

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 116

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

SCHOOLS/CHOICE: Provides relative to student eligibility criteria for participation in a voucher program for students with exceptionalities and for continuation of the program

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 17:4031(B)(2)(a) and to repeal Section 2 of Act No. 424 of the
3 2012 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to the School Choice Program for
4 Certain Students with Exceptionalities; to provide relative to student eligibility
5 criteria for participation in the program; to provide for continuation of the program;
6 and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 17:4031(B)(2)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as
9 follows:

10 §4031. School choice program; students with exceptionalities; establishment;
11 purpose; student eligibility; nonpublic school eligibility; educational
12 certificates; administration; implementation; reporting

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16 (2) Any student who meets all of the following criteria is an eligible student:

17 (a) The student has been evaluated by a local education agency as defined
18 in R.S. 17:1942, is determined to be in need of services for autism, a mental
19 disability, emotional disturbance, developmental delay, other health impairment,

