

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 78 (HB 297)

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DeVillier

Existing law provides for the offense of intentional littering and establishes criminal penalties that may be imposed upon conviction of the offense.

Existing law further provides for the offense of simple littering and establishes civil penalties which may be imposed upon a person being found liable for the offense.

Existing law provides that a person committing either offense must be cited by means of a citation, summons, or other lawful method.

New law further provides that the existing law offenses of intentional and simple littering must be cited within one year of when law enforcement knew or reasonably should have known of the violation.

Effective August 1, 2023.

(Amends R.S. 30:2531(E); Adds R.S. 30:2531(A)(4) and (B)(3))