HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2016 Regular Session

Substitute for Original House Bill No. 1109 by Representative Hoffmann as proposed by the House Committee on Commerce

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To amend and reenact R.S. 23:540, relative to regulations affecting boilers; to exempt certain potable water boilers; to provide for technical corrections; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 23:540 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§540. Exemptions from provisions

A. This The provisions of this Part shall not be construed as in any way preventing the use or sale of boilers which have been installed or in use in this state prior to July 7, 1938, and which have been made to conform to the rules and regulations of the assistant secretary governing existing installations, as provided in R.S. 23:539.

- B. nor shall this The provisions of this Part apply are not applicable to any of the following:
- (1) boilers Boilers subject to inspection by any department or agency of the federal government; or to.
- (2) air Air tanks located on vehicles used for transporting passengers or freight; or to.
- (3) boilers Boilers of steam fire engines brought into the state for temporary use in times of emergency; or to.
 - (4) portable Portable boilers used for agricultural purposes only; or to.
- (5) steam Steam heating boilers carrying not more than fifteen pounds pressure, and.
- (6) Potable water boilers below one hundred twenty gallon capacity and less than two hundred thousand BTUs (British Thermal Units).

- (7) hot Hot water heating and supply boilers used exclusively for noncommercial purposes located in any private home; or to.
 - (8) boilers Boilers located in any private home.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Exempts potable water boilers below 120 gallon capacity and less than 200,000 BTUs (British Thermal Units) from regulations affecting boilers.

<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 23:531 et seq.) provides for regulations affecting boilers. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 23:540) exempts certain boilers from regulations affecting boilers. <u>Proposed law</u> adds potable water boilers below 120 gallon capacity and less than 200,000 BTUs (British Thermal Units) to the exemptions of <u>present law</u> (R.S. 23:540).

Proposed law makes technical changes and otherwise retains present law (R.S. 23:540).

(Amends R.S. 23:540)