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DIGEST

Perry (SB 485)

Present law provides that the crimes of vehicular homicide and third degree feticide have as an element of each offense operating a vehicle under circumstances while under the influence of alcohol or certain controlled dangerous substances.

Proposed law retains present law and adds as an element of each present law crime that the operator of the vehicle has in his blood any detectable amount of any controlled dangerous substance listed in Schedule I, II, III, or IV of present law that has not been medically ordered or prescribed for the individual, or a metabolite of a controlled dangerous substance.

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

(Adds R.S. 14:32.1(A)(7) and 32.8(A)(2)(g))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

1. Removes vehicular negligent injuring, first degree vehicular negligent injuring, and operating a vehicle while intoxicated as offenses that would have been applied to proposed law.
2. Removes references to Schedule V controlled dangerous substances as an element of each listed offense under proposed law.