
DIGEST

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HB No. 638

Abstract: Amends the crime of failure to register and notify as a sex offender or child predator to include untimely actions.

Present law provides that a person who fails to register, periodically renew and update registration, provide proof of residence or notification of change of address or other registration information, or provide community notification, and a person who knowingly provides false information to a law enforcement agency, shall, upon first conviction, be fined not more than \$1,000 and imprisoned with hard labor for not less than two years nor more than ten years without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence.

Proposed law expands this crime and provides that it shall also be considered failure to register and notify as a sex offender or child predator if the offender does any of the following:

- (1) Fails to timely register.
- (2) Fails to timely provide any information required by present law.
- (3) Fails to timely renew and update registration information as required by present law.
- (4) Fails to timely provide proof of residence or notification of change of address or other registration information.

In all other respects, proposed law retains present law.

(Amends R.S. 15:542.1.4(A)(1))