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Regular Session, 2014

BY SENATOR MILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 275

CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE. Repeals the crime of drug-traffic loitering. (8/1/14)

AN ACT

To repeal R.S. 40:981.4, relative to drug-traffic loitering; to repeal the crime of drug-traffic loitering; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 40:981.4 is hereby repealed.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by James Benton.

DIGEST

Mills (SB275)

<u>Present law</u> creates the crime of drug-traffic loitering. Provides for elements of the crime, definitions, and penalties.

<u>Present law</u> was found unconstitutional by the Louisiana Supreme Court in *State vs Muschkat*, 706 So. 2d 429, 96-2922 (La. 3/14/98).

Proposed law repeals present law.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Repeals R.S. 40:981.4)