

2025 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 125

BY SENATOR OWEN

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

EXPLOSIVES. Provides relative to explosives. (8/1/25)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1472.3(E)(3)(c), relative to explosives; to provide for
3 licensure of dealer-distributors, users, blasters, or handlers of explosives; to provide
4 for background investigations and criminal history record checks; to provide for
5 costs; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 40:1472.3(E)(3)(c) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as
8 follows:

9 §1472.3. License; manufacturer, dealer-distributor, user, blaster, or handler of
10 explosives

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12 E. * * *

13 (3) * * *

14 (c) Cost incurred by the department for ~~processing Louisiana State Police and~~
15 ~~Federal Bureau of Investigation fingerprint cards~~ **conducting a background**
16 **investigation and criminal history records check** shall be borne by the applicant.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Senate Legislative Services. The keyword, summary, and digest do not constitute part of the law or proof or indicia of legislative intent. [R.S. 1:13(B) and 24:177(E)]

DIGEST

SB 125 Engrossed

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Present law provides for the licensure and regulation of explosives.

Present law requires that costs incurred by the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections (DPS&C) for processing La. State Police and FBI fingerprint cards be borne by the applicant.

Proposed law requires that costs incurred by the DPS&C for conducting a background investigation and criminal history records check be borne by the applicant.

Effective August 1, 2025.

(Amends R.S. 40:1472.3(E)(3)(c))