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Abstract: Makes changes to law applicable to home service contract providers.

Present law requires home service contract providers to register with the secy. of state.

<u>Present law</u> provides that registrations are effective for two years unless the registration is denied, renewed, suspended, or revoked. <u>Proposed law</u> removes the renewed and suspended registration statuses.

<u>Present law</u> requires home service contract providers to obtain and file with the secy. of state a \$50,000 surety bond issued by a company licensed to do business in the state of La. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and further requires the term of the surety bond to coincide with the two-year period of effective registration as provided in <u>present law</u>.

Proposed law makes technical changes.

(Amends R.S. 51:3143(B), (C), and (E))