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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2023 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 12 by Representative Nelson

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete lines 11 through 15 and insert the following:

3 "A. If a student has a reading deficiency that is not remedied by the end of  
4 the third grade as demonstrated by the student scoring at the lowest achievement  
5 level in reading on the literacy screener administered pursuant to R.S. 17:24.9, the  
6 student shall be given, prior to the beginning of the subsequent school year, two  
7 additional opportunities to score a higher achievement level on the literacy screener.  
8 If after three opportunities, the student has not scored above the lowest achievement  
9 level in reading on the literacy screener, the student shall not be promoted to the  
10 fourth grade."

11 AMENDMENT NO. 2

12 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3, and insert the following:

13 "B.(1) Each public school governing authority shall provide a student who  
14 is retained in the third grade under these circumstances with the following:"

15 AMENDMENT NO. 3

16 On page 2, delete lines 21 through 29 and on page 3, delete lines 1 and 2 and at the  
17 beginning of line 3, change "(4)" to "(2)"