

New law requires the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness (GOHSEP) to create a statewide critical incident planning and mapping system for all public buildings in this state to assist first responders when responding to a disaster or emergency. Requires GOHSEP to acquire a computer system and software that has the capability of storing critical information required by new law and grant access to that information to all first responders.

New law requires that certain entities provide critical information to GOHSEP for inclusion in the system and provides for the use of critical information by first responders.

New law requires GOHSEP to adopt rules in accordance with the APA to implement new law and provides that new law is contingent upon the appropriation of funds.

Effective upon signature of governor (June 29, 2011).

(Adds R.S. 29:726.3)