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<u>Present law</u> provides for the development of instructional technology by the office of instructional technology within the Department of Education. <u>Present law</u> requires the department to create and implement a statewide educational technology plan.

Proposed law retains present law.

<u>Proposed law</u> creates the technology strategy task force to review the technology plan, the current technology capabilities of schools in the state, and projected technology needs, and develop a strategy whereby all schools can meet the technology needs of their students.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the task force shall be composed of eleven members as follows:

- (1) One member appointed by the state superintendent of education.
- (2) One member appointed by the Louisiana School Boards Association.
- (3) One member appointed by the Louisiana Association of School Superintendents.
- (4) One member appointed by the Louisiana Association of Computer Using Educators.
- One university faculty member with expertise in technology, appointed by the Conference of Louisiana Colleges and Universities.
- (6) One member appointed by the Louisiana Internet and Television Association.
- (7) One member appointed by the Louisiana Municipal Association.
- (8) One member appointed by the president of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education.
- (9) One member appointed by the governor.
- (10) One member appointed by the president of the Senate.
- (11) One member appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives.

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(Adds R.S. 17:3921.3)