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## DIGEST

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HB No. 1185

**Abstract:** Limits the content of a bill re-creating a statutory entity to changing the termination date of the entity.

Present law (R.S. 49:190 et seq.) provides procedures for the evaluation, termination, and re-creation of state departments, offices, and agencies (known collectively as statutory entities).

Present law (R.S. 49:193(G)) provides that in the regular legislative session in the year prior to the year in which the applicable termination date occurs, a bill authorizing the re-creation of the statutory entity in question may be introduced and shall be referred to the standing committee that performed the initial review and evaluation. Provides that no more than one statutory entity shall be re-created in any bill; provides, however, that this limitation shall not be construed to prohibit consolidation of two or more statutory entities or parts of statutory entities in any one bill.

Proposed law retains present law.

Present law provides that the bill authorizing the re-creation of the statutory entity shall contain a termination date for the statutory entity being re-created no more than six years from its effective termination date. Proposed law retains present law but provides that the bill shall contain no other substantive changes.

(Amends R.S. 49:193(G))