DIGEST

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HB 385 Engrossed

2016 Regular Session

Hazel

Abstract: Creates the crime of providing false, nonexistent, or incomplete declaration of residence for bail.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that it shall be unlawful for any person to give or place on any bail bond or declaration of residence false, nonexistent, or incomplete information for purposes of service or notice. Provides for a presumption that an address is false, nonexistent, or incomplete in certain circumstances.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides criminal penalties for misdemeanor cases including imprisonment for not more than six months, or a fine of not more than \$500, or both. For felonies, the criminal penalties include imprisonment at hard labor for not more than two years.

(Adds R.S. 14:110.1.2)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Administration of Criminal</u> Justice to the original bill:

1. Changes <u>proposed</u> penalty provisions to make them consistent with the crime of jumping bail.