

## RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

**ACT 60 (HB 320)**

**2017 Regular Session**

**Hazel**

Existing law requires the Louisiana Military Family Assistance Board to establish rules governing the adjudication of need-based claims submitted by families of certain military personnel. Authorizes the board to enter into a cooperative agreement with a third party administrator in accordance with rules promulgated by the board, and requires that the agreement be approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget.

New law requires that, when the board has not entered into a cooperative agreement, the third party administrator shall be one or more employees of the La. Department of Veterans Affairs who is designated by the secretary and approved by the board.

Effective August 1, 2017.

(Amends R.S. 46:121(5) and 123(C); Adds R.S. 46:121(6))