

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 108

BY REPRESENTATIVE COX

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3041(B) and to enact Code of Criminal Procedure Article
3 401(A)(6), relative to juror qualifications; to prohibit persons convicted of crimes of
4 violence or sex offenses from serving as jurors in criminal cases; and to provide for
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 13:3041(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §3041. Qualifications of juror in civil cases

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10 B. The qualifications of a juror in any civil case are as required by Article
11 401 of the Louisiana Code of Criminal Procedure, except that the prohibition against
12 persons convicted of a crime of violence or a sex offense shall not apply to civil
13 jurors.

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15 Section 2. Code of Criminal Procedure Article 401(A)(6) is hereby enacted to read
16 as follows:

17 Art. 401. General qualifications of jurors

18 A. In order to qualify to serve as a juror, a person shall meet all of the
19 following requirements:

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