

2016 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 275

BY SENATOR MIZELL

CURRICULA. Requires cursive writing be taught in public schools. (gov sig)

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AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:266, relative to required courses of instruction; to require that cursive writing be taught in public schools; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 17:266 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

**§266. Cursive writing; required instruction**

**Beginning with the 2016-2017 school year, cursive writing shall be taught in all public schools at the appropriate grade levels.**

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become 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 Cheryl Serrett.

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Proposed law provides that, beginning with the 2016-2017 school year, cursive writing shall be taught in all public schools at the appropriate grade levels.

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

(Adds R.S. 17:266)