

SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 212 By Senator Gary Smith

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

PUBLIC MEETINGS. Requires proceedings to be video or tape recorded, filed, or broadcast live for certain nonelected boards and commissions (gov sig)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Technical amendments.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

Present law provides that all or any part of the proceedings in a public meeting may be video or tape recorded, filmed, or broadcast live.

Proposed law changes present law to require that all of the proceedings in a public meeting may be video or tape recorded, filmed, or broadcast live.

Proposed law provides that any nonelected board or commission that has the authority to levy a tax must video or audio record, film or broadcast live, all proceedings in a public meeting.

Proposed law provides that all existing records or records hereafter accumulated pursuant to proposed law will be preserved and maintained for a period of at least two years from the date on which the public record was made.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 42:23(A); adds R.S. 44:36(F))

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