
DIGEST

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HB 608 Engrossed

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Abstract: Provides that certain records relative to an intercollegiate athletics revenue sharing program shall not be considered public records.

Present law (R.S. 44:4.1) provides a public records exception for present law (R.S. 17:3703) relative to any document disclosed by an intercollegiate athlete to the postsecondary education institution where he is enrolled as a student that references the terms and conditions of his contract for compensation for the use of his name, image, and likeness.

Proposed law retains present law.

Proposed law adds public records exceptions for proposed law relative to the following:

- (1) Revenue funds paid as part of an institution's athletics revenue sharing program to a specific athlete.
- (2) Revenue funds allocated as part of an institution's athletics revenue sharing program to any specific sport or athletic program.
- (3) Any document related to the process of negotiating an agreement with an intercollegiate athlete as part of an intercollegiate athletics revenue sharing program.

(Amends R.S. 17:3703(M))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Education to the original bill:

1. Add public record exceptions relative to certain revenue associated with an intercollegiate athletics revenue sharing program.