Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Education

Thursday, March 21, 2024 Committee Room 1 9:00 a.m.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 17	SCHLEGEL	SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES Requests the state Department of Education, Department of Children and Family Services, and Louisiana Department of Health to collaborate to increase mental health counseling in public schools
HB 8	MELERINE	SCHOOLS/HIGH SCHOOL Prohibits the use of an appeals process for certain students who fail to pass state-administered tests required for high school graduation
HB 78	CARVER	SCHOOLS/CHARTER Authorizes initial proposals for charter schools with corporate partners to be made to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education as Type 2 charter school proposals
HB 244	HUGHES	STUDENTS Expands the purpose of the Steve Carter Literacy Program to include educational services in math
НВ 267	HUGHES	STUDENT/ASSESSMENT Provides relative to numeracy education to students in kindergarten through third grade
HB 320	OWEN, CHARLES	EDUCATION Repeals certain student instruction and teacher training requirements and authorizes the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to adopt policies requiring the inclusion of certain topics in such instruction and training
HB 420	BRYANT	SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES Requires additional compensation for teachers and other school employees under certain circumstances
HB 594	GREEN	SCHOOLS/FOOD PROGRAMS Creates and provides for the Free School Breakfast Program to be administered by the state Department of Education
HB 708	FREIBERG	SCHOOLS/CHARTER Removes requirements that charter schools meet a certain threshold with respect to the number of students with exceptionalities and economically disadvantaged students relative to its total student enrollment

OTHER BUSINESS:

Adoption of minutes of the House Committee on Education from the 2023 Regular Session dated April 20, April 25, April 26, May 2, May 10, May 16, May 23, May 31, and June 4, 2023; and from the 2023-2024 Interim dated December 14, 2023

Introductory remarks from Lance Harris, Vice President of the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education

Introductory remarks from Cade Brumley, State Superintendent of Education

Consideration and adoption of committee rules

Pursuant to House Rule 14.33, any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee's scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

NOTE: Statements may be filed with the House Committee on Education via e-mail at h-educ@legis.la.gov.

LEGISLATIVE INSTRUMENTS MAY BE DELETED (DOES NOT REQUIRE HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) OR ADDED (REQUIRES HOUSE RULES SUSPENSION) PRIOR TO THE MEETING DATE. (HOUSE RULES 14.23 AND 14.24) SEE THE DAILY NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS POSTED PRIOR TO MEETING DATE.

LAURIE SCHLEGEL Chairman