

**HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS**

**HB 301**

**2023 Regular Session**

**Romero**

MOTOR CARRIERS: Provides relative to compensation to wrecker service companies for costs associated with undertaking remedial action involving hazardous material accidents

**Synopsis of Senate Amendments**

1. Removes the responsible party's insurer from being able to be sued for reimbursement for remedial actions.
2. Makes technical changes.

**Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate**

Present law specifies that any person who has transported a hazardous material as defined in present law is liable to the state for undertaking remedial action or for all costs of remedial actions if it can be proved that the hazardous material, hazardous substance, or hazardous waste was discharged or disposed of directly by the transporter and the transporter directly caused the discharge or disposal for which remedial action must be undertaken.

Proposed law adds wrecker service companies working hazardous material accidents to those entitled to reimbursement of remedial costs.

(Amends R.S. 32:1519(A) and (C)(1); Adds R.S. 32:1519(D)(5)(o))