HOMELAND SECURITY. Requires the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness to adopt certain rules. (8/1/22)

AN ACT
To enact R.S. 29:726(E)(30) and (31), relative to the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness; to provide for authority and responsibilities; to provide for promulgation of rules; to provide for an annual emergency preparedness class; to provide for disbursement of assets and diversion of resources during an emergency; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 29:726(E)(30) and (31) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

§726. Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness;

authority and responsibilities

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E. The office shall either directly or through authorized assignment to another state agency or department:

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(30) Prior to January 1, 2023, promulgate standards and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act for an annual emergency preparedness course for the benefit of local officials and members of the
legislature. Starting July 1, 2023, each local official and member of the legislature shall be required to participate in this course.

(31) Prior to January 1, 2023, promulgate standards and regulations in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act regarding disbursement of assets and diversion of resources during a federally or gubernatorially declared emergency.

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

DIGEST

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Proposed law requires GOHSEP to promulgate standards and regulations in accordance with the APA for an annual emergency preparedness course for the benefit of local officials and members of the legislature prior to 1/1/2023.

Proposed law requires each local official and member of the legislature to participate in this course beginning 7/1/2023.

Proposed law requires GOHSEP to promulgate standards and regulations in accordance with the APA regarding disbursement of assets and diversion of resources during a federally or gubernatorially declared emergency prior to 1/1/2023.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Adds R.S. 29:726(E)(30) and (31))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to the original bill

1. Makes technical changes.