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Abstract: Provides relative to the administration of medical marijuana in public schools.

<u>Present law</u> provides for requirements and restrictions relative to the administration of medication to public school students and defines "medication" to mean all prescription and nonprescription drugs. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and makes it applicable to medical marijuana.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the governing authority of each public elementary and secondary school to adopt a policy authorizing a primary caregiver, school nurse, or other authorized school personnel to administer medical marijuana in a form permissible under <u>present law</u> to a student with a recommendation or referral from a licensed physician. A school employee administering the medication is subject to written parental consent under present law.

(Adds R.S. 17:436.1(N))