
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to Original House Bill No. 505 by Representative Dixon

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 23:291(E)" and before the comma "," delete "and (F)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 4, after "employers;" and before "to provide exceptions;" delete "to provide
5 protections;"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 7, after "R.S. 23:291(E)" and before "hereby" change "and (F) are" to "is"

8 AMENDMENT NO. 4

9 On page 1, delete lines 11 through 20 in their entirety and insert the following:

10 "E.(1) Any employer, general contractor, premises owner, or other
11 third party shall not be subject to a cause of action for negligent hiring of or
12 failing to adequately supervise an employee or independent contractor due
13 to damages or injury caused by that employee or independent contractor
14 solely because that employee or independent contractor has been previously
15 convicted of a criminal offense.

16 (2) The provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall not apply
17 to any of the following:

18 (a) Acts of the employee arising out of the course and scope of his
19 employment that give rise to damages or injury when the act is substantially
20 related to the nature of the crime for which the employee was convicted and
21 the employer, general contractor, premises owner, or other third party knew
22 or should have known of the conviction.

23 (b) Acts of an employee who has been previously convicted of any
24 crime of violence as enumerated in R.S. 14:2(B) or any sex offense as
25 enumerated in R.S. 15:541.

26 (3) Nothing in this Subsection shall be construed to prohibit or create
27 a cause of action for negligent hiring or inadequate supervision in situations
28 not covered by this Subsection."

29 AMENDMENT NO. 5

30 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 26 in their entirety