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2 **time to the greatest extent possible and enhance student safety.**

3 **(3) Provide for a maximum one-way travel time but in no case shall any**
4 **bus ride exceed ninety minutes.**

5 **(4) Consider the following factors, which are in the best interest of the**
6 **student, when determining reasonable time:**

7 **(a) Student age.**

8 **(b) Distance between the student's home and the school in which he or**
9 **she is enrolled.**

10 **(c) The opening and dismissal time of the school in which the student is**
11 **enrolled.**

12 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
13 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
14 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
15 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
16 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Sherri H. Breaux.

DIGEST

Proposed law requires BESE to adopt and promulgate rules in accordance with the APA relative to the establishment of school bus routes for the transportation of students to and from a school under the jurisdiction of the Recovery School District. Provides for such rules, at a minimum, to require district schools to:

- (1) Provide for the safe, efficient, and reasonable transportation of students.
- (2) Provide for the establishment of bus routes that reduce student travel time to the greatest extent possible and enhance student safety.
- (3) Provide for a maximum one-way travel time but in no case shall any bus ride exceed 90 minutes.
- (4) Consider the following factors when determining reasonable time: student age, distance between the student's home and the school in which he or she is enrolled, and the opening and dismissal time of the school in which the student is enrolled.

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

(Adds R.S. 17:158.8)