DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for notifications with respect to administrative rules.

<u>Present law</u> provides that prior to the adoption, amendment, or repeal of any rule, the agency shall give notice of its intended action. The notice of the intent and the approved fiscal and economic impact statements shall be mailed to all persons who have made timely request of the agency for such notice.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and also requires the notice of intent and the approved fiscal and economic impact statements to be transmitted to each member of the legislature via electronic mail.

<u>Present law</u> provides that no later than five days after the adoption of an emergency rule, the agency shall provide notice in writing of its emergency action along with a copy of the emergency rule. The notice shall be transmitted to the governor, the attorney general, the speaker of the House of Representatives, the president of the Senate, and the office of the state register.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and also requires the notice to be transmitted to each member of the legislature via electronic mail.

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

(Amends R.S. 49:953(A)(1)(c) and (F)(3)(c), 953.1(B)(2)(a), and 968(B)(intro. para.))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

- The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on House and Governmental</u> <u>Affairs</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:
- 1. Remove <u>proposed law</u> removing the governor's authority to disapprove any action taken by the subcommittee if such action is approved by a two-thirds vote of the members.
- 2. Remove the repeal of <u>present law</u> relative to the governor's power to suspend or veto a rule or regulation.