## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Requires public schools to offer a mental health assessment to certain students at the beginning of each school year.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires public schools to make available to each student the opportunity to undergo a mental health assessment by a licensed behavioral health provider within the first 90 days of each school year. Requires the consent of his parent or legal guardian. Applies to students in grades four through 12.

(Adds R.S. 17:173.1)