

Proposed law retains present law and defines "disguised" as designed to appear to be a toy, with intent to deceive, where the barrel tip has been painted or wrapped in a red or orange color.

Present law provides for elements of the crime of possession of unidentifiable firearm, particular penalties, and identification of source of firearm.

Proposed law retains present law and prohibits a person from intentionally receiving, possessing, carrying, concealing, buying, selling, or transporting any firearm that has been disguised.

Present law provides that whoever violates the provisions of present law may be fined not more than \$1000 and must be imprisoned at hard labor for five years without benefit of probation, parole, or suspension of sentence.

Proposed law retains present law and authorizes a fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$5,000 and mandates imprisonment at hard labor for not less than two nor more than 20 years without benefit of probation, parole, or suspension of sentence for whoever violates proposed law.

Proposed law requires that the provisions of proposed law be known and cited as the "Marcus McNeil Act" in honor of the New Orleans Police Officer who died in the line of duty.

Effective August 1, 2023.

(Amends R.S. 40:1781(3)-(8) and 1792(B)-(F); adds R.S. 40:1781(9) and 1792(G) and (H))