DIGEST

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HB 947 Reengrossed

2016 Regular Session

Pope

Abstract: Requires certain state boards and departments to report to the legislature information concerning organization of personnel and staff salaries.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires that on an annual basis, the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and the secretaries of the Dept. of Health and Hospitals, Dept. of Children and Family Services, and Dept. of Education shall provide all of the following information to the legislature concerning the departments and board, respectively:

- (1) A full organizational chart for the department or board which is current as of the date of submission and which shows each staff position, whether filled or vacant, that comprises the department or board.
- (2) The current salary of the person occupying each filled position shown on the organizational chart.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the entities to which <u>proposed law</u> applies to report the required information to the legislature no later than 30 days prior to the convening of each regular session.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the entities to which <u>proposed law</u> applies to submit the required reports in electronic format, and to include the reports with submissions of other annual reports to the legislature required by <u>present law</u>.

(Amends R.S. 17:7(22); Adds R.S. 17:7(33) and R.S. 36:254(A)(15), 474(A)(13), and 645(A)(9))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Health and Welfare</u> to the original bill:

1. Specify that the secretaries of the Dept. of Health and Hospitals and Dept. of Children and Family Services may submit the report required by <u>proposed law</u> in electronic format.

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Extend to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education and to the Dept. of

Education the requirements of <u>proposed law</u> for reporting to the legislature information concerning organization of personnel and staff salaries.

2. Make technical changes.