HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 963 2022 Regular Session Orgeron

CURRICULA: Requires instruction in water safety for public school students

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Makes technical change.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

<u>Proposed law</u> requires public schools to provide age- and grade-appropriate classroom instruction on water safety. Requires such instruction be integrated into existing curriculum.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes each public school governing authority to customize instruction based on geography and any other special circumstances.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the state Dept. of Education establish and maintain a clearinghouse of instructional materials and information regarding water safety instruction.

Proposed law is applicable to all public schools, including charter schools.

(Adds R.S. 17:267.1 and 3996(B)(67))