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

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<u>Present law</u> provides for the Louisiana Behavior Analyst Board (board) including the membership, officers, meetings, and powers and duties of the board.

Proposed law retains present law.

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<u>Present law</u> provides that members of the board shall serve at the pleasure of the governor and a vacancy in an unexpired term shall be filled in the manner of the original appointment.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that each member of the board shall be appointed for a term of four years and that a vacancy in an unexpired term shall be filled in the manner of the original appointment for the remainder of the unexpired term.

<u>Proposed law</u> applies to the terms of the members of the board appointed prior to the effective date of proposed law.

Effective August 1, 2021.

(Amends R.S. 37:3703(B)(3) and (4))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

- 1. Repeal provision allowing board members to serve at the pleasure of the governor.
- 2. Specify that an appointment to fill a vacancy in an unexpired term shall be for the remainder of the unexpired term.
- 3. Make technical changes.