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Abstract: Requires internet and computer services providers to provide online identifier information to the Louisiana Bureau of Criminal Identification and Information.

<u>Present law</u> provides for the registration and notification of sex offenders.

<u>Present law</u> prohibits sex offenders from using certain websites and also requires that the sex offender identify himself as a sex offender as a part of an online identity used on interactive websites.

<u>Present law</u> requires that a sex offender submit to law enforcement every e-mail address, online screen name, or other online identifiers used by the offender to communicate on the Internet.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and adds that the sex offender shall submit his internet service provider account number.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that all providers of internet services, commercial online service provider, or commercial mobile services, or who maintains a networking website or interactive computer service who are registered to do business in this state, or who submit to the jurisdiction thereof, shall submit emergency contact information to the DPS&C, office of state police, in order to facilitate requests from law enforcement agencies regarding the identifying information of a person required to register as a sex offender.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the bureau shall make information regarding the online identifier information of registered sex offenders available to the public.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides for a limitation of liability for providers who comply with <u>proposed law</u>.

(Amends R.S. 15:542(C)(1)(m); Adds R.S. 15:542.1.6)