

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Existing law provides for the crime and penalties of hit-and-run driving.

New law requires judges to consider factors in existing law (C.Cr.P. 316) when setting bail for drivers who have committed hit-and-run driving offenses.

New law requires the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections (DPS&C) to develop procedures and protocols to rapidly notify law enforcement of hit-and-run offenses including that an offense occurred, whether there were any injuries in the offense, the appearance of the offending vehicle, and the direction in which it traveled.

New law requires a law enforcement agency to use the La. Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (LLETS) to disseminate information to other law enforcement regarding hit-and-run driving offenses.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Adds R.S. 14:100(B)(2) and (D))