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SB 338 Engrossed

DIGEST
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Barrow

Present law provides that school officials must take the following disciplinary action when it has been determined that an act of bullying has occurred, and after meeting with the parent or legal guardian of the students involved:

- (1) Take prompt and appropriate disciplinary action against the student that the school official determines has engaged in conduct which constitutes bullying, if appropriate.
- (2) Report criminal conduct to law enforcement, if appropriate.

Proposed law retains present law but includes requiring the student and his parent to participate in a court-approved decisionmaking course necessary for the student's conduct as a disciplinary action and requires the parent or legal guardian to attend school with the student for one week upon return of the student to school.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Adds R.S. 17:416.14(D)(3)(e)(iii) and (iv))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Education to the original bill

1. Provides that the school official must require the parent or legal guardian of the student to attend school with the student for one week upon the student's return to school.