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**SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Engrossed House Bill No. 71 by Representative Carlson

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, change "enact R.S. 9:2793.12(A)(3)," to "amend and reenact R.S.  
3 9:2793.12(B) and to enact R.S. 9:2793.12(A)(3),"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 6, change "R.S. 9:2793.12(A)(3)" to "R.S. 9:2793.12(B) is hereby amended  
6 and reenacted and R.S. 9:2793.12(A)(3)"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

9           "B. An authorized person as defined in this Section shall not be liable for  
10 damages for any injury, death, or loss suffered by a perpetrator when the injury,  
11 death, or loss is caused by a justified use of force or self-defense through the  
12 discharge of a firearm by the authorized person. An armed security officer is entitled  
13 to the limitation of liability provided for in this Section only if the perpetrator is  
14 wielding a dangerous weapon as defined in R.S. 14:2 at the time the armed security  
15 officer injures the perpetrator. This provision shall preclude any right of action by  
16 the perpetrator, his survivors, or his heirs."  
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