## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Authorizes schools boards to provide for chaplains to serve in public schools as employees or on a volunteer basis.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes school boards to provide for the service of school chaplains as employees or volunteers; provides that participation in a chaplain's programs or services is optional; subjects chaplains to all <u>present law</u> relative to criminal history of school employees and volunteers; and requires school boards with chaplains to adopt policies for <u>proposed law</u> implementation.

(Adds R.S. 17:2115.12)