## ACT No. 34

AN ACT

SENATE BILL NO. 53

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## BY SENATOR MCMATH

2	To amend and reenact R.S. 40:2008.10(A)(1)(b) and (2), relative to the Louisiana
3	Department of Health; to make technical corrections to provisions for licensing of
4	therapeutic group homes; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related
5	matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. 40:2008.10(A)(1)(b) and (2) are hereby amended and reenacted to
8	read as follows:
9	§2008.10. Therapeutic group homes licensed by the Louisiana Department of
10	Health; state central registry of child abuse and neglect; criminal
11	background checks
12	A.(1)(a) * * *
13	(b) This Section shall not apply to contractors and other individuals providing
14	a service at the therapeutic group home who are not employees, volunteers, interns,
15	or contracted members of the state staff of the therapeutic group home, including but
16	not limited to plumbers, landscapers, or visiting resources.
17	(2) The Louisiana Department of Health shall request, consistent with the
18	provisions of R.S. 15:587.2 R.S. 15:587.1.2, from the Bureau of Criminal
19	Identification and Information, information concerning whether or not any of the
20	persons listed in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection has been arrested for, convicted of,
21	or pled nolo contendere to any criminal offense.
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Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not 2 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature 3 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If 4 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval. 5 PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

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