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Abstract: Exempts the certain municipalities from the prohibition against using automated and electronic speed enforcement devices.

Present law (R.S. 32:43) requires that automated speed enforcement devices or mobile speed cameras only be used in school zones posted in accordance with present law. Further requires that present law not apply to a governing authority of a municipality with populations less than 16,000 and more than 15,000 within a parish with a population of less than 90,000 and more than 70,000 according to the latest federal decennial census.

Proposed law exempts parishes, including its municipalities, with a population of not less than 439,000 and not more than 442,000 according to the latest federal decennial census.

Present law (R.S. 32:46) restricts the use of electronic enforcement devices in school zones on school days during specified time periods, except for a governing authority of a municipality with populations less than 16,000 and more than 15,000 within a parish with a population of less than 90,000 and more than 70,000 according to the latest federal decennial census.

Proposed law exempts parishes, including its municipalities, with a population of not less than 439,000 and not more than 442,000 according to the latest federal decennial census.

(Amends R.S. 32:43(A)(4) and 46(C))