

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 607 (HB 136)

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Existing law requires the State Bd. of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) to establish qualifications and requirements for teacher education programs. Specifies certain elements to be included in such programs.

New law adds three credit hours on teaching students with dyslexia to the minimum program qualifications and requirements.

Existing law does not prohibit BESE from providing for teacher certification by means other than completion of a teacher education program.

New law requires such alternative means of certification to include three credit hours on teaching students with dyslexia.

New law applies to students who enter teacher education programs during the 2024-2025 school year and thereafter.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends R.S. 17:7.2(D); Adds R.S. 17:7.2(A)(7))