
DIGEST

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Abstract: Prohibits the release of inmates during a declared state of emergency without a court order.

Proposed law provides that during a declared emergency, the release of inmates within the declared area of the emergency by the DPS&C or any local facility housing inmates is prohibited except pursuant to an individualized court order.

Proposed law provides that during a declared emergency, no court or other officer, including any sheriff operating a parish prison or private contractor operating a prison, shall have authority and are expressly prohibited from releasing any inmate or prisoner except pursuant to a court order issued pursuant to a motion served upon the district attorney of a parish within the area of the declared emergency.

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

(Adds R.S. 29:740)