

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 689 (SB 297)

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Barrow

Prior law required public postsecondary education institutions to provide for safe campuses and required certain actions to ensure campuses were safe and that postsecondary education administrators were accountable for providing the safe environment.

Prior law provided definitions, including defining an "employee". Further provided that the definition of "employee" shall not include a student enrolled at a public postsecondary institution, unless the student worked for the institution in a position such as a teaching assistant or a residential advisor.

New law retains prior law and further qualifies the definition of "employee" to exclude students whose employment is contingent upon enrollment as a student.

New law imposes implementation deadlines. Requires the Board of Regents to consult with the Louisiana Power-Based Violence Review Panel in developing the annual report. Requires the annual report to also be sent to the Senate and House select committees on women and children. Changes the panel membership to include one Title IV coordinator from each public postsecondary system.

Effective June 18, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 17:3399.12(3) and (5)(a) and (b), 3399.13.1(F), 3399.16(A) and (E), and 3399.18(B)(17), (E), and (F))