
DIGEST

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Abstract: Expands the definition of the crime of malfeasance in office to include sexual conduct with a person who is detained or arrested.

Present law provides that it is unlawful and constitutes malfeasance in office for any person who is a law enforcement officer, an employee of DPS&C, an employee of any prison, jail, or correctional institution, or any person employed by entities operating work release facilities of DPS&C, to engage in sexual conduct with persons under their supervision.

Proposed law retains present law and also prohibits sexual intercourse or any other sexual conduct with a person who is detained or arrested.

(Amends R.S. 14:134.1(A))