

GREEN SHEET REDIGEST

HB 74

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LAW ENFORCEMENT: Creates a "Spectrum Alert" system to assist in locating missing persons with autism spectrum disorder.

DIGEST

Proposed law directs the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections (DPS&C) to develop a Spectrum Alert system and lists requirements for the system.

Proposed law directs the La. Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice (LCLE) to develop training for law enforcement officers on responding to Spectrum Alerts.

Proposed law limits liability for individuals assisting in response to a Spectrum Alert.

(Adds R.S. 40:2529.1-2529.4)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to the engrossed bill

1. Change responsibility for development of the training program to equip law enforcement officers with skills to understand ASD from the secretary of DPS&C to LCLE.