
DIGEST

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HB 35 Engrossed

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Abstract: Increases the minimum penalty for the crime of hit-and-run driving to two years of imprisonment and requires offenders to serve two years without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence.

Present law provides a sentence of not more than 10 years for an offender who commits the crime of hit-and-run driving when death or serious bodily injury occurs and the offender knew or should have known of the death or serious bodily injury.

Proposed law increases the minimum time of imprisonment to two years when the driver's vehicle was directly involved in the accident.

Proposed law requires the offender to serve two years of the sentence without benefit of parole, probation, or suspension of sentence.

(Amends R.S. 14:100(C)(2))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to the original bill:

1. Make technical changes.
2. Add the requirement that the driver's vehicle was directly involved in the accident.