requires the council to provide all legislative members with a summary of the major proposed changes.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> but requires legislative oversight and approval of updates to the code at least ten days prior to deadline for prefiling bills.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the code not become effective until it is approved by the legislature by concurrent resolution while in regular session and if the legislature fails to adopt the proposed updated code, the most recently approved code shall remain in effect until the legislature approves an updated code.

Effective August 1, 2017.

SB 68 Original

(Amends R.S. 40:1730.26(3); adds R.S. 40:1730.26(5))