

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to Original Senate Bill No. 227
by Senator Hodges

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 40:2401," change "2404.2(A) and (B)(1)" to "2404.2(B)(1),"
3 and after "2405(A)(1) and (2)" insert ",(D), and (E)"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, at the end of line 2 and the beginning of line 3, delete "and to enact R.S.
6 40:2405.2"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, line 3, after "training;" delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 4 through 9,
9 at the beginning of line 10, delete "instructors;" and insert the following:

10 "to provide for minimum training requirements;"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 4

12 On page 1, line 12, after "R.S. 40:2401," change "2404.2(A) and (B)(1)" to "2404.2(B)(1),"
13 and after "2405(A)(1) and (2)" insert ",(D), and (E)"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 5

15 On page 1, line 13, after "reenacted" delete "and R.S. 40:2405.2 is hereby enacted"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 6

17 On page 1, line 16, after "A." delete "That law" and insert "Law"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 7

19 On page 2, at the beginning of line 9, change "B.(1)" to "B."

20 AMENDMENT NO. 8

21 On page 2, line 17, after "experience." delete the remainder of the line, delete lines 18
22 through 29 and on page 3, delete lines 1 through 12

23 AMENDMENT NO. 9

24 On page 3, delete lines 15 through 19, and insert the following:

25 " * * *

26 AMENDMENT NO. 10

27 On page 3, line 27, after "provided in" insert "Paragraph (2) of this Subsection"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 11

29 On page 3, at the end of line 27 and the beginning of line 28, delete "R.S. 40:2405.2"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 12

2 On page 3, line 28, after "employment as a" insert "**full-time**"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 13

4 On page 4, line 3, after "in which a" insert "**full-time**"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 14

6 On page 4, line 6, "employed as a" insert "**full-time**"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 15

8 On page 4, delete lines 14 through 16, and insert the following:

9 "~~(b)~~ Any person who begins employment as a part-time or reserve peace
 10 officer in Louisiana on or after January 1, 2022, ~~shall be subject to the requirements~~
 11 ~~of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection. shall successfully complete a certified training~~
 12 **program approved by the council and successfully pass a council-approved**
 13 **comprehensive examination within three calendar years from the date of initial**
 14 **employment. The three-year period in which a part-time or reserve peace**
 15 **officer is required to complete a certified training program approved by the**
 16 **council and successfully pass a council-approved comprehensive examination**
 17 **is not interrupted if the peace officer leaves the employing agency to be**
 18 **employed as a part-time or reserve peace officer at another agency in Louisiana.**
 19 **Any person who fails to comply with this requirement shall be prohibited from**
 20 **exercising the authority of a peace officer; however, the person shall not be**
 21 **prohibited from performing administrative duties. In no case shall a part-time**
 22 **or reserve peace officer be prevented from continuing his duties if the**
 23 **employing agency is unable to provide the requisite training because of a**
 24 **shortage of funds.**"

25 AMENDMENT NO. 16

26 On page 4, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

27 "D. In no case shall the failure of a peace officer to obtain the required
 28 training ~~before the passage of one calendar year from the date of initial employment~~
 29 **within the timeline required by this Section** be grounds to suppress any evidence,
 30 testimony, or law enforcement action whatsoever in a court of law.

31 E. Peace ~~Full-time peace~~ officers employed after January 1, 1986, in villages
 32 of one thousand or less, according to the last decennial census, shall have a period
 33 of two calendar years to comply with the provisions of this Section. In addition,
 34 full-time peace officers employed in such a village which adopts a home rule charter
 35 after July 1, 1998, and who was employed as such at the time of adoption of the
 36 charter, shall have a period of two calendar years from the date of adoption of the
 37 charter to comply with the provisions of this Section. In no case shall a peace officer
 38 of such a village be prevented from continuing his duties or receiving regular or
 39 supplemental pay if the village is unable to provide the requisite training because of
 40 a shortage of funds.

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42 AMENDMENT NO. 17

43 On page 4, delete lines 18 through 29, and on page 5, delete lines 1 through 28