

Regular Session, 2011

ACT No. 216

HOUSE BILL NO. 13

BY REPRESENTATIVE GISCLAIR

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(D) and to enact R.S. 15:542(B)(3), relative to sex
3 offender registration and notification; to require registration with campus law
4 enforcement agencies; to provide relative to registration fees; and to provide for
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 15:542(D) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 15:542(B)(3)
8 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §542. Registration of sex offenders and child predators

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11 B.

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13 (3) If the sex offender is a student at an institution of postsecondary
14 education in this state, the sex offender shall also register with the campus law
15 enforcement agency of the institution at least one business day prior to the beginning
16 of the school term or semester.

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18 D. The offender shall pay to the appropriate law enforcement agencies with
19 whom he is required to register, except for the campus law enforcement agency of
20 an institution of postsecondary education, an annual registration fee of sixty dollars
21 to defray the costs of maintaining the record of the offender. The payment of such
22 a fee shall be made in accordance with any rule regarding indigency adopted by the
23 judges of the judicial district court in the jurisdiction or as determined by criteria
24 established by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections. The offender shall

1 pay such fee upon the initial registration and on the anniversary thereof. Failure by
2 the offender to pay the fee within thirty days of initial registration shall constitute a
3 failure to register and shall subject the offender to prosecution under the provisions
4 of R.S. 15:542.1.4(A)(3). The offender shall not be prevented from registering in
5 accordance with this Section for failure to pay the annual registration fee.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____