

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 361 (SB 199)

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Existing law provides that on a second conviction of purchasing commercial sexual activity, an offender will be fined between \$1,500 and \$2,000, imprisoned with or without hard labor for up to two years, or both, with $\frac{1}{2}$ of any fines collected distributed in accordance with existing law.

New law retains existing law and adds a mandatory minimum of six months imprisonment, provides that imprisonment will be served without benefit of probation, parole, or suspension of sentence, and requires registration as a sex offender under existing law.

Existing law defines the term "sex offense".

New law retains existing law and adds a second offense of purchasing commercial sexual activity to the definition of "sex offense".

(Amends R.S. 14:82.2(C)(2) and R.S. 15:541(24)(a))