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DIGEST

SB 366 Original

2016 Regular Session

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Present law provides for a State Uniform Construction Code and requires the La. State Uniform Construction Code Council to review and update it no later than five years from the date of publication of the appropriate code. Requires the council to submit the updated code to the House Committee on Commerce and the Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection, and International Affairs for oversight and approval. Requires the council to provide all legislative members with a summary of the major proposed changes.

Proposed law retains present law but requires legislative oversight and approval of updates to the State Uniform Construction Code at least ten days prior to deadline for prefiling bills.

Proposed law provides that the Code not become effective until it is approved by the legislature by concurrent resolution while in regular session. Provides that if the legislature fails to adopt the proposed updated Code, the most recently approved Code shall remain in effect until the legislature approves an updated Code.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 40:1730.26(3); adds R.S. 40:1730.26(5))