
DIGEST

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HCR 73 Reengrossed

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Schexnayder

Urges and requests the La. Dept. of Health (LDH) and the division of administration to provide an immediate update to the legislature on efforts to establish an application or system to track the incidence and spread of COVID-19.

Urges and requests the governor to revise his Phase 1 Order, Proclamation No. 58-JBE-2020, to mirror the White House Guidelines for Opening Up America Again that require businesses to operate under strict physical distancing protocols, rather than setting an arbitrary occupancy percentage limit.

Stipulate that the request encompassed by this Resolution shall not be construed as approval, endorsement, or promotion by the legislature of the practice of contact tracing, as administered by LDH, as a response to the COVID-19 public health emergency.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Add a directive urging the governor to amend Proclamation No. 58-JBE-2020 to conform with the White House Guidelines for Opening Up America Again.
2. Add findings related to business closures and to White House guidelines for reopening of businesses.
3. Stipulate that the request encompassed by the Resolution shall not be construed as approval, endorsement, or promotion by the legislature of the practice of contact tracing, as administered by the La. Department of Health, as a response to the COVID-19 public health emergency.