CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

SB 333

2022 Regular Session

Hewitt

June 3, 2022

To the Honorable President and Members of the Senate and to the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning Senate Bill No. 333 by Senator Hewitt, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That the set of House Committee Amendments proposed by the House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs and adopted by the House of Representatives on May 12, 2022, be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Senators:

Representatives:

Senator Sharon Hewitt

Representative John M. Stefanski

Senator Edward J. "Ed" Price

Representative Royce Duplessis

Senator Franklin J. Foil

Representative Daryl Andrew Deshotel

The legislative instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Matthew R. DeVille.

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Keyword and summary of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

STATE AGENCIES. Provides relative to boards and commissions. (gov sig)

Report adopts House amendments to:

1. Make technical changes.

2. Provide for the abolition of the Health Education Authority of Louisiana.

Digest of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for the abolition of certain boards, commissions, authorities, and like entities; abolishes the functions and responsibilities of the entity and provides for any necessary transitions and transfers, all as follows:

Medical Education Commission: <u>Present law</u> creates the commission to make recommendations to the secretary of the Department of Health on the distribution of funding for residency positions, residency supervision, and other medical education resources for the LSU HSC hospitals among medical education programs providing services and to analyze and make recommendations to the secretary of the Department of Health regarding appropriate formulas to be used in calculating the amounts to be paid to a medical institution in support of its training programs in the LSU HSC hospitals. <u>Proposed law</u> abolishes the commission.

Health Education Authority of Louisiana: <u>Present law</u> creates the authority to promote the medical and health educational activities of various public and private institutions and organizations in the state of Louisiana and to promote health and welfare of its citizens through encouraging and assisting in the provision of medical care and prompt and efficient health and health-related services at reasonable cost by public and private institutions and organizations. <u>Proposed law</u> abolishes the authority.

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

(Amends R.S. 36:254(A)(14) and R.S. 39:98.3(B)(2) and 98.4(B)(3)(a); repeals R.S. 17:1519.12, 2048.51(C)(14) and (N), and 3051 through 3060 and R.S. 36:259(B)(22) and 651(C)(8))