
DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for the resale of certain entertainment and sporting event tickets.

Proposed law provides for certain definitions with respect to event ticketing. Additionally, proposed law defines "nontransferable ticketing" as prohibiting a ticket holder from giving away, reselling, or otherwise exchanging a ticket by a method of the ticket holder's choosing.

Proposed law provides that a ticket issuer may use a nontransferable ticketing system only if the ticket holder is offered to purchase the same ticket in a transferable form at the initial time of sale.

Proposed law provides that the following shall not be penalized on the grounds that a ticket is resold:

- (1) The ticket holder of the resold ticket.
- (2) The ticket holder that offers the ticket for sale.
- (3) A ticket platform.

Proposed law provides that a ticket issuer or venue operator may:

- (1) Maintain and enforce policies with respect to conduct, behavior, or age.
- (2) Establish limits on the quantity of tickets purchased.

Proposed law provides that a ticket issuer or venue operator shall not transfer or resell tickets for a private event or a targeted promotion.

Proposed law permits education institutions and associated nonprofit organizations to prohibit, restrict or condition the resale or transfer of tickets for certain individuals.

(Adds R.S. 4:1.1)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Commerce to the original bill:

1. Amend the definitions of "nontransferable ticketing", "targeted promotion", "ticket

issuer", and "transferable form".

2. Provide an exception for education institutions and associated nonprofit organizations.
3. Make technical changes.