

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 682 (HB 165)

2024 Regular Session

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Existing law provides penalties for violations of law regarding the possession, sale, and use of drug paraphernalia.

New law removes incarceration as a punishment for the possession of certain drug paraphernalia in quantities not exceeding those required for individual personal use.

New law provides that the punishment for the possession of certain drug paraphernalia in quantities not exceeding those required for individual personal use is a fine of:

- (1) \$100 on a first conviction.
- (2) \$500 on a second conviction.
- (3) \$2,500 on a third or subsequent conviction.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 40:1025(A)(1), (B), and (C); Adds R.S. 40:1025(E))