

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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New law requires local housing authorities to give preference for vouchers to human trafficking survivors. Additionally requires a local housing authority to verify that a person applying for a voucher complies with all of the following:

- (1) Meets all standards and requirements outlined in the respective voucher program.
- (2) Is a human trafficking survivor as indicated in a law enforcement report or protective order, or as verified by a healthcare professional, a government agency, a district attorney or assistant district attorney, or qualified third party.

New law provides that any address attached to a voucher given pursuant to new law shall not be disclosed without the informed consent of the person about whom the information is sought, or as directed by a court order. Provides that consent for release may not be given by an abuser or alleged abuser of a minor or incapacitated person, or the abuser or alleged abuser of the other parent of any minor.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Adds R.S. 40:600.161)