

SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 128

2021 Regular Session

Jackson

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

TEACHERS. Provides for teacher planning time and lunch periods. (7/1/22)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Adds provision for free passage on the La. Hwy 1 Bridge for teachers, school bus drivers, and other school employees.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

DIGEST

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Present law provides that, if state funds are available, each teacher shall be provided a minimum of 45 minutes of planning time and a minimum of 30 minutes for lunch each day which shall be duty-free and provides that the school day shall not be lengthened to accommodate the provision of the planning time and lunch period.

Proposed law deletes the requirement for a duty-free lunch period. Requires each teacher to be provided a minimum of 45 minutes of uninterrupted planning time each day.

Proposed law prohibits a reduction in daily student instructional time to accommodate the provision of the planning time.

Proposed law removes the contingency making implementation subject to the availability of state funds.

Proposed law requires that all teachers, school bus drivers, and other school employees have free and unhampered passage crossing the Louisiana Highway 1 Bridge, also known as the Tomey J. Doucet Bridge, when traveling to and from their work place or when executing their official duties as prescribed by the Lafourche Parish School System.

Effective July 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 17:434(A); adds R.S. 17:426)

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