RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 205 (HB 219) 2017 Regular Session

Leopold

<u>Prior law</u> provided that a bail undertaking ceases and a surety is relieved of all obligations upon conviction and imposition of a sentence or the pronouncement of a sentence or condition of probation of a defendant in misdemeanor cases.

<u>Prior law</u> further provided that the bail undertaking ceases and the surety is relieved of all obligations upon conviction in felony cases.

<u>New law</u> provides that a surety's bail obligation is relieved upon conviction in any case.

Effective August 1, 2017.

(Amends C.Cr.P. Art. 331(A)(1) and (2); Repeals C.Cr.P. Art. 331(A)(3))