

First Extraordinary Session, 2005

SENATE BILL NO. 35

BY SENATORS FONTENOT AND CHAISSON

SEX OFFENSES. Requires registration as a sex offender within 24 hours of admittance after relocation resulting from a declaration of a state of emergency.

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 15:542(A), relative to registration of sex offender; to provide for registration of sex offenders after a declaration of emergency; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 15:542(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§542. Registration of sex offenders

A. (1) Any adult residing in this state who has pled guilty to, has been convicted of, or where adjudication has been deferred or withheld for the perpetration or attempted perpetration of any sex offense and any juvenile who has pled guilty or has been convicted of a sex offense as provided for in Children's Code Article 857 shall register with the sheriff of the parish of the person's residence and with the chief of police if the address of the residence is located in an incorporated area which has a police department. If the adult or juvenile resides in a parish with a population in excess of four hundred fifty thousand, he shall register with the police department of his municipality of residence.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of the law to the contrary,

