

2026 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 147

BY SENATOR TALBOT

GOVERNMENTAL REGULATIONS. Provides for standards when constructing a residential roof. (8/1/26)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 40:1730.28.2(A)(4), relative to the State Uniform Construction Code; to
3 provide for fortified roofs on residential property; to provide for requirements and
4 standards; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 40:1730.28.2(A)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

7 §1730.28.2. State Uniform Construction Code; requirements and prohibitions

8 A. The State Uniform Construction Code shall:

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10 **(4) Require that the construction of a new roof or the replacement of a**
11 **roof on residential property meet or exceed the fortified roof standards of the**
12 **Insurance Institute for Business and Home Safety.**

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