

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Reengrossed House Bill No. 259 by Representative Greene

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete line 2 and insert the following "To amend and reenact Code of Civil
3 Procedure Article 74.2(C)(1) and R.S. 14:75(B) and (C)(4), relative to child support; to
4 provide relative to the venue for"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 2

6 On page 1, line 4, after "award;" insert "to provide relative to the crime of failure to pay
7 child support obligation; to provide for penalties;"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 3

9 On page 1, between lines 16 and 17 insert the following:

10 "Section 2. R.S. 14:75(B) and (C)(4) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as
11 follows:

12 §75. Failure to pay child support obligation

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14 B. It shall be unlawful for any obligor to intentionally fail to pay a support
15 obligation for any child who resides in the state of Louisiana, if such obligation has
16 remained unpaid for a period longer than ~~one year~~ six months or is greater than ~~five~~
17 ~~thousand dollars~~ two thousand five hundred dollars.

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19 (C)(1) * * *

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21 (4) In any case in which restitution is made prior to the time of sentencing,
22 except for a second or subsequent offense, the court may suspend all or any portion
23 of the imposition or execution of the sentence otherwise required in this Subsection."

24 AMENDMENT NO. 4

25 On page 1, line 17 change "Section 2." to "Section 3."