
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2026 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 955
by Representative KernerAMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, delete lines 2 through 7 and insert in lieu of the following:

"To enact R.S. 15:571.36.1, relative to electronic monitoring providers; to require electronic provider registration; to provide for definitions; to provide for electronic monitoring provider certification requirements; to require record retention; to provide for electronic monitoring provider compliance; to provide for denial, suspension, and revocation of registration; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 9 through 20 in their entirety and insert in lieu of the following:

"Section 1. R.S. 15:571.36.1 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§571.36.1. Electronic monitoring provider registrationA. As used in this Section, the following terms have the meaning ascribed to them:(1) "Commission" means the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Criminal Justice.(2) "Electronic monitoring provider" or "provider" means any person or entity or provider that provides electronic monitoring services including but not limited to global positioning system monitoring, to individuals pursuant to a court order, condition of bond, probation, parole, or other lawful authority within this state.B. No person or entity shall provide electronic monitoring services within this state unless such person or entity is registered with the commission.C. An electronic monitoring provider applying for registration shall submit an application on forms provided by the commission and shall certify in writing all of the following:(1) The provider has reviewed and understands the provisions of R.S. 15:571.36 and all applicable laws governing electronic monitoring.(2) The provider agrees to comply with all statutory requirements and rules adopted pursuant to this Section.(3) The equipment and monitoring systems utilized by the provider meet the standards and operational requirements established by law.(4) The provider maintains the operational capability to monitor individuals, detect violations, and report such violations in accordance with law.D. The provider shall provide identifying business information, including ownership and principal place of business, designate a registered agent within this state, and submit to criminal background checks for owners and principal operators.E. Electronic monitoring providers shall retain all monitoring records, violation records, device status records, and related documentation for a minimum of five years and shall make such records available upon lawful request by a court, law enforcement agency, prosecutorial authority, or other authorized entity.F. Electronic monitoring providers shall comply with any reporting, data-sharing, or system participation requirements established by law or by rule of the commission including participation in any centralized monitoring or oversight system established by the state.G. The commission shall maintain the registration status of each electronic monitoring provider. The commission shall deny, suspend, or revoke the registration of a provider only upon receipt of official documentation of any of the following:

1 (1) The provider or its owner has been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or
2 nolo contendere to, a felony offense or any offense directly related to fraud, public safety,
3 or the provision of electronic monitoring services.

4 (2) The provider has been found, by a final administrative or judicial determination,
5 to be in violation of the provisions of this Section or rules adopted pursuant to this Section.

6 H. Any denial, suspension, or revocation shall be conducted in accordance with the
7 Administrative Procedure Act, including notice and an opportunity for hearing.

8 I. The commission shall not independently investigate criminal conduct of electronic
9 monitoring providers. If the commission receives information or has reason to believe that
10 a provider is not in compliance with the provisions of this Section, the commission shall
11 notify the appropriate prosecutorial authority, law enforcement agency, or court of
12 competent jurisdiction for review and any action deemed appropriate.

13 J. Upon the entry of a conviction or issuance of a final administrative or judicial
14 determination involving an electronic monitoring provider related to fraud, public safety, or
15 the provision of monitoring services, notice of such action may be transmitted to the
16 commission by a court of competent jurisdiction, the office of the attorney general, a district
17 attorney, or any other law enforcement agency involved in the action.

18 K. An electronic monitoring provider shall disclose to the commission on any
19 conviction or final administrative or judicial determination involving the provider or its
20 principals related to fraud, public safety, or the provision of monitoring services. Such
21 disclosure shall include the disposition of the matter and shall be made within ten days of
22 the final disposition of the proceeding."

23 AMENDMENT NO. 3

24 Delete pages 2 through 4 in their entirety

25 AMENDMENT NO. 4

26 On page 5, delete lines 1 through 6 in their entirety