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Relative to education and training on sexual harassment to public officials and employees, provides that except as otherwise specifically provided in resolution, or unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, the terms in resolution have the meaning provided in R.S. 42:1102 (Code of Governmental Ethics).

Requires commencing January 1, 2013, each public servant receive a minimum of one hour of education and training on sexual harassment during each year of his public employment or term of office, as the case may be.

Provides that the required education and training may be received either in person or via the Internet.

Requires that each agency head of a state agency designate at least one person who shall, with the assistance of the board, provide all public servants of that agency information and instruction on sexual harassment. Provides that on and after July 1, 2013, no agency head shall designate a person to provide the required information and instruction unless the person has received a minimum of two hours of education and training on sexual harassment. In addition, on and after July 1, 2014, each designee shall be required to have at least two hours of education and training on sexual harassment annually.

Requires that each agency head of a state agency ensure that each public servant in the agency is notified of the current name and contact information of each designee and that the current name and contact information of each designee is posted and maintained in a convenient and conspicuous manner which makes the information easily accessible to each public servant in the agency.

Requires that the agency head of each department in the executive branch select at least one person licensed to practice law in this state to be a designee.

Requires that each state agency keep records of the compliance with resolution for each public servant of the agency.