## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Requires payment-processing companies to return payments if those funds cannot be delivered to the intended recipient.

<u>Proposed law</u> defines "company", "crowdfunding platform", "payment processor", and "payment-processing services".

<u>Proposed law</u> requires a company that provides payment-processing services to deliver funds to the recipient, as designated by the person providing the funds.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the company to return the funds to the original provider if it cannot deliver the funding to the designated recipient.

A violation of <u>proposed law</u> is an unfair trade practice and is subject to provisions applicable to unfair trade provided in present law.

(Adds R.S. 51:1751-1753)