RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Existing law provides for the crime of manufacture and possession of a bomb.

New law retains existing law generally.

Existing law defines the terms "bomb" and "explosive".

New law retains existing law and defines the term "enhanced security zone".

<u>Existing law</u> requires that whoever violates the provisions of <u>existing law</u> be subject to a fine of not more than \$10,000, imprisoned at hard labor for not more than 20 years, or both.

New law retains existing law and requires that any person who violates the provisions of existing law within an enhanced security zone or within 100 feet of any parade, demonstration, or gathering for which a permit is issued by a governmental entity be subject to a fine of not more than \$20,000, imprisoned at hard labor for not less than 20 years, or both.

Existing law provides for the licensure and regulation of explosives.

Existing law requires that costs incurred by the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections (DPS&C) for processing La. State Police and FBI fingerprint cards be borne by the applicant.

<u>New law</u> requires that costs incurred by the DPS&C for conducting a background investigation and criminal history records check be borne by the applicant.

Effective August 1, 2025.

(Amends R.S. 14:54.3 and 40:1472.3(E)(3)(c))