

**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2025 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to  
Original House Bill No. 6 by Representative Jackson

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 3 in its entirety  
3 and insert "enact R.S. 14:71.5, relative to misappropriation without violence;"

4 AMENDMENT NO. 2

5 On page 1, line 5, after "penalties;" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 6 in its  
6 entirety and at the beginning of line 7 delete "racketeering activity;"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 1, delete lines 9 and 10 in their entirety and insert the following:

9 "Section 1. R.S. 14:71.5 is hereby enacted to read as follows:"

10 AMENDMENT NO. 4

11 On page 1, delete lines 16 through 19 in their entirety and insert the following:

12 "B.(1) Whoever violates the provisions of this Section when the  
13 misappropriation or taking amounts to a value of twenty-five thousand dollars or  
14 more shall be imprisoned at hard labor for not more than twenty years, fined not  
15 more than fifty thousand dollars, or both.

16 (2) When the misappropriation or taking amounts to a value of five thousand  
17 dollars or more, but less than a value of twenty-five thousand dollars, the offender  
18 shall be imprisoned with or without hard labor for not more than ten years, fined not  
19 more than ten thousand dollars, or both.

20 (3) When the misappropriation or taking amounts to a value of one thousand  
21 dollars or more, but less than a value of five thousand dollars, the offender shall be  
22 imprisoned with or without hard labor for not more than five years, fined not more  
23 than three thousand dollars, or both.

24 (4)(a) When the misappropriation or taking amounts to less than a value of  
25 one thousand dollars, the offender shall be imprisoned for not more than six months,  
26 fined not more than one thousand dollars, or both.

27 (b) If the offender in such cases has been convicted two or more times  
28 previously, upon any subsequent conviction, the offender shall be imprisoned with  
29 or without hard labor for not more than two years, fined not more than two thousand  
30 dollars, or both.

31 (5) In addition to the penalties provided in Paragraphs (1) through (4) of  
32 this"

33 AMENDMENT NO. 5

34 On page 2, line 1, after "offense" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 2 through  
35 7 in their entirety and insert "in accordance with Code of Criminal Procedure Article 883.2."

36 AMENDMENT NO. 6

37 On page 2, at the end of line 12, insert "'Person" shall also include any representative,  
38 director, trustee, agent, or officer of a juridical person."

1 AMENDMENT NO. 7

2 On page 2, delete lines 13 through 15 in their entirety and insert the following:

3 "(2) Utility services means any water, electricity, gas, heat, or sewer services, whether  
4 privately, municipally, cooperatively, or investor-owned."

5 AMENDMENT NO. 8

6 On page 2, delete lines 16 through 29 in their entirety and delete page 3 in its entirety