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HB 741

Background:

Congress passed the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Pub. L. 113-128, in July of 2014. To be in conformity with WIOA, the state's workforce development laws needed to be amended and reenacted. This was accomplished through HB 741, which was passed by both the Louisiana House and Senate, and is currently awaiting the Governor's signature.

Specifics:

HB 741 primarily addressed technical (language) changes reflecting the change from WIA to WIOA. Of primary note, however, is the membership of the state board (WIC) and local boards. The attached documents compare each board's required membership under WIA and under WIOA.

Action Required:

None. Information only.

Submitted by:

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