

## RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

**ACT 297 (HB 193)**

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Existing law provides generally for "laboratory schools", which are elementary or secondary schools operated by public postsecondary education institutions.

Existing law is applicable to schools operated by La. State University and Southern University. New law makes existing law applicable to a school operated by the University of La. at Lafayette.

Existing law provides as follows with respect to such schools.

- (1) A laboratory school is considered part of the parish school system in which it is located for the purposes of inclusion in the minimum foundation program formula.
- (2) Requires the State Bd. of Elementary and Secondary Education to include laboratory school students in the development and application of the minimum foundation program formula.
- (3) Requires the state Dept. of Education to allocate funds appropriated for laboratory schools to the public postsecondary education institution operating such school.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 17:350.21)