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

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Proposed law defines "characterizing flavor" as a distinguishable flavor, taste, or aroma other than tobacco, mint, or menthol, including but not limited to any fruit, chocolate, vanilla, honey, candy, cocoa, dessert, alcoholic beverage, herb, wintergreen, or spice flavoring, that is imparted, prior to or during consumption, by use of a vapor product including liquid nicotine, or any smoke or vapor emanating from that device or product. Proposed law provides that a vapor product is deemed to have a characterizing flavor if the product is advertised or marketed as having or producing any such distinguishable flavor, taste, or aroma.

Proposed law prohibits any person, agent, associate, employee, representative, or servant of any person, retail dealer, or wholesale dealer from selling, offering for sale, distributing for commercial purpose at no cost or minimal cost or with coupons or rebate offers, giving or furnishing to any person any vapor product that has a characterizing flavor.

Proposed law directs the La. State Law Institute to arrange in alphabetical order and renumber certain definitions provided in present and proposed law.

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(Adds R.S. 26:901(36) and 911(E))