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## **DIGEST**

White (SB 313)

<u>Present law</u> defines and provides penalties for the crime of home invasion.

<u>Present law</u> provides that whoever commits the crime of home invasion is to be fined up to \$5,000 and imprisoned at hard labor for up to 25 years, unless the offender is armed with a dangerous weapon, in which case he is to be fined up to \$7,000 and imprisoned at hard labor for up to 30 years.

<u>Proposed law retains present law</u> and adds that whoever commits the crime of home invasion, whether or not armed with a dangerous weapon, is to be imprisoned for a minimum of five years and up to the maximum number of years provided by <u>present law</u>.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 14:62.8(B)(1) and (2))