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Moreno HB No. 753

Abstract: Limits possession of firearms or carrying of concealed weapons in certain domestic abuse situations.

<u>Present law</u> prohibits the possession of a firearm or carrying of a concealed weapon by persons convicted of certain felony offenses.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and adds convictions of misdemeanor domestic abuse battery.

<u>Present law</u> provides for protection from family violence and provides for services for victims of abuse and the duties of law enforcement officers regarding abuse situations.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and requires law enforcement officers to seize firearms at the scene of an act of domestic violence if they believe there could be impending danger.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that any person against whom the court has issued a permanent injunction or a protective order relative to domestic abuse shall be prohibited from possessing a firearm for the duration of the injunction or protective order.

(Amends R.S. 14:95.1(A) and (C); Adds R.S. 46:2136.3 and 2140(A)(5))