The original instrument was prepared by Christine Arbo Peck. The following digest, which does not constitute a part of the legislative instrument, was prepared by Cheryl M. Serrett.

DIGEST

SB 353 Engrossed

2016 Regular Session

Bishop

<u>Proposed law</u> establishes the Louisiana Expectant and Parenting Students Act to recognize existing Federal Title IX obligations and policy provisions that shall be adopted by governing authorities of public secondary schools with respect to such students. Further, provides for a report by the attorney general on school compliance with policies and data on rates of graduation for students who are expecting and parenting and recommendations for legislation. Specifies that no personally identifiable student information shall be reported.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Adds R.S. 17:221.7 and 3996(B)(42))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Education to the original bill

- 1. Extends the authority to provide medical excuses to medical professionals in addition to doctors.
- 2. Changes responsibility for compliance, monitoring, data collection and reporting <u>from</u> the Department of Education to the office of the attorney general.
- 3. Prohibits reporting of personally identifiable student information.