
DIGEST

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HB 87 Reengrossed

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Abstract: Provides that a governmental entity or employer shall not mandate masks or vaccines.

Proposed law defines "governmental entity".

Proposed law provides that a governmental entity or business shall not mandate masks except in nursing facilities, correctional facilities, hospitals, a physicians office, or for EMS practitioners.

Proposed law provides that a governmental entity or business shall not mandate vaccinations except for hospital or nursing facilities under the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, religious accommodations, or a physician's office.

Proposed law provides that a person may file a petition requesting that the attorney general seek injunctive relief if a governmental entity violates the provisions of proposed law.

Proposed law provides for reasonable investigation fees and attorney fees to the attorney general while the attorney general investigates and prosecutes a violation of proposed law.

Proposed law provides for fines against a business for violations of proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 40:1125.42)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Replace all of proposed law with provisions to prohibit mask and vaccination mandates and to provide for exceptions and a fee enforced by the attorney general.