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ACT No. 439

HOUSE BILL NO. 1148

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:3272(A)(18)(introductory paragraph) and 3298(B) and to repeal R.S. 37:3298(D), relative to the Private Security Regulatory and Licensing Law; to provide for definitions; to provide for exceptions; to repeal certain exception; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 37:3272(A)(18)(introductory paragraph) and 3298(B) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§3272. General definition of terms

A. As used in this Chapter, the following terms shall have the following meanings ascribed to them:

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(18) "Security officer" means an individual who is ~~principally~~ employed by a contract security company whether armed or unarmed, to protect a person or persons or property or both, and whose duties include but are not limited to the following:

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§3298. Inapplicability

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B. This Chapter shall not apply to a peace officer employed by a state, parish, or local law enforcement agency who contracts directly with ~~an employer a licensed contract security company or the actual consumer of contract security services~~ to work during his off-duty hours and whose off-duty employment is conducted on an independent contractor basis with ~~an employer~~ such licensed contract security company or consumer of security services; however, . However,

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1 nothing herein shall be construed to authorize peace officers to employ non-
2 commissioned peace officers to perform any private security functions as defined in
3 this Subsection.

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5 Section 2. R.S. 37:3298(D) is hereby repealed in its entirety.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____