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Abstract: Revises the names of professional associations referred to in laws relative to the La. Licensed Professional Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors Board of Examiners.

<u>Present law</u> creates the La. Licensed Professional Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors Board of Examiners. Provides that the members of the board are appointed by the governor from a list of candidates supplied by the La. Association of Rehabilitation Professionals.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and updates the name of the professional association which supplies the list of candidates for the board <u>from</u> La. Association of Rehabilitation Professionals to International Association of Rehabilitation Professionals-La.

<u>Present law</u> requires the board to adopt the Code of Ethics of the National Association for Rehabilitation Professionals in the Private Sector. <u>Proposed law</u> revises <u>present law</u> to require the board to adopt the Commission on Rehabilitation Counselor Certification Code of Professional Ethics.

(Amends R.S. 37:3444(A)-(C) and 3445(D))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

- 1. Delete outdated provisions of <u>present law</u> concerning appointments to and seating of the original board in 1988.
- 2. Make technical changes.