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DIGEST

Marionneaux (SB 186)

Present law prohibits smoking in any public building, school, public place, and in any enclosed area within a place of employment.

Proposed law retains present law and also prohibits smoking in any restaurant or bar if food is served at any time while such restaurant or bar is open to the public.

Present law provides for an exception to the prohibition of smoking in a public place or a bar.

Proposed law retains present law and narrows the exception to a bar which does not serve food at any time while the bar is open to the public.

(Adds R.S. 40:1300.256(A)(5); repeals R.S. 40:1300.256(B)(5), (8) and (13))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to the original bill.

1. Removes provisions which exempt bars, facilities licensed for operation and regulated under the provisions of Chapters 4 and 11 of Title 4 and Chapters 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Title 27 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes, and outdoor patios from the smoking prohibition in certain places.
2. Adds an effective date of April 1, 2010.