2020 Regular Session



HOUSE BILL NO. 150

BY REPRESENTATIVES BACALA, ADAMS, AMEDEE, BEAULLIEU, BISHOP, BOURRIAQUE, BUTLER, CARRIER, COUSSAN, CREWS, DEVILLIER, DUBUISSON, EDMONDS, EDMONSTON, EMERSON, FARNUM, FIRMENT, FONTENOT, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, GOUDEAU, HARRIS, HODGES, HORTON, ILLG, IVEY, MIKE JOHNSON, MCFARLAND, MCKNIGHT, MCMAHEN, MIGUEZ, GREGORY MILLER, MINCEY, NELSON, CHARLES OWEN, ROBERT OWEN, PRESSLY, RISER, ROMERO, SCHAMERHORN, SCHEXNAYDER, SEABAUGH, SELDERS, STEFANSKI, THOMAS, THOMPSON, WHEAT, AND KERNER

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 14:34.2(A)(3), relative to battery of a police officer; to provide
3	relative to the elements of the crime of battery of a police officer; to specify that the
4	crime includes the throwing of water and other liquids; to remove the requirement
5	that the offender be incarcerated or detained at the time of the throwing; and to
6	provide for related matters.
7	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
8	Section 1. R.S. 14:34.2(A)(3) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
9	§34.2. Battery of a police officer
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11	* * *
12	(3) For purposes of this Section, "battery of a police officer" includes the use
13	of force or violence upon the person of the police officer by throwing water or any
14	other liquid, feces, urine, blood, saliva, or any form of human waste by an offender
15	while the offender is incarcerated by a court of law and is being detained in any jail,

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- prison, correctional facility, juvenile institution, temporary holding center, halfway
 house, or detention facility.
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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____