AN ACT

To enact R.S. 15:147(B)(20), relative to the powers and duties of the Public Defender Board; to provide for entering into contracts with the University of Louisiana Monroe; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 15:147(B)(20) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§147. Powers, duties, responsibilities

  *          *          *

  B. In addition to the powers and duties provided for in Subsection A of this Section, the board shall:

  *          *          *

(20) Enter into a contract or contracts with the University of Louisiana Monroe, for the purpose of providing certain statewide training to attorneys, investigators, social workers, and staff.

  *          *          *

Section 2. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2022; if vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day

Coding: Words which are struck through are deletions from existing law; words in boldface type and underscored are additions.
following such approval by the legislature or July 1, 2022, whichever is later.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Bobbie Hunter.

DIGEST
SB 206 Original 2022 Regular Session Jackson

Present law provides for the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Public Defender Board, and provides that the board may enter into contracts with various attorneys, local, state, and federal agencies.

Proposed law retains present law and further establishes that the Public Defender Board shall enter into a contract with the University of Louisiana Monroe, to provide training to certain attorneys, investigators, social workers, and staff.

Effective July 1, 2022.

(Adds R.S. 15:147(B)(20))