
DIGEST

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Arnold

HB No. 217

Abstract: Requires voter approval before the governing authority of a parish or municipality may impose a civil fine for a traffic violation based on evidence captured by an automated traffic enforcement system.

Proposed law prohibits the governing authority of a parish or municipality from imposing a civil fine for a violation of any traffic law, ordinance, rule, or regulation based on evidence captured by an automated traffic enforcement system, unless the imposition of civil fines has been authorized by the voters.

Proposed law authorizes any governing authority that has imposed such civil fines prior to the effective date of proposed law to continue to do so until July 1, 2014, without an election.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 32:239)