

2026 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 290

BY SENATOR ABRAHAM

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT. Provides for concurrence of a public school system prior to changing certain information assigned to a student in the data collection system. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 17:3911(C)(5), relative to the data collection system; to provide
3 relative to the process required for the state Department of Education to change
4 certain information assigned to a student; to provide for an effective date; and to
5 provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:3911(C)(5) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §3911. Data collection system; establishment

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10 C. The department shall:

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12 (5) Obtain concurrence of the city, parish, or other local public school system
13 prior to ~~changing the~~ **assigning an** exit code **to a student that differs from the exit**
14 **code** assigned to a student by the school system.

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16 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
17 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature

1 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
 2 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
 3 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services. The keyword, summary, and digest do not constitute part of the law or proof or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

DIGEST

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Present law provides for a standardized data collection system to provide for the regular collection and reporting of certain student data.

Present law requires the La. Dept. of Education to obtain concurrence from the local public school system prior to changing the exit code assigned to a student by the school system.

Proposed law retains present law but changes the requirement that La. Dept. of Education and the local public school system concur from prior to changing the exit code assigned to a student by the school system to prior to assigning an exit code to a student that differs from the exit code assigned to a student by the school system.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 17:3911(C)(5))