

2021 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 170

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 17:392.1(F), relative to students with dyslexia; to require public school
3 governing authorities to report to the state Department of Education and to require
4 the state Department of Education to report to the legislature regarding such
5 students; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:392.1(F) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §392.1. Screening and intervention; purpose; applicability; city and parish school
9 system, duties

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11 F.(1) Each public school governing authority shall submit a report to the
12 state Department of Education by October thirty-first annually relative to the
13 occurrence of dyslexia. The report shall include numbers of students of all grade
14 levels identified as dyslexic, either pursuant to the provisions of this Section or R.S.
15 17:2112, and shall include, per grade, all of the following:

16 (a) For students identified as dyslexic through a Section 504 Plan:

17 (i) The number initially identified during the preceding school year.

18 (ii) The total number.

19 (b) For students with an Individualized Education Plan identified as having
20 a specific learning disability, dyslexia:

21 (i) The number initially identified during the preceding school year.

22 (ii) The total number.

1 (2) The state Department of Education shall compile the reports received
2 pursuant to Paragraph (1) of this Subsection and report such data to the House
3 Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education no later than
4 December first annually.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____