## **RÉSUMÉ DIGEST**

## ACT 400 (HB 446)

## **2015 Regular Session**

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<u>New law</u> permits each city, parish, and other local public school board to provide age and grade appropriate classroom instruction regarding firearm accident prevention and safety to elementary school students. Requires that such instruction be integrated into an existing course of study, and specifies that the purpose of such instruction shall be to promote the protection and safety of children. Prohibits such instruction from including the expression of value judgments about the use of firearms. Requires the school board to determine the timing and duration of the instruction.

Effective August 1, 2015.

(Adds R.S. 17:282.5)