

2018 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 311

BY SENATOR PERRY

SCHOOLS. Requires that all softball and baseball dugouts used for high school interscholastic athletics be enclosed. (8/1/18)

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:176(G), relative to interscholastic athletics; to require that the dugout area of any baseball or softball field used for high school interscholastic athletics be enclosed; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 17:176(G) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§176. Extracurricular activities; interscholastic athletics; participation; standards; prohibitions; filming or videotaping; definitions

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G. The dugout area of any baseball or softball field that is used for high school interscholastic athletics by any public school or nonpublic school that receives public funds shall be enclosed. The enclosure shall be designed in a manner to prevent a batted or thrown ball from entering the dugout from the field of play.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Cheryl Serrett.

	DIGEST	
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Proposed law requires that the dugout area of any baseball or softball field that is used for high school interscholastic athletics by any public school or nonpublic school that receives public funds be enclosed and designed in a manner to keep batted or thrown balls from entering the dugout from the field of play.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Adds R.S. 17:176(G))