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

DIGEST

SB 259 Reengrossed 2022 Regular Session Hewitt

Proposed law provides for the "Public Benefit Integrity Law". Requires the Dept. of Children and Family Services, Dept. of Education, La. Dept. of Health, and La. Workforce Commission to report to the legislature annually regarding the agency's policies and processes for identifying and eliminating fraud, waste, and abuse in certain government-funded programs and the results of the application of those policies and processes.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 49:1401-1403)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

1. Requires affected agencies to include the frequency with which the agency performs the verification checks in their respective annual report.