

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 836

2020 Regular Session

Jordan

DENTISTRY: Provides relative to waiver of certain dental licensing requirements during a declared state of emergency

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Clarifies that the Louisiana State Board of Dentistry may waive or modify the licensure requirement that applicants perform procedures on human subjects during the state of emergency declared by Proclamation Number 58-JBE-2020.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

Present law provides that a requirement for an applicant who has successfully completed any national, regional, or independent third-party clinical dental licensing examination approved by the board shall include procedures performed on human subjects.

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Present law provides that a requirement for an applicant who has successfully completed any national, regional, or independent third-party clinical dental hygiene licensing examination approved by the board shall include procedures performed on human subjects.

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Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 37:761(D) and 764(E))