

## RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

**ACT 706 (HB 899)**

**2018 Regular Session**

**Hilferty**

Existing law provides for the Responsible Vendor Program and the curriculum for servers and security personnel training.

New law retains existing law and requires the Louisiana Alcohol and Tobacco Commissioner (ATC) to create and distribute an informational pamphlet that addresses methods of identifying and responding to rape, sexual assault, sexual harassment, and sex trafficking. ATC is responsible for updating its responsible vendor handbook with the same data that is listed in the informational pamphlet.

New law authorizes employers to distribute the informational pamphlets to existing and newly hired bartenders, servers, and security personnel. Furthermore, new law includes an immunity provision for bartenders, servers, and security personnel for reporting or failing to report any sexual assault, rape, sexual harassment, or sex trafficking incident.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 26:933(E) and (F); Adds R.S. 26:933(G) and (H))