

SENATE BILL NO. 65

BY SENATOR CHEEK

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

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1300.53(C)(2), relative to nonlicensed persons and licensed ambulance personnel; to provide for an exemption to the prohibition on employing a nonlicensed person or licensed ambulance personnel when such person has been convicted of certain offenses; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 40:1300.53(C)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§1300.53. Refusal to hire or contract; termination of employment; exemption; appeal procedure; waiver

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~~(2) The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply to an employee or contract provider who has been employed for twenty-four months of the preceding thirty-six months~~ **The provisions of this Section shall not apply to a nonlicensed person or licensed ambulance personnel who was working under a waiver granted under the law in effect prior to August 15, 2010, so long as that person continues to be employed for the employer who granted the waiver and the person began employment for the employer prior to August 15, 2010, or a person who has received a pardon of the conviction or has had his conviction expunged.**

Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

1 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
2 effective on the day following such approval.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____