

2020 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 442

BY SENATOR MILLIGAN

SCHOOLS. Requires implementation of a traumatic injury response program in all public schools. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 17:410.1 and 3996(B)(59), relative to school safety; to provide for a traumatic
3 injury response programs in all public schools; to require bleeding control kits; to
4 require employee training relative to traumatic injury response; and to provide for
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:410.1 and 3996(B)(59) are hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 **§410.1. Traumatic injury response; bleeding control kits; requirement;**
9 **training; limitation of liability**

10 **A. Each city, parish, or other local public school board shall develop and**
11 **implement a traumatic injury response program at each school under its**
12 **authority. The program shall require that:**

13 **(1) Bleeding control kits are placed in easily accessible locations in**
14 **designated rooms in each school.**

15 **(2) The use of bleeding control kits is incorporated into each school's**
16 **emergency plans and that all school drills include practice on how to use the**
17 **kits.**

1 §3996. Charter schools; exemptions; requirements

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3 B. Notwithstanding any state law, rule, or regulation to the contrary and
4 except as may be otherwise specifically provided for in an approved charter, a
5 charter school established and operated in accordance with the provisions of this
6 Chapter and its approved charter and the school's officers and employees shall be
7 exempt from all statutory mandates or other statutory requirements that are
8 applicable to public schools and to public school officers and employees except for
9 the following laws otherwise applicable to public schools with the same grades:

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11 **(59) Traumatic injury response program, R.S. 17:410.1.**

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13 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
14 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
15 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
16 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
17 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Cheryl Serrett.

DIGEST

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Proposed law provides for each city, parish, or other local public school board to establish a traumatic injury response program which requires training and preparation for traumatic injuries at each public school. Additionally requires bleeding control kits to be placed in easily accessible locations in designated rooms at each school and provides for the items which shall be included in a bleeding control kit.

Proposed law provides for immunity for certain persons who administer aid to traumatic injuries through the use of bleeding control kits.

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

(Adds R.S. 17:410.1 and 3996(B)(59))