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DIGEST

Morrell (SB 291)

Proposed law authorizes exemplary damages to be awarded in suits between certain household members arising from acts of domestic abuse when the injuries are caused by a wanton and reckless disregard for the rights and safety of the household member.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Adds C.C. Art. 2315.8)