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HB 173 Engrossed

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Abstract: Provides relative to criminal history record information made available to the state police gaming division, the La. Gaming Control Board, the La. Lottery Corp., the office of charitable gaming, and the La. State Racing Commission.

<u>Present law</u> requires the La. Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information (bureau) to make available to the state police gaming division, the La. Riverboat Gaming Commission, and the La. Economic Development and Gaming Corp., information contained in the bureau's criminal history record and identification files, which pertains to an applicant or prospective employee. Further provides that in order to determine an applicant's suitability for a gaming or employee license under provisions of <u>present law</u>, each applicant is required to be fingerprinted.

<u>Proposed law</u> amends <u>present law</u> to require the bureau, upon request and after receipt of fingerprint cards or other information, to make criminal history record information available to the state police gaming division, the La. Gaming Control Board, the La. Lottery Corp., the office of charitable gaming, and the La. State Racing Commission.

Proposed law removes the present law requirement for each applicant to be fingerprinted.

(Amends R.S. 15:587(C))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:

1. Remove the requirement for each applicant to be fingerprinted.