

2019 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 368

BY REPRESENTATIVE MOSS

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 37:2405(A)(9) and to enact R.S. 37:2405(B)(15) and (D),  
3 relative to the Louisiana Physical Therapy Board; to provide for the powers, duties,  
4 and limitations of the board; to provide for the collection of a core set of data  
5 elements; to provide for the creation of a healthcare workforce database; to provide  
6 for agreements the board may enter into with private or public entities to maintain  
7 such database; to provide for reports of allegations of professional sexual  
8 misconduct; to provide for training of the board and staff members relative to  
9 mistreatment by licensees; and to provide for related matters.

10 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

11 Section 1. R.S. 37:2405(A)(9) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S.  
12 37:2405(B)(15) and (D) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

13 §2405. Powers and duties of the board; limitation

14 A. The responsibility for enforcement of the provisions of this Chapter is  
15 hereby vested in the board, which shall have all the powers, duties, and authority  
16 specifically granted by or necessary for the enforcement of this Chapter, including:

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18 (9)(a) Reporting annually to the governor and to the presiding officer of each  
19 house of the legislature on the condition of the practice of physical therapy in the  
20 state, making recommendations for improvement of the practice of physical therapy  
21 or the operation of the board, and submitting a record of the proceedings of the board  
22 during the year, together with the names of all physical therapists and physical  
23 therapist assistants to whom the board issued licenses during the year.

