

## **RÉSUMÉ DIGEST**

**HR 294**

**2019 Regular Session**

**Jimmy Harris**

Requests the La. Dept. of Health (LDH) to take immediate action to address racial disparity in maternal and child health outcomes and the alarming rate of mortality for African American infants and mothers in Louisiana and submit a summary report of immediate actions on or before August 1, 2019.

Requests LDH to host a summit on or before October 1, 2019, and submit a summit recommendation report of long-term actions to address mortality outcomes for African American infants and mothers in Louisiana to the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana on or before December 31, 2019.