

Establishes the Behavior Analysts Licensure and Regulation Study Commission to study the licensure and regulation of behavior analysts and to report on the baseline framework for such licensure and regulation to the Senate on or before December 31, 2012.

The commission is to consist of the following members:

1. The secretary of DHH, or his designee.
2. The state superintendent of education, or his designee.
3. The executive director of the La. State Board of Examiners of Psychologists, or his designee.
4. The executive director of the La. Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners, or his designee.
5. The executive director of the La. Behavior Analysis Association, or his designee.
6. The executive director of the La. Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, or his designee.
7. The dean of the College of Education , Nicholls State University, or his designee.
8. The president of the La. Psychological Association, or his designee.
9. The chairperson of the La. State Board of Social Work Examiners, or his designee.
10. The executive director of the La. State Board of Medical Examiners, or his designee.

Requires commission to hold first meeting on or before September 1, 2012.