SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Engrossed House Bill No. 39 by Representative Firment

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "enact R.S. 40:2402(5) and 2404.4," and insert "amend and reenact R.S. 40:2402(3)(a) and to enact R.S. 40:2402(5),"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 6, after "Section 1." delete "R.S. 40:2402(5) and 2404.4 are" and insert "R.S. 40:2402(3)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted and R.S. 40:2402(5) is"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 10 and 11 and insert the following:

"(3)(a) "Peace officer" means any employee of the state, a municipality, a sheriff, or other public agency, who is a United States citizen and whose permanent duties actually include the making of arrests, the performing of searches and seizures, or the execution of criminal warrants, and is responsible for the prevention or detection of crime or for the enforcement of the penal, traffic, or highway laws of this state, but not including any elected or appointed head of a law enforcement department.

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(5) "United States citizen" means any individual who is a citizen of the United States either by law, birth, or naturalization."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, delete lines 13 through 17