

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 1257 (Substitute for House Bill No. 123 by Representative Bayham)

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 15:835(D), relative to electronic monitoring; to provide for  
3 prohibitions relative to ownership or financial interests in electronic monitoring  
4 service providers; to provide for a definition; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 15:835(D) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §835. Registration of electronic monitoring service providers

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9 D.(1) An elected official, or any immediate family member of an elected  
10 official, shall be prohibited from being a vendor, or having No elected judge, district  
11 attorney, sheriff, chief of police, constable, marshal, nor any immediate family of  
12 these individuals shall have an ownership interest or a financial interest in a vendor,  
13 for any company that provides electronic monitoring services in this state.

14 (2) For the purposes of this Subsection, "immediate family" has the same  
15 meaning as provided in R.S. 42:1102.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_