



was a witness to a crime or was a member of the immediate family of a witness to a crime committed on a prior occasion and either:

- (a) The killing was committed for the purpose of preventing or influencing the victim's testimony in any criminal action or proceeding, whether or not such action or proceeding had been commenced.
  - (b) The killing was committed for the purpose of exacting retribution for the victim's prior testimony.
- (10) When the offender has a specific intent to kill or to inflict great bodily harm upon a taxicab driver who is in the course and scope of his employment.
  - (11) When the offender has a specific intent to kill or inflict great bodily harm and the offender has previously acted with a specific intent to kill or inflict great bodily harm that resulted in the killing of one or more persons.
  - (12) When the offender has a specific intent to kill or to inflict great bodily harm upon a correctional facility employee who is in the course and scope of his employment.

Proposed law deletes offenses described in items (4), (6), (7), (10), (11), and (12) of present law. Proposed law further deletes the crimes of first degree robbery, simple robbery, and second degree cruelty to juveniles from present law provisions.

Proposed law otherwise retains present law.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 14:30(A) and (C))

#### Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

##### Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to the original bill

1. Remove certain offenses from present law predicate felony offense provision.
2. Clarify present law provision where more than one person killed or injured may be from a single, multiple, or series of events.
3. Remove present law provision relative to murder-for-hire, murder of a taxi cab driver, or a person who previously acted with specific intent to kill or inflict great bodily harm, or murder involving a controlled substance.
4. Make technical changes.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

1. Make technical changes.