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**Abstract:** Prohibits an employer from retaliating against an employee for discussing wage information.

Proposed law allows, but does not require, an employee to disclose wage information without fear of reprisal from his employer.

Proposed law does not extend protections afforded by proposed law to an employee who has access to wage information as part of his job function and discloses the information except in response to a charge, complaint, investigation, court order, proceeding, or hearing.

Proposed law applies to employers who employ at least 20 employees.

Effective Jan. 1, 2018.

(Adds R.S. 23:643)