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Present law authorizes the use of blue-colored electric lights on all publicly owned fire department vehicles and publicly owned ambulances.

Proposed law changes present law to authorize use of blue-colored electric lights on all licensed ambulances.

Proposed law provides that the term "ambulance" as used in proposed law shall have the meaning ascribed in R.S. 40:1131(3) that defines "ambulance" as any authorized emergency vehicle, equipped with warning devices, designed and operated as a part of a regular course of conduct or business to transport a sick or injured individual or which is advertised or otherwise held out to the public as such. "Ambulance" shall not mean a hearse or other funeral home vehicle utilized for the transportation of the dead.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 32:318(H))