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SENATE BILL NO. 364

BY SENATOR BERNARD

PUBLIC SFTY/CORRECT DEPT. Requires the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information to provide criminal history information regarding employees or potential employees to juvenile detention facilities. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(j), relative to the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification  
3 and Information; to provide relative to the duty of the bureau to provide information  
4 to certain entities; to provide that the bureau is to provide certain information  
5 regarding employees and potential employees upon request to juvenile detention  
6 facilities; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(j) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §587. Duty to provide information; processing fees; Louisiana Bureau of Criminal  
10 Identification and Information

11 A.(1)(a) \* \* \*  
12 \* \* \*

13 **(j) Any juvenile detention facility, including facilities owned or operated**  
14 **by any governmental, profit, nonprofit, private, or public agency or authority,**  
15 **may submit fingerprint cards or other identifying information of a person**  
16 **employed by, or seeking employment with, the facility or the governing**  
17 **authority of the facility and whose duties include, or may include, supervisory**



care of a child, or directly or indirectly providing, or with the potential of providing, daily care or supervision to any child or youth in the custody of or under the supervision of any state government agency or facility or agency licensed by the state. Proposed law further provides that the bureau must, upon request and after receipt of fingerprint cards or other identifying information from the facility or the governing authority of the facility, make available to the facility or the governing authority of the facility all arrest and conviction information contained in the bureau's criminal history record and identification files that pertain to the employee or potential employee. Proposed law further provides that, in order to determine an employee or potential employee's eligibility or suitability, the fingerprints are to be forwarded by the bureau to the FBI for a national criminal history record check.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 15:587(A)(1)(j))