## SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Commerce, Consumer Protection and International Affairs to Original Senate Bill No. 301 by Senator Miguez

- 1 AMENDMENT NO. 1
- 2 On page 2, line 7, delete "where" and insert "whether"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 4 On page 2, delete lines 13 and 14 and insert the following:
- 5 "including any bank or credit union, as defined in R.S. 6:2, acquirer, or payment card
  6 issuer."
- 7 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 8 On page 2, line 17, delete "<u>lawfully</u>"
- 9 AMENDMENT NO. 4
- 10 On page 2, delete line 18, and insert the following:
- 11 "physically located in this state, and is engaged in the lawful selling or trading of"
- 12 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- 13 On page 2, between lines 28 and 29 insert the following:
- 14 "(10)" Payment card network" means an entity that provides the proprietary services,
- 15 infrastructure, and software to conduct debit card or credit card transaction

16 **authorizations, clearances, and settlements, and that an entity uses in order to accept** 

17 as a form of payment a brand of debit card, credit card, or other device that may be

- 18 used to carry out debit or credit transactions."
- 19 AMENDMENT NO. 6
- 20 On page 2, line 29, change "(10)" to "(11)"
- 21 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 7</u>
- 22 On page 3, delete lines 8 through 14 and insert the following:

"B. Except as provided in Subsections D and E of this Section, no payment card
 network or agent shall require the assignment of a firearms code in a way that
 distinguishes a firearms retailer from other retailers.

## 26 <u>C. Except as provided in Subsections D and E of this Section, no financial institution</u> 27 <u>or agent of a financial institution shall decline a payment card transaction involving a</u> 28 firearms retailer based solely on assignment of a firearms code."

29 AMENDMENT NO. 8

30 On page 3, line 15, change "<u>C.</u>" to "<u>D.</u>" and after "<u>financial institution</u>" insert "<u>or payment</u>

31 card network"

- 1 AMENDMENT NO. 9
- 2 On page 3, line 20, after "<u>fraud</u>" insert "<u>, credit, or compliance</u>"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 10
- 4 On page 3, between lines 23 and 24 insert the following:
- 5 "(5) Restricting the use or availability of a firearms code in this state."
- 6 AMENDMENT NO. 11
- 7 On page 3, line 24, change "<u>**D**.</u>" to "<u>**E**.</u>"
- 8 AMENDMENT NO. 12
- 9 On page 3, line 25, delete "to negotiate" and insert "or payment card network from
  10 negotiating"
- 11 AMENDMENT NO. 13
- 12 On page 3, line 28, after "Fraud risk" insert ", compliance,"
- 13 AMENDMENT NO. 14
- 14 On page 4, line 15, delete "may award" and insert "shall award attorney fees, costs, and"